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PREFACE.

THE thirteen parts which this volume comprises have already been issued separately, and now appear in a collective form with a General Index. Since the publication of the various parts the information contained in them has been subjected to careful revision, and in some cases the tables have been entirely recast. It is possible, however, that some errors may still remain uncorrected; if there be any such which come under attention information concerning their nature and position would be gladly received.

The following pages contain chiefly matter in a tabular form, and should therefore be read in conjunction with the "Wealth and Progress of New South Wales," an annual publication, based for the most part on the figures found in this volume, and designed, as its title shows, to illustrate the resources of this Colony.

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Year.	Municipalities existing.	Incorporated Area.	Year.	Municipalities existing.	Incorporated Area.	Year.	Municipalities existing.	Incorporated Area.
	No.	acres.		No.	acres.		No.	acres.
1876	75	785,300	1883	99	1,051,675	1890	158	1,527,772
1877	76	787,572	1884	103	1,086,619	1891	165	1,564,406
1878	80	846,561	1885	111	1,106,152	1892	168	1,637,046
1879	85	911,809	1886	117	1,148,085	1893	171	1,660,675
1880	87	948,353	1887	122	1,162,728	1894	175	1,683,990
1881	87	948,353	1888	132	1,270,543	1895	182	1,754,941
1882	92	1,014,625	1889	145	1,357,916	1896	183	1,767,079

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		Improved Land with Buildings thereon.	All Ratable Property.	Improved Land with Buildings thereon.	All Ratable Property.
Metropolitan—	£	£	£	£	£
City of Sydney	134,222	2,237,040	2,237,040	44,740,700	44,740,700
Suburban Municipalities ...	132,119	2,558,000	2,904,950	39,747,400	46,686,400
Total Metropolitan ...	266,341	4,795,040	5,141,990	84,488,100	91,427,100
Country Municipalities ...	110,750	2,277,150	2,461,745	32,380,700	36,072,600
Grand Total ...	377,091	7,072,190	7,603,735	116,868,800	127,499,700

No. 3.—Annual and Capital Values of Ratable Property in Municipalities, 1893–97.

Year ended February—	City of Sydney.		Suburbs.		Total, Metropolitan.		Country.		Total, New South Wales.	
	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1893	55,716,900	3,227,851	51,174,200	6,013,697	106,891,100	2,683,806	37,386,300	8,697,503	144,277,400
1894	55,500,000	3,290,637	54,511,000	6,067,882	110,061,000	2,861,593	40,877,000	8,929,475	150,938,000
1895	55,470,000	3,190,022	53,481,000	5,686,197	108,951,000	2,774,477	42,275,000	8,460,674	151,226,000
1896	[illegible],225,800	2,931,630	49,466,400	5,352,920	96,692,200	2,542,725	39,509,900	7,895,645	136,202,100
1897	[illegible],740,700	2,904,950	46,686,400	5,141,990	91,427,100	2,461,745	36,072,600	7,603,735	127,499,700

No. 4.—Area, Dwellings, Population, and Rates of Municipalities.

Municipal Year.—The municipal year of the City of Sydney begins on the 1st January; in all other cases it begins o the first Tuesday in February.

Borough and Municipal District.—The maximum area which may be incorporated as a municipal district is 5 square miles, with a population of not less than 500. To entitle a district to incorporation as a borough, it must have maximum population of 1,000 within an area of not more than 9 square miles.

Municipal Rates.—Municipal rates are levied on nine-tenths of the annual value of improved property, and on per cent. of the capital value of unimproved land. In boroughs and municipal districts they are struck yearly; in the Cit of Sydney, from time to time, as may be decided. In the city the general rate, which has stood at 16d. since 1891, covers a expenditure; in the other municipalities the general rate cannot exceed 12d., but special rates may bring the total up to 2 in the £, and an additional rate may be levied for water supply when the works have been constructed under the Countr Towns Water and Sewerage Acts.

Borough or Municipal District.	Incorporation.	Reproclamation.	Area, corrected to 1st Feb., 1897.	On 3rd February, 1896. Dwellings.	Population (approximate).	Lighted by	Year ended 1st February, 1897. Amount struck in the £. General Rate	Special Rates. Lighting	Water	Other	Amount of General Rate levied.
	year.	year.	acres.	No.	No.		d.	d.	d.	d.	£
SYDNEY	1842	1879.	2,880	22,500	96,330	Gas.	§16	..	..	..	§134,22
SUBURBS—											
Alexandria (b)	1868	1890	1,024	1,750	7,870	Gas ..	12	3½	*		2,703
Annandale (b)	1894	..	333	1,532	7,430	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	2,348
Ashfield (b)	1871	1893	2,048	2,628	12,650	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	5,949
Balmain (b)	1860	..	576	5,400	28,000	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	8,730
Botany (b)	1888	..	2,163	522	2,460	Gas ..	12	3	..	..	972
Botany, North (b)	1888	..	2,176	655	2,990	Gas ..	12	2½	..	..	1,124
Burwood (b)	1874	..	1,050	1,325	6,300	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	3,816
Camperdown (b)	1862	1870	435	1,439	7,000	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	1,984
Canterbury (m)	1879	..	7,104	714	3,350	Gas & elect.	12	3	..	..	1,676
Concord (m)	1883	..	2,560	494	2,300	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	1,284
Darlington (b)	1864	1882	38	742	3,500	Gas ..	9	..	..	..	895
Drummoyne (m)	1890	..	512	447	2,100	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	1,138
Enfield (b)	1889	1893	1,696	472	2,230	Electricity.	12	4	..	..	969
Erskineville (b)	1872	1887	166	1,232	5,490	Gas ..	12	3	..	..	1,471
Five Dock (m)	1871	1890	1,412	‡241	1,400	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	635
Glebe (b)	1859	..	461	3,569	16,680	Gas ..	12	4	..	†2	6,946
Hunter's Hill (b)	1861	..	1,574	553	4,000	Gas ..	12	6	..	..	1,419
Hurstville (m)	1887	1895	8,384	1,153	5,330	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	1,972
Kogarah (m)	1885	..	3,048	674	3,190	Gas ..	12	3 & 4	..	..	1,434
Lane Cove (b)	1895	..	2,406	226	1,200	Gas ..	12	1	..	..	921
Leichhardt (b)	1871	1893	1,062	3,318	13,460	Gas ..	12	4	..	†1	4,139
Manly (m)	1877	..	2,460	681	3,750	Gas ..	12	4	12	..	2,405
Marrickville (b)	1861	..	2,010	3,399	16,500	Gas ..	12	4	..	†3	6,558
Marsfield (m)	1894	..	2,931	135	670	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	244
Mosman (b)	1893	..	2,048	500	2,400	Gas ..	12	3	..	..	1,891
Newtown (b)	1862	..	442	4,221	19,940	Gas ..	12	3	..	..	7,576
North Sydney (b)	1890	1893	2,967	3,726	18,180	Gas ..	12	3	..	..	9,412
Paddington (b)	1860	1894	416	3,930	19,000	Gas ..	12	3	..	..	7,911
Petersham (b)	1871	1879	702	2,694	12,500	Gas ..	12	3	..	†2	5,714
Randwick (b)	1859	1889	8,000	1,334	7,600	Gas ..	12	3	..	..	4,656
Redfern (b)	1860	..	435	4,520	23,020	Electricity.	12	3	..	†3	7,724
Rockdale (m)	1871	..	4,442	1,400	6,400	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	2,858
Ryde (m)	1870	1894	7,110	534	2,330	Gas ..	12	6	..	..	1,334
St. Peter's (m)	1871	1890	856	1,179	5,500	Gas ..	12	5	..	..	1,469
Strathfield (m)	1885	1892	1,747	496	2,600	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	2,062
Vaucluse (b)	1895	..	768	147	1,000	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	429
Waterloo (b)	1860	1889	806	2,030	8,550	Gas ..	12	3	..	..	3,082
Waverley (b)	1859	..	1,965	2,196	10,500	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	5,728
Willoughby (b)	1865	1895	5,296	700	3,700	Gas ..	12	..	..	..	2,286
Woollahra (b)	1860	1895	1,901	2,080	10,600	Gas ..	12	3	..	..	6,255
Total Suburbs	..	..	87,350	65,058	313,670	.....	..	..	..	..	132,119
Total Metropolitan .	..	..	90,230	87,558	410,000	.....	..	..	..	..	266,341
COUNTRY—											
Aberdeen (m)	1894	..	1,491	138	720	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	242
Adamstown (m)	1895	1891	973	451	2,180	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	332
Albury (b)	1859	..	17,760	1,047	5,650	Gas and Oil	12	3	12	..	1,884
Armidale (b)	1863	..	2,069	‡500	4,700	Gas ..	12	5	..	†4	1,331
Auburn (b)	1892	..	2,048	546	2,400	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	1,14[illegible]
Ballina (m)	1883	..	5,760	278	1,350	Nil ..	12	..			
Balranald (m)	1882	..	30,720	187	720	Nil ..	12				
Bankstown (m)	1895	..	18,893	197	1,000	Nil					
Bathurst (b)	1862	..	2,560	1,807	9,200	Gas					

(b) Borough. (m) Municipal Distr

'le exception of Manly the Suburban Municipalities — Supply and Sewe

street watering. ‡ 4th February, 1896.

4.—Area, Dwellings, Population, and Rates of Municipalities—*continued.*

Borough or icipal District.	Incorporation.	Reproclamation.	Area, corrected to 1st Feb., 1897.	On 3rd February, 1896.			Year ended 1st February, 1897.				
				Dwellings.	Population (approximate).	Lighted by	Amount struck in the £.				Amount of General Rate Levied.
							General Rate	Special Rates.			
								Lighting	Water	Other	
—*continued.*	year.	year.	acres.	No.	No.		d.	d.	d.	d.	£
m)	1883	..	2,304	420	2,300	Gas ..	12	5	..	..	703
(m)	1868	..	21,574	428	2,300	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	727
a (m)	1889	..	3,072	155	800	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	243
y (m)	1882	..	3,040	250	1,200	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	397
la (b)	1890	..	1,299	181	1,020	Oil ..	12	3	..	..	317
(m)	1878	..	28,160	624	3,400	Oil ..	12	..	12	..	1,508
(m)	1886	..	3,315	*452	2,100	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	752
ood (m)	1891	..	5,760	300	1,500	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	466
Hill (m)	1888	..	16,640	4,646	18,580	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	8,466
ton Vale (m) ..	1871	..	15,040	91	400	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	185
a (m)	1888	..	21,760	157	750	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	361
aatta and Canley (m)	1892	..	7,232	185	950	Nil .	12	..	..	..	363
n (m)	1889	..	7,680	455	1,700	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	497
elltown (m)	1882	..	28,800	*500	2,400	Oil ..	12	3	..	..	579
r (m)	1878	..	429	150	650	Oil ..	9	3	..	..	108
gton (m)	1887	..	435	445	2,120	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	660
(m)	1889	..	21,504	†459	2,300	‡ ..	12	..	..	..	454
eagh (m)	1895	..	30,426	280	1,400	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	178
m)	1884	..	28,160	*425	2,000	‡ ..	12	3	..	..	718
olin (m)	1890	..	29,888	176	850	Oil ..	12	2	..	..	379
(m)	1879	..	17,664	400	2,000	Oil ..	9	3	..	..	488
ible (m)	1880	..	15,040	*225	1,100	Oil ..	12	2	..	..	617
undra (b)	1884	..	6,080	580	2,920	Gas ..	12	3	8	..	799
(m)	1891	..	2,560	103	650	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	164
(b)	1888	..	5,677	307	1,750	Oil ..	12	2	..	..	666
m)	1890	..	25,600	121	600	Nil ..	9	..	..	..	160
ong (b)	1860	..	122,880	†400	2,300	‡ ..	12	..	..	..	931
uin (m)	1868	..	32,000	624	2,930	Gas ..	12	..	12	..	1,203
(m)	1872	..	659	*622	3,450	Gas ..	12	4	12	..	1,280
(b)	1889	1891	2,688	155	900	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	415
g (m)	1893	..	2,701	195	1,100	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	305
ton and Rydal (m)	1891	..	2,048	128	640	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	271
(m)	1870	..	32,000	740	3,700	Oil ..	12	..	12	..	1,305
ong (m)	1871	..	27,360	150	750	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	470
nes (m)	1872	..	25,600	560	3,200	Gas ..	12	6	..	..	1,066
(b)	1886	..	1,837	150	650	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	214
rn (b)	1859	1889	8,320	*2,250	12,300	Gas and oil	12	3	12	..	3,316
(b)	1859	..	1,920	1,280	6,000	Gas and oil	12	4	..	..	1,442
South (m)	1896	..	1,402								
le (b)	1885	..	2,829	1,002	4,800	Gas and oil	12	4	..	..	1,930
l (m)	1883	..	346	144	720	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	333
m)	1890	..	3,072	351	1,280	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	219
g (m)	1876	..	20,480	480	2,000	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	374
al (m)	1889	..	2,080	*205	1,000	‡ ..	*12	..	..	..	367
lah (m)	1885	1886	2,656	235	1,200	Oil ..	12	..	..	..	380
on (m)	1871	1891	1,664	1,050	5,200	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	1,567
)	1872	..	32,000	714	3,250	Gas ..	12	3	¶	..	1,427
d (b)	1873	..	1,088	208	910	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	162
(m)	1888	..	32,000	193	750	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	297
ra, Central (b) ..	1859	1890	75,776	710	3,300	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	1,508
ra, North (m) ..	1868	..	7,360	538	2,400	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	601
rn (m)	1896	..	6,592	....	**550	.....	12	..	..	..	87
l (m)	1872	..	32,000	616	3,250	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	1,018
oo (b)	1859	1890	40,640	267	1,340	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	766
rie (m)	1889	..	32,000	*158	790	Oil ..	12	..	12	..	345
b)	1886	..	5,517	432	2,200	Oil ..	12	3	..	..	647
iba (m)	1889	..	7,424	367	1,500	Oil ..	12	3	..	..	655
sy (b)	1886	..	4,051	436	1,960	Oil ..	12	3	..	‖‡	584
(b)	1890	..	2,304	510	2,300	Gas ..	12	3	..	..	585
m (m)	1871	..	800	709	3,500	Electricity.	12	6	..	..	502
m, New (b)	1889	1891	2,560	314	1,570	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	349
s (m)	1879	..	14,061	670	3,300	Gas ..	12	3	12	..	1,110
r (b)	1889	..	4,192	770	3,500	Gas and oil	6	6	12	.	597
ol (m)	1872	1892	20,608	622	3,200	Gas ..	12	4	..	..	937
[illegible] . ..	1887	1889	1,184	183	950	Oil ..	12	3	..	..	341
..	1862	1868	4,538	608	3,000	Gas ..	12	6	..	..	920
..	1863	1868	9,882	1,524	7,600	Gas ..	12	4	..	††3	2,729
..	1885	1891	1,114	884	4,420	Nil ..	12	..	..	..	952
..	1889	..	2,304	235	1,100	Oil ..	12	3	..	..	416

(b) Borough. (m) Municipal District.

[illegible]. ‡ No information. § Gazetted subsequently to 3rd February, 1896.
[illegible] optional. ** 31st December, 1896. †† Street watering.

Dwellings, Population, and Rates of Municipalities—*continued*

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	On 1st February, 1896.			Year ending 1st February, 1				
						Amount struck in the £				
						Gas		Water	Other	
						Rate	Lighting			
			Acres	£	£		£	£	£	£
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Gas	6			
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Electricity	5	12		
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Gas	4			
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Gas	6			
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Oil		12		
[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Electricity	3		[illegible]	
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil		12		
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Gas	3	12	[illegible]	
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil		12		
[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Gas	3	9	[illegible]	
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Electricity	4	6		
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Gas	4			
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Gas and oil	3			
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Oil	3			
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Oil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil	4			
[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Gas	4		[illegible]	
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Gas	4			
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	+				
[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Nil				
[illegible]			5,274	1,014	5,400	Electricity	5		[illegible]	
[illegible]			294	147	730	Nil				
[illegible]			5,760	440	1,900	Nil				
[illegible]			29,440	484	2,500	Nil				
[illegible]			1,120	306	1,300	Nil				
[illegible]			28,160	274	1,370	Nil				
[illegible]			23,000	242	1,400	Nil				
[illegible]			320	155	610	Oil	2½			
[illegible]			5,760	896	4,000	Gas	4	12	1	1
[illegible]			18,800	276	1,500	Oil	2			
[illegible]			63,360	145	1,500	Nil				
[illegible]			3,206	744	3,670	Gas and electricity	3			
[illegible]			2,842	531	2,530	Gas	6			
[illegible]			14,592	245	1,330	Nil				
[illegible]			4,480	284	1,520	Oil	3			
[illegible]			21,939	168	720	Nil		12		
[illegible]			986	1,354	5,650	Gas	3			1,
[illegible]			13,440	237	1,040	Nil		12		
[illegible]			1,216	450	2,200	Gas and oil	3	9		
[illegible]			2,029	116	570	Nil				
[illegible]			1,920	605	3,100	Gas	4		[illegible]	1,
[illegible]			28,800	306	1,700	Gas	6			
[illegible]			3,392	640	3,000	Electricity	6			
[illegible] country			1,676,849	68,132	339,110	....				110,
Metropolitan			90,230	87,558	410,000	....				266,
[illegible] Total			1,767,079	155,690	749,110	....				377,

(*b*) Borough. (*m*) Municipal District.

[illegible] February, 1896. † No information ‡ Street-watering. § Shoalhaven South was formed by uniting Numba with Shoalhaven Central. ‖ 5th February, 1894. ¶ Library.

No. 5.—Annual Rental and Capital Value of Ratable Property in Municipalities, year ended 1st February, 1897.

Borough or Municipal District.	Fair Average Annual Rental of Improved Land with buildings thereon.	Capital Value of— Land neither built on nor cultivated.	Capital Value of— All Ratable Property.
METROPOLITAN—	£	£	£
*Sydney	†2,237,040	....	44,740,700
Suburbs—			
Alexandria	51,360	177,700	795,300
Annandale	48,300	69,700	759,900
Ashfield	121,800	186,300	2,075,500
Balmain	181,200	230,200	3,284,200
Botany	18,550	55,200	240,700
Botany, North	14,660	138,500	333,000
Burwood	76,700	145,600	1,500,000
Camperdown	41,800	41,400	651,500
Canterbury	19,540	318,600	709,400
Concord	20,420	146,100	550,000
Darlington	26,400	4,500	263,900
Drummoyne	15,900	169,000	367,700
Enfield	15,560	107,300	329,600
Erskineville	31,400	23,500	363,300
Five Dock	9,920	75,500	240,900
Glebe	149,620	86,600	2,224,100
Hunter's Hill	26,300	96,200	620,100
Hurstville	25,050	338,200	696,100
Kogarah	16,300	280,200	513,100
Lane Cove	9,300	201,300	343,700
Leichhardt	86,000	117,000	1,407,000
Manly	37,200	291,000	911,000
Marrickville	127,500	329,200	2,290,000
Marsfield	4,400	18,300	67,300
Mosman	25,860	292,500	756,200
Newtown	162,430	106,900	2,427,300
North Sydney	197,170	218,200	3,987,100
Paddington	174,050	50,600	2,215,200
Petersham	118,920	145,200	2,127,200
Randwick	78,970	440,900	1,708,400
Redfern	167,370	78,000	2,320,000
Rockdale	44,500	341,600	977,300
Ryde	21,000	155,400	515,300
St. Peter's	27,960	85,400	551,400
Strathfield	35,450	186,900	913,900
Vaucluse	7,480	36,700	165,900
Waterloo	56,980	207,200	777,000
Waverley	116,880	187,600	2,525,200
Willoughby	23,800	485,900	844,700
Woollahra	123,850	272,900	2,337,000
Total Suburbs ..	2,558,000	6,939,000	46,686,400
Total Metropolitan ..	4,795,040	6,939,000	91,427,100

Borough or Municipal District.	Fair Average Annual Rental of Improved Land, with buildings thereon.	Capital Value of— Land neither built on nor cultivated.	Capital Value of— All Ratable Property.
COUNTRY—	£	£	£
Aberdeen	5,140	5,000	67,300
Adamstown	6,610	13,700	128,700
Albury	41,730	6,500	423,800
Armidale	28,400	21,100	427,100
Auburn	13,730	210,600	397,00
Ballina	7,970	24,700	104,400
Balranald	5,290	17,200	70 100
Bankstown	4,180	110,700	184,300
Bathurst	60,530	32,500	1,052,600
Bega	13,920	30,500	279,400
Berry	14,980	23,300	323,000
Bingara	5,180	3,700	55,600
Blayney	6,710	38,200	138,900
Bombala	6,420	10,600	94,400
Bourke	31,200	47,400	434,900
Bowral	16,050	12,100	333,000
Braidwood	10,270	.....	171,100
Broken Hill	188,890	.....	1,232,600
Broughton Vale	3,870	3,800	66,000
Burrowa	7,770	5,100	125,700
Cabramatta and Canley Vale	3,800	51,000	115,200
Camden	10,970	1,400	220,800
Campbelltown	12,800	1,900	214,700
Carcoar	3,200	.....	82,300
Carrington	12,100	46,300	167 300
Casino	7,300	49,300	154,400
Castlereagh	3,320	10,800	66,500
Cobar	14,300	29,200	172,600
Condobolin	8,030	5,500	125,900
Cooma	12,600	33,000	234,900
Coonamble	12,130	28,600	201,800
Cootamundra	17,200	9,600	201,000
Coraki	3,110	9,700	48,600
Cowra	12,700	39,700	175,300
Cudal	4,550	3,500	89,900
Cudgegong ..	20,700	.....	414,000
Deniliquin .	25,620	20,100	327,500
Dubbo	27,100	25,000	366,600
Dundas	7,890	26,600	181,600
Dungog	6,870	.....	91,500
Ermington and Rydalmere	5,020	17,100	117,500
Forbes	28,130	16,800	439,100
Gerringong	10,430	.....	208,500
Glen Innes	21,100	48,500	312,700
Gosford	3,570	21,800	91,500

* Year ended 31st December, 1896. † Including unimproved land.

NOTE.—According to the Municipalities Act of 1867, mining property is subject to rating only in respect to the value of the surface area and of the buildings erected thereon; and in the case of Broken Hill and other mining municipalities this value is included in the amount set down in the above table.

Capital Value of Ratable Property in Municipali[illegible] ended 1st February, 1897—*continued.*

Capital Value of— All Ratable Property.	Borough or Municipal District.	Fair Average Annual Rental of Improved Land with buildings thereon.	Capital Value Land neither built on nor cultivated.	A Rat Prop
£	COUNTRY—*continued.*	£	£	
1,077,900	Orange, East	10,040	25,200	17[illegible]
497,000	Parkes	19,150	13,400	20[illegible]
753,100	Parramatta	63,100	108,200	1,37[illegible]
211,300	Peak Hill..	5,590	100	5[illegible]
96,200	Penrith	21,100	19,000	30[illegible]
178,300	Picton	6,920	2,200	10[illegible]
110,200	Plattsburg	14,350	9,900	23[illegible]
88,900	Port Macquarie	4,790	5,000	7[illegible]
523,700	Prospect and Sherwood.	16,000	119,400	40[illegible]
332,600	Queanbeyan	6,180	3,700	8[illegible]
36,200	Quirindi	9,230	5,900	15[illegible]
128,300	Raymond Terrace ..	4,360	11,000	6[illegible]
671,600	Richmond	8,530	.. ...	15[illegible]
264,700	Rookwood	11,540	142,500	28[illegible]
32,600	Scone	6,680	500	8[illegible]
229,500	Shellharbour	†16,450	.....	23[illegible]
340,000	Shoalhaven, South ..	†11,590	.....	16[illegible]
152,700	Silverton	3,590	2,000	6[illegible]
157,500	Singleton..	14,230	29,300	23[illegible]
177,000	Singleton, South ..	6,250	11,800	10[illegible]
177,800	Smithfield and Fairfield.	6,800	48,600	16[illegible]
256,500	St. Mary's	9,700	.....	19[illegible]
188,800	Stockton	12,820	38,100	19[illegible]
130,000	Tamworth	36,600	30,300	39[illegible]
389,500	Taree	4,700	2,200	7[illegible]
388,700	Temora	9,840	2,400	15[illegible]
410,800	Tenterfield	13,860	22,200	22[illegible]
97,400	Tumut	9,470	19,900	11[illegible]
321,900	Ulladulla	15,030	4,600	30[illegible]
895,600	Ulmarra	8,400	27,900	19[illegible]
354,900	Uralla	4,430	5,000	6[illegible]
156,400	Wagga Wagga	40,600	31,500	43[illegible]
150,300	Walcha	6,220	12,000	11[illegible]
95,600	Wallendbeen	10,800	1,100	12[illegible]
159,200	Wallsend	22,560	1,500	28[illegible]
107,300	Waratah	14,380	134,200	37[illegible]
107,800	Warren	8,120	5,600	12[illegible]
257,700	Wellington	10,790	14,200	14[illegible]
281,600	Wentworth	4,590	9,000	5[illegible]
75,000	Wickham..	30,770	131,600	75[illegible]
112,400	Wilcannia	10,050	11,800	11[illegible]
63,700	Windsor	11,900	1,900	18[illegible]
172,000	Wingham	2,640	4,000	4[illegible]
140,700	Wollongong	20,190	8,400	41[illegible]
49,000	Yass	16,370	3,600	20[illegible]
234,000	Young	18,860	3,900	23[illegible]
2,431,800	Total Country ..	2,277,150	3,691,900	36,07[illegible]
211,000	„ Metropolitan ..	4,795,040	6,939,000	91,42[illegible]
83,800	Grand Total.. ..	7,072,190	10,630,900	127,49[illegible]
396,100				

* Year ended 31st February, 1896. † Including unimproved land.

No. 6.—Receipts and Disbursements of the City of Sydney, Year ended 31st December, 1895.

RECEIPTS.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
City Rate, levied under authority of Sydney Corporation Act (43 Vic. No. 3)			143,562 19 5
Fees and Fines			1,900 5 6
Rent and Dues from Markets—			
Belmore—Old	3,991 11 6		
" New	3,231 12 6		
		7,223 4 0	
Eastern, Fish	1,788 10 7		
Cooling Chambers	738 14 9		
		2,527 5 4	
Sussex-street Sale-yards		1,523 11 10	
Cattle Sale-yards		14,831 6 5	
			26,105 7 7
Rent of City Wharfs		2,704 8 0	
" Public Baths		422 0 0	
" Exhibition Building		155 15 0	
" Town Hall		1,991 10 0	
" Sussex-street Stores		856 6 0	
" Haymarket Ground		450 10 0	
" Hay-street Shops		307 7 6	
" &c., Moore Park		85 19 0	
			6,973 15 6
Cleansing Earth Closets		.....	184 12 6
Auctioneers' Licenses		.....	2,137 1 0
Organ Recitals		.....	1,189 12 6
Sale of Land		.....	250 0 0
Contributions, &c.—Moore-street Improvement		.....	2,096 8 5
Interest on Fixed Deposits		.....	2,660 7 0
Miscellaneous Receipts		.....	2,284 13 9
Fixed Deposits matured and not reinvested		.....	44,000 0 0
Balance as per Bank Balances, 31st December, 1895—			
Accounts overdrawn..		41,957 11 4	233,345 3 2
Less Accounts in credit		11,415 5 11	
			30,542 5 5
Total		.....	263,887 8 7

DISBURSEMENTS.

Balance as per Bank Balances, 31st December, 1894	.....	7,250 10 6
Salaries—		
Office of Mayor	1,000 0 0	
Town Clerk and Department	1,805 0 0	
City Surveyor and Department	3,152 19 6	
City Treasurer and Department	1,770 0 0	
Inspector of Nuisances and Department..	1,200 0 0	
City Architect and Department	1,305 0 0	
Health Officer	250 0 0	
Clerk of Markets	225 0 0	
City Solicitor	500 0 0	
City Organist	458 6 8	
City Auditors	200 0 0	
Cattle Sale-yards	400 0 0	
		12,266 6 2
City Improvements—		
Wages	80,733 11 9	
Metal	6,183 16 2	
Street Works	20,221 2 9	
		107,138 10 8
Cattle Sale-yards—General Works, &c.	.....	3,069 19 2
Public Markets— " " "	.....	41,527 10 3
Material—		
City Markets	1,087 13 6	
Street-watering	47 19 2	
		1,135 12 8
Purchase of Land..	420 15 0	
Compensation	291 15 10	
		712 10 10
Lighting Expenses	.....	13,602 1 1
Fire Brigades Board	.....	2,625 7 11
Government Transactions and Insurance	.....	1,370 0 9
Law Expenses	.....	442 10 5
Miscellaneous Expenditure	.....	6,029 15 3
Annual Contributions to Sinking Funds	.....	10,350 0 0
Loans—		
.. ..	9,000 0 0	
.. ..	46,400 0 0	
		55,400 0 0
Draft	.....	366 12 11
Total	.....	263,887 8 7

*—For synopsis, see Tables 7 and 8 (pp. 12 and 20).

No. 7.—Receipts of Municipal

Borough or Municipal District.	Revenue.						
	Rates.					From Government	
	General.	Lighting.	Water.	Other.	Nuisances Prevention Charges.	Endowments, and Grants other than those for Roads and Bridges.	Grants, Roads and Bridges.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
METROPOLITAN—							
*Sydney	143,563	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Suburbs :—							
Alexandria	2,801	833	.....	.....	65	706	.....
Annandale	2,434	811	.....	.....	1,003	707	.....
Ashfield	5,767	1,447	.....	.....	2,357	1,687	257
Balmain	8,571	2,858	.....	.....	4,785	2,290	.....
Botany	851	186	.....	.....	.....	675	.....
Botany, North	676	.....	.....	.....	.....	521	.....
Burwood.....	3,921	1,291	.....	.....	.....	1,328	.....
Camperdown	1,999	666	.....	.....	125	487	45
Canterbury...	1,031	166	.....	.....	77	299	142
Concord	1,270	.....	.....	.....	.....	764	.....
Darlington	977	.....	.....	.....	.....	314	.....
Drummoyne	1,012	326	.....	.....	194	279	50
Enfield	897	294	.....	.....	.....	706	.....
Erskineville	1,551	388	.....	.....	144	434	.....
Five Dock	549	156	.....	.....	.....	249	32
Glebe	7,110	2,370	.....	452	1,211	2,113	.....
Hunter's Hill	1,360	679	.....	.....	436	404	.....
Hurstville	2,184	594	.....	.....	.....	1,764	300
Kogarah	2,127	452	.....	.....	.....	1.451	125
Lane Cove	1,083	48	.....	.....	.....	183	.....
Leichhardt	4,626	1,542	.....	.....	2,316	1,162	.....
Manly	2,202	701	1,506	.....	.....	776	.....
Marrickville	5,857	1,952	.....	50	1,955	1,187	1,023
Marsfield	202	.....	.....	.....	.....	49	450
Mosman	1,497	353	.....	.....	221	459	.....
Newtown	7,071	1,767	.....	.....	320	1,955	.....
North Sydney	9,745	2,435	.....	113	3,710	2,696	47
Paddington...	8,649	2,162	.....	.....	.....	2,184	140
Petersham	5,700	1,428	.....	49	1,046	1,577	.....
Randwick	4,447	1,097	.....	.....	103	1,102	1,724
Redfern	8,677	2,169	.....	619	215	2,489	.....
Rockdale	2,375	754	.....	.....	.....	.....	716
Ryde	1,200	472	.....	.....	234	346	113
St. Peter's	1,705	634	.....	.....	75	407	.....
Strathfield	2,160	711	.....	.....	781	2,206	.....
Vaucluse	170	42	.....	.....	56	13	.....
Waterloo	3,206	802	.....	.....	65	807	.....
Waverley	6,177	1,908	.....	.....	1,362	1,674	.....
Willoughby	1,955	4	.....	.....	.....	649	.....
Woollahra	6,817	1,704	.....	.....	323	1,644	.....
Total Suburbs	132,609	36,202	1,506	1,283	23,179	40,743	[illegible]
Total Metropolitan ...	276,172	36,202	1,506	1,283	23,179	[illegible]	

* Year ended 31st Dec

Government Endowment.—A municipality is entitled to a Government
the second period of five years, and 5s. per £ during the remainder of the

nded 3rd February, 1896.

Other Sources.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Revenue.	Proceeds of Loans: Mortgage, Debenture, or Bond.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Receipts.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	METROPOLITAN—
43,335	166	189,345	.....	116,754	306,099	*Sydney.
						Suburbs:—
215	.....	4,636	5,000	126	9,762	Alexandria.
47	.....	5,044	.....	.....	5,044	Annandale.
128	549	12,440	.....	2	12,442	Ashfield.
989	24	19,591	.....	.....	19,591	Balmain.
76	.....	1,788	.....	1,000	2,788	Botany.
195	.....	1,412	.....	.....	1,412	Botany, North.
1,267	.....	7,949	.....	.....	7,949	Burwood.
302	.....	3,629	.....	150	3,779	Camperdown.
76	.....	1,851	9,095	230	11,176	Canterbury.
65	.....	2,108	.....	915	3,023	Concord.
23	.....	1,314	.....	6	1,320	Darlington.
5	2	1,876	.....	10	1,886	Drummoyne.
62	.....	1,959	4,000	40	5,999	Enfield.
77	1	2,629	.....	.....	2,629	Erskineville.
129	.....	1,119	.....	.....	1,119	Five Dock.
344	9	13,734	15,000	.....	28,734	Glebe.
70	7	2,964	2,000	2	4,966	Hunter's Hill.
93	3	4,965	.....	23	4,988	Hurstville.
22	15	4,245	.....	.....	4,245	Kogarah.
30	.....	1,344	.....	.....	1,344	Lane Cove.
1,525	23	11,308	.....	.....	11,308	Leichhardt.
1,036	174	6,503	.....	.....	6,503	Manly.
104	.....	12,448	.....	586	13,034	Marrickville.
9	.....	711	.....	4	715	Marsfield.
37	.....	2,631	2,996	9	5,636	Mosman.
117	.....	16,415	.....	249	16,664	Newtown.
617	14	19,396	2,000	844	22,240	North Sydney.
1,006	.....	14,359	5,000	658	20,017	Paddington.
510	.....	10,542	4,000	.....	14,542	Petersham.
283	.....	9,046	2,000	207	11,253	Randwick.
1,201	17	15,652	.....	9,527	25,179	Redfern.
140	.....	4,109	.....	2	4,111	Rockdale.
134	10	2,515	.....	239	2,754	Ryde.
184	39	3,068	.....	22	3,090	St. Peter's.
117	.....	6,303	.....	300	6,603	Strathfield.
†1,755	.....	2,051	.....	20	2,071	Vaucluse.
69	9	5,037	.....	.....	5,037	Waterloo.
244	.....	11,494	2,800	206	14,500	Waverley.
517	5	3,172	.....	5	3,177	Willoughby.
139	120	10,989	2,000	20	13,009	Woollahra.
13,959	1,021	264,346	55,891	15,402	335,639	Total Suburbs.
57,294	1,187	453,691	55,891	132,156	641,738	Total Metropolitan.

† received from Woollahra on separation.

tion, namely, £ for £ of the sum collected by means of the general rate during the first five years, 10s. per £ during rants, and road grants are made towards the maintenance of Government roads running through the Municipality ydney since 1889.

No. 7.—Receipts of Municipaliti

Borough or Municipal District.	Revenue.							
	Rates.				Nuisances Prevention Charges.	From Government.		
	General.	Lighting.	Water.	Other.		Endowments, and Grants other than those for Roads and Bridges.	Grants, Roads and Bridges.	Subsi tion W
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
COUNTRY—								
Aberdeen	229	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	66	..
Adamstown	400	.....	.....	.....	276	444	50	
Albury	1,775	443	1,539	.....	1,115	534	92	..
Armidale	1,204	451	.....	.....	.....	348	386	..
Auburn	931	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,537	120	..
Ballina	429	.....	.....	.....	.....	185	287	..
Balranald	342	.....	449	.....	96	212	.....	.
Bankstown	41	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.
Bathurst	3,021	1,507	3,104	.....	679	880	14	.
Bega	659	260	.....	.....	161	294	131	.
Berry	611	.....	.....	.....	.....	160	145	.
Bingara	211	.....	.....	.....	.....	112	35	.
Blayney	411	.....	.....	.....	.....	220	130	.
Bombala	222	43	.....	.....	23	258	22	.
Bourke	1,341	.....	1,352	.....	464	382	.....	.
Bowral	858	286	.....	.....	149	632	27	.
Braidwood	477	.....	.....	.....	99	585	73	.
Broken Hill	8,393	.....	.....	.....	4,008	6,182	.....	
Broughton Vale	225	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	50	.
Burrowa	288	.....	.....	.....	.....	302	210	.
Cabramatta and Canley Vale	206	.....	.....	.....	.....	62	189	.
Camden	320	.....	.....	.....	18	336	208	.
Campbelltown	445	62	.....	.....	.....	257	20	.
Carcoar	140	.....	.....	.....	.....	38	.....	.
Carrington	859	.....	.....	.....	195	516	90	.
Casino	382	.....	.....	.....	.....	180	334	.
Castlereagh	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.
Cobar	291	90	.....	.....	.....	159	65	.
Condobolin	294	54	.....	.....	.....	376	249	.
Cooma	486	155	.....	.....	.....	184	347	.
Coonamble	570	96	.....	.....	187	287	187	.
Cootamundra	910	228	88	.....	.....	547	75	.
Coraki	141	.....	.....	.....	.....	201	141	.
Cowra	577	93	.....	.....	202	504	69	.
Cudal	151	.....	.....	.....	.....	191	18	.
Cudgegong	705	.....	.....	.....	.....	203	165	
Deniliquin	1,240	.....	1,439	.....	343	373	115	
Dubbo	1,273	424	1,085	.....	427	386	21	
Dundas	321	.....	.....	.....	.....	308	96	
Dungog	283	.....	.....	.....	.....	344	183	
Ermington and Rydalmere	178	.....	.....	.....	.....	361	75	
Forbes	800	.....	508	.....	.....	226	452	
Gerringong	394	.....	.....	.....	.....	133	232	
Glen Innes	908	323	.....	.....	244	259	584	
Gosford	155	.....	.....	.....	.....	179	78	
Goulburn	3,250	817	3,560	.....	194	1,000	132	
Grafton	1,790	440	.....	.....	.....	442	233	

ıded 3rd February, 1896—*continued.*

Other Sources.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Revenue.	Proceeds of Loans: Mortgage, Debenture, or Bond.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Receipts.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	
						COUNTRY—
40	.....	352	.....	.....	352	Aberdeen.
28	2	1,252	.....	.....	1,252	Adamstown.
1,259	.....	6,779	.....	.....	6,779	Albury.
205	1	2,653	.....	42	2,695	Armidale.
34	.....	2,732	.....	535	3,267	Auburn.
8	.....	951	2,000	.....	2,951	Ballina.
12	.....	1,111	.....	196	1,307	Balranald.
1	.....	42	.....	.....	42	Bankstown.
6,468	297	16,039	.....	812	16,851	Bathurst.
879	9	2,402	.....	219	2,621	Bega.
27	15	974	.....	1,500	2,474	Berry.
40	.....	398	.....	.....	398	Bingara.
143	.....	904	.....	180	1,084	Blayney.
2	3	573	.....	.....	573	Bombala.
341	.....	3,900	.....	62	3,962	Bourke.
74	.....	2,096	.....	.....	2,096	Bowral.
8	.....	1,242	1,254	675	3,171	Braidwood.
759	278	19,875	.....	785	20,660	Broken Hill.
.....	.....	325	.....	.....	325	Broughton Vale.
45	.....	845	.....	.....	845	Burrowa.
.....	4	461	.....	13	474	Cabramatta and Canley Vale.
1	1	905	1,000	55	1,960	Camden.
39	.....	826	100	.....	926	Campbelltown.
32	.....	210	.....	.....	210	Carcoar.
29	10	1,699	.....	153	1,852	Carrington.
135	.....	1,032	.....	6	1,038	Casino.
.....	.....	26	.....	.....	26	Castlereagh.
24	.....	639	.....	7	646	Cobar.
16	36	1,025	.....	6	1,031	Condobolin.
12	3	1,189	.....	59	1,248	Cooma.
144	.....	1,471	982	.....	2,453	Coonamble.
255	.....	2,104	.....	103	2,207	Cootamundra.
3	.....	512	.....	126	638	Coraki.
30	.....	1,487	.....	.....	1,487	Cowra.
20	.....	380	.....	2	382	Cudal.
106	.....	1,773	.....	12	1,785	Cudgegong.
1,568	4	5,976	.....	441	6,417	Deniliquin.
2,540	27	6,263	.....	920	7,183	Dubbo.
42	.....	780	.....	39	819	Dundas.
3	3	816	.....	.....	816	Dungog.
.....	.....	617	.....	10	627	Ermington and Rydalmere.
763	.....	2,899	.....	292	3,191	Forbes.
41	.....	798	.....	.....	798	Gerringong.
797	111	3,286	.....	37	3,323	Glen Innes.
15	.....	437	.....	2	439	Gosford.
776	75	9,850	.....	566	10,416	Goulburn.
183	.....	3,117	.....	148	3,265	Grafton.

No. 7.—Receipts of Municipal

Borough or Municipal District.	Revenue						
	Rates.					From Governme	
	General.	Lighting.	Water.	Other.	Nuisances Prevention Charges.	Endowments, and Grants other than those for Roads and Bridges.	Grants, Roads and Bridges.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COUNTRY—							
Aberdeen	229	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	66
Adamstown	400	.....	.....	.....	276	444	50
Albury	1,775	443	1,539	.....	1,115	534	92
Armidale	1,204	451	.....	.....	.....	348	386
Auburn	931	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,537	120
Ballina	429	.....	.....	.....	.....	185	287
Balranald	342	.....	449	.....	96	212	.....
Bankstown	41	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bathurst	3,021	1,507	3,104	.....	679	880	14
Bega	659	260	.....	.....	161	294	131
Berry	611	.....	.....	.....	.....	160	145
Bingara	211	.....	.....	.....	.....	112	35
Blayney	411	.....	.....	.....	.....	220	130
Bombala	222	43	.....	.....	23	258	22
Bourke	1,341	.....	1,352	.....	464	382	.....
Bowral	858	286	.....	.....	149	632	27
Braidwood	477	.....	.....	.....	99	585	73
Broken Hill	8,393	.....	.....	.....	4,008	6,182	.....
Broughton Vale	225	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	50
Burrowa	288	.....	.....	.....	.....	302	210
Cabramatta and Canley Vale	206	.....	.....	.....	.....	62	189
Camden	320	.....	.....	.....	18	336	208
Campbelltown	445	62	.....	.....	.....	257	20
Carcoar	140	.....	.....	.....	.....	38	.....
Carrington	859	.....	.....	.....	195	516	90
Casino	382	.....	.....	.....	.....	180	334
Castlereagh...	261	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cobar	291	99	.....	.....	.....	159	65
Condobolin	294	54	.....	.....	.....	376	249
Cooma	486	155	.....	.....	.....	184	347
Coonamble	570	96	.....	.....	187	287	187
Cootamundra	910	228	88	.....	.....	547	75
Coraki	141	.....	.....	.....	.....	201	141
Cowra	577	95	.....	.....	202	504	69
Cudal	151	.....	.....	.....	.....	191	18
Cudgegong	795	.....	.....	.....	.....	203	165
Deniliquin	1,240	.....	1,439	.....	343	373	115
Dubbo	1,273	424	1,085	.....	427	386	21
Dundas	321	.....	.....	.....	.....	308	96
Dungog	283	.....	.....	.....	.....	344	183
Ermington and Rydalmere	178	.....	.....	.....	.....	361	75
Forbes	890	.....	568	.....	.....	226	[illegible]
Gerringong	392	.....	.....	.....	.....	132	
Glen Innes	968	323	.....	.....	244		
Gosford	155	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Goulburn	3,250	817	3,520	.....			
Grafton	1,796	449	.....	.....			

nded 3rd February, 1896—*continued.*

Other Sources.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Revenue.	Proceeds of Loans: Mortgage, Debenture, or Bond.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Receipts.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	
						COUNTRY—
40	.....	352	.....	.....	352	Aberdeen.
28	2	1,252	.....	.....	1,252	Adamstown.
1,259	.....	6,779	.....	.....	6,779	Albury.
205	1	2,653	.....	42	2,695	Armidale.
34	.....	2,732	.....	535	3,267	Auburn.
8	.....	951	2,000	.....	2,951	Ballina.
12	.....	1,111	.....	196	1,307	Balranald.
1	.....	42	.....	.....	42	Bankstown.
6,468	297	16,039	.....	812	16,851	Bathurst.
879	9	2,402	.....	219	2,621	Bega.
27	15	974	.....	1,500	2,474	Berry.
40	.....	398	.....	.....	398	Bingara.
143	.....	904	.....	180	1,084	Blayney.
2	3	573	.....	.....	573	Bombala.
341	.....	3,900	.....	62	3,962	Bourke.
74	.....	2,096	.....	.....	2,096	Bowral.
8	.....	1,242	1,254	675	3,171	Braidwood.
759	278	19,875	.....	785	20,660	Broken Hill.
.....	.....	325	.....	.....	325	Broughton Vale.
45	.....	845	.....	.....	845	Burrowa.
.....	4	461	.....	13	474	Cabramatta and Canley Vale.
1	1	905	1,000	55	1,960	Camden.
39	.....	826	100	.....	926	Campbelltown.
32	.....	210	.....	.....	210	Carcoar.
29	10	1,699	.....	153	1,852	Carrington.
135	.....	1,032	.....	6	1,038	Casino.
.....	.....	26	.....	.....	26	Castlereagh.
24	.....	639	.....	7	646	Cobar.
16	36	1,025	.....	6	1,031	Condobolin.
12	3	1,189	.....	59	1,248	Cooma.
144	.....	1,471	982	.....	2,453	Coonamble.
255	.....	2,104	.....	103	2,207	Cootamundra.
3	.....	512	.....	126	638	Coraki.
30	.....	1,487	.....	.....	1,487	Cowra.
20	.....	380	.....	2	382	Cudal.
106	.....	1,773	.....	12	1,785	Cudgegong.
1,568	4	5,976	.....	441	6,417	Deniliquin.
2,540	27	6,263	.....	920	7,183	Dubbo.
42	.....	780	.....	39	819	Dundas.
3	3	816	.....	.....	816	Dungog.
.....	.....	617	.....	10	627	Ermington and Rydalmere.
763	.....	2,899	.....	292	3,191	Forbes.
41	.....	798	.....	.....	798	Gerringong.
797	111	3,286	.....	37	3,323	Glen Innes.
15	.....	437	.....	2	439	Gosford.
776	75	9,850	.....	566	10,416	Goulburn.
183	.....	3,117	.....	148	3,265	Grafton.

No. 7.—Receipts of Municipal

Borough or Municipal District.	Revenue.						
	Rates.					From Government	
	General.	Lighting.	Water.	Other.	Nuisances Prevention Charges.	Endowments, and Grants other than those for Roads and Bridges.	Grants, Roads and Bridges.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COUNTRY—*continued.*							
Granville	2,003	485	.....	.....	435	1,260	200
Grenfell	334	.....	.....	.....	3	186	52
Greta	428	.....	.....	.....	.....	281	37
Gulgong	289	.....	.....	.....	.....	82	234
Gundagai	341	.....	.....	.....	.....	152	.....
Gunnedah	402	.....	.....	.....	.....	115	64
Hamilton	1,662	505	.....	.....	493	494	.....
Hay	1,115	152	1,113	.....	77	303	127
Hill End	120	.....	.....	.....	.....	42	.....
Hillston	269	.....	.....	.....	.....	486	46
Illawarra, Central	1,344	.....	.....	.....	.....	334	50
Illawarra, North	471	.....	.....	.....	.....	138	.....
Inverell	833	.....	.....	.....	.....	266	274
Jamberoo	738	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	213
Jerilderie	350	.....	273	.....	.....	280	216
Junee	788	169	.....	.....	.....	590	52
Katoomba	512	.....	.....	.....	197	412	300
Kempsey	512	127	.....	11	.....	310	239
Kiama	580	129	.....	.....	.....	167	.....
Lambton	381	191	.....	.....	.....	168	5
Lambton, New	366	.....	.....	.....	.....	511	63
Lismore	1,177	294	739	.....	317	311	835
Lithgow	883	353	.....	.....	.....	627	120
Liverpool	908	288	.....	.....	.....	302	34
Maclean	172	40	.....	.....	.....	164	38
Maitland, East	1,002	460	.....	.....	.....	386	702
Maitland, West	2,899	859	.....	239	.....	688	474
Merewether...	852	.....	.....	.....	.....	683	129
Mittagong	377	84	.....	108	.....	277	16
Moama	380	.....	262	.....	.....	603	137
Molong	321	137	.....	.....	.....	89	244
Moree	639	.....	.....	.....	.....	660	168
Morpeth	333	.....	.....	.....	14	150	418
Moruya	185	.....	.....	.....	60	244	16
Moss Vale	479	191	.....	.....	.....	423	255
Mudgee	742	250	.....	.....	.....	290	39
Mulgoa	222	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	.....
Murrumburrah	321	.....	.....	.....	90	558	67
Murrurundi	264	.....	.....	.....	.....	292	25
Musclebrook	562	187	.....	.....	.....	181	67
Narrabri	444	.....	.....	.....	3	437	51
*Narrabri, West	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narrandera...	670	.....	1,209	.....	.....	500	.....
Newcastle	7,143	1,789	.....	239	1,080	2,022	
Nowra	508	.....	420	.....	.....		
Nyngan	402	.....	249	.....			
Orange	988	248	701				
Orange, East	516	.....	.....				

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Other Sources.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Revenue.	Proceeds of Loans: Mortgage, Debenture, or Bond.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Receipts.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	
						COUNTRY—*continued.*
43	.....	4,445	.....	.....	4,445	Granville.
12	40	629	.....	3	632	Grenfell.
139	.....	885	.....	.....	885	Greta.
47	.....	652	.....	21	673	Gulgong.
.....	.....	493	.....	.....	493	Gundagai.
11	.....	605	.....	.....	605	Gunnedah.
64	.....	3,218	.....	646	3,864	Hamilton.
91	2	2,980	.....	120	3,100	Hay.
.....	.....	168	.....	.....	168	Hill End.
69	.....	870	.....	.....	870	Hillston.
153	1	1,882	.....	.....	1,882	Illawarra, Central.
2	.....	611	2,000	.....	2,611	Illawarra, North.
84	.....	1,457	.....	.....	1,457	Inverell.
14	.....	965	.....	.....	965	Jamberoo.
165	44	1,347	.....	201	1,548	Jerilderie.
15	25	1,667	.....	16	1,683	Junee.
25	.....	1,575	.....	90	1,665	Katoomba.
356	.....	1,565	.....	.....	1,565	Kempsey.
84	.....	1,010	.....	23	1,033	Kiama.
621	.....	1,366	.....	.....	1,366	Lambton.
83	.....	1,038	400	1,085	2,523	Lambton, New.
1,917	.....	5,751	.....	48	5,799	Lismore.
528	.....	2,511	.....	7	2,518	Lithgow.
908	3	2,494	.....	465	2,959	Liverpool.
7	.....	422	.....	23	445	Maclean.
1,510	.....	4,060	.....	.....	4,060	Maitland, East.
1,789	.....	7,090	.....	.....	7,090	Maitland, West.
23	.....	1,687	1,000	42	2,729	Merewether.
5	.....	868	1,600	42	2,510	Mittagong.
49	6	1,437	.....	26	1,463	Moama.
539	.....	1,330	.....	2	1,332	Molong.
59	3	1,537	.....	214	1,751	Moree.
36	.....	951	.....	.....	951	Morpeth.
2	.....	507	.....	.....	507	Moruya.
38	.....	1,388	.....	.....	1,388	Moss Vale.
361	.....	1,693	.....	.....	1,693	Mudgee.
.....	.....	257	.....	.....	257	Mulgoa.
21	.....	1,057	.....	.....	1,057	Murrumburrah.
4	.....	585	.....	.....	585	Murrurundi.
604	6	1,607	.....	5	1,612	Musclebrook.
157	11	1,210	.....	1	1,211	Narrabri.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*Narrabri, West.
92	.....	2,472	8,440	200	11,112	Narrandera.
	19	18,246	.....	.....	18,246	Newcastle.
	.....	1,633	.....	.....	1,633	Nowra.
	1	1,079	.....	.....	1,079	Nyngan.
		6,826	.....	808	7,634	Orange.
		961	.....	.....	961	Orange, East.

No. 7.—Receipts of Municipal

Borough or Municipal District.	Revenue.							
	Rates.					From Government.		
	General.	Lighting.	Water.	Other.	Nuisances Prevention Charges.	Endowments, and Grants other than those for Roads and Bridges.	Grants, Roads and Bridges.	Sel tic W
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
COUNTRY—*continued.*								
Parkes	632	4	178	.....	.....	301	178	.
Parramatta...	3,272	823	2,203	88	1,620	503	29	.
Peak Hill	239	.....	.....	.....	.....	291	37	.
Penrith	905	209	329	.....	.....	.....	68	.
Picton	283	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.
Plattsburg	753	228	.....	.....	364	208	6	
Port Macquarie	206	.....	.....	.....	.....	140	50	.
Prospect and Sherwood ...	911	145	.....	.....	.....	234	.....	.
Queanbeyan	246	91	.....	.....	.....	177	114	.
Quirindi	434	.....	.....	.....	179	305	25	.
Raymond Terrace	212	.....	.....	.....	.....	169	21	
Richmond	374	.....	.....	.....	.....	94	6	.
Rookwood	657	.....	.....	.....	.....	797	119	.
Scone	244	.....	.....	.....	.....	241	46	.
Shellharbour	502	.....	.....	.....	.....	233	62	.
Shoalhaven, South... ...	529	.....	.....	.....	.....	130	400	.
Silverton	172	.....	.....	.....	.....	137	.....	.
Singleton	663	221	.....	.....	.....	260	22	.
Singleton, South	270	68	.....	.....	.....	186	12	.
Smithfield and Fairfield ...	427	.....	.....	.....	.....	281	96	.
St. Mary's	133	.....	.....	.....	.....	389	.....	.
Stockton	738	.....	.....	.....	342	768	.....	.
Tamworth	1,664	693	.....	141	.....	448	412	.
Taree	251	.....	.....	.....	.....	152	.....	.
Temora	198	.....	.....	.....	.....	347	355	
Tenterfield	642	.....	.....	.....	.....	199	255	
Tumut	430	.....	.....	.....	52	313	36	.
Ulladulla	718	.....	.....	.....	.....	186	569	.
Ulmarra	401	.....	.....	.....	.....	125	133	.
Uralla	190	43	.....	.....	.....	120	52	.
Wagga Wagga	2,118	689	2,168	63	689	649	30	.
Walcha	160	26	.....	.....	.....	224	93	
Wallendbeen	455	.....	.....	.....	.....	517	382	.
Wallsend	636	220	.....	.....	.....	304	29	
Waratah	990	486	.....	.....	.....	246	7	
Warren	271	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.
Wellington...	495	.....	.....	.....	.....	160	31	.
Wentworth...	162	.....	424	.....	138	48	80	.
Wickham	1,935	473	.....	.....	729	620	83	
Wilcannia	382	.....	597	.....	189	303	.....	.
Windsor	350	87	287	.....	.....	148	507	
Wingham	83	.....	.....	.....	.....	38	63	
Wollongong	1,090	338	.....	.....	163	256	139	
Yass...	666	292	.....	.....	29	192		
Young	953	476	.....	.....	317	519		
Total Country ...	104,676	18,342	24,296	932	16,991			
„ Metropolitan ...	276,172	36,202	1,506	1,283	2[illegible]			
Grand Total	380,848	54,544	25,80[illegible]					

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Other Sources.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Revenue.	Proceeds of Loans: Mortgage, Debenture, or Bond.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Receipts.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	
						COUNTRY—*continued.*
127	.....	1,470	.....	51	1,521	Parkes.
3,053	71	11,662	.....	211	11,873	Parramatta.
1	.....	568	.....	.....	568	Peak Hill.
1,047	.....	2,558	.....	394	2,952	Penrith.
.....	.....	283	.....	.....	283	Picton.
429	3	2,018	.....	.....	2,018	Plattsburg.
18	.....	414	.....	.....	414	Port Macquarie.
25	.....	1,315	.....	.....	1,315	Prospect and Sherwood.
6	.....	634	.....	5	639	Queanbeyan.
26	.....	969	.....	15	984	Quirindi.
59	.....	649	.....	.....	649	Raymond Terrace.
40	.....	514	900	306	1,720	Richmond.
16	.....	1,589	.....	14	1,603	Rookwood.
51	1	583	.....	.....	583	Scone.
18	.....	815	1,000	325	2,140	Shellharbour.
1	.....	1,066	.....	.....	1,066	Shoalhaven, South.
64	.....	373	.....	8	381	Silverton.
94	6	1,271	.....	.....	1,271	Singleton.
24	.....	560	.....	.....	560	Singleton, South.
2	.....	806	.....	.....	806	Smithfield and Fairfield.
19	.....	555	.....	1	556	St. Mary's.
22	.....	1,870	.....	467	2,337	Stockton.
400	.....	3,832	.....	500	4,332	Tamworth.
1	.....	404	.....	.....	404	Taree.
27	9	1,052	.....	4	1,056	Temora.
48	.....	1,146	.....	.....	1,146	Tenterfield.
13	2	858	.....	40	898	Tumut.
9	7	1,489	.....	.....	1,489	Ulladulla.
23	.....	682	.....	.....	682	Ulmarra.
4	2	411	.....	.....	411	Uralla.
3,150	429	9,992	.....	706	10,698	Wagga Wagga.
4	.....	518	.....	.....	518	Walcha.
5	.....	1,359	.....	.....	1,359	Wallendbeen.
20	6	1,365	.....	2	1,367	Wallsend.
1,209	14	3,012	2,000	94	5,106	Waratah.
7	.....	278	.....	.....	278	Warren.
10	.....	696	.....	.....	696	Wellington.
150	7	1,009	.....	.....	1,009	Wentworth.
64	.....	3,928	7,900	402	12,230	Wickham.
409	23	1,903	.....	.....	1,903	Wilcannia.
39	.....	1,418	.....	.....	1,418	Windsor.
1	.....	250	.....	.....	250	Wingham.
165	.....	2,251	8,000	242	10,493	Wollongong.
526	.....	1,849	.....	.....	1,849	Yass.
1,367	239	3,961	.....	1	3,962	Young.
51,398	1,859	291,315	38,576	15,879	345,770	Total Country.
57,294	1,187	453,691	55,891	132,156	641,738	„ Metropolitan.
108,692	3,046	745,006	94,467	148,035	987,508	Grand Total.

No. 8.—Disbursements of Municipal

Borough or Municipal District.	Works, Services, and Improvements.				Interest on Loans and Overdrafts.	Payments to Sinking Funds.	Expe Sa C Ex
	General.	Lighting.	Water.	Other.			
METROPOLITAN—	£	£	£	£	£	£	
*Sydney	152,984	13,602	.....	.....	55,767	10,350	1
Suburbs—							
Alexandria	1,366	786	.....	204	939	.....	
Annandale	1,991	588	.....	741	637	.....	
Ashfield	7,215	1,477	.....	1,901	1,165	.....	
Balmain	6,906	2,577	.....	2,697	4,220	.....	
Botany	836	175	.....	.....	275	.....	
Botany, North	839	.....	.....	.....	239	.....	
Burwood	2,088	1,285	.....	40	1,569	.....	
Camperdown	1,084	479	.....	50	1,235	.....	
Canterbury	932	299	.....	202	486	.....	
Concord	815	.....	.....	.....	186	.....	
Darlington	1,161	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Drummoyne	592	325	.....	296	323	.....	
Enfield	491	377	.....	.....	226	.....	
Erskineville	780	447	.....	121	584	.....	
Five Dock	333	154	.....	84	361	.....	
Glebe	4,081	1,772	.....	1,506	2,321	.....	
Hunter's Hill	597	794	.....	497	558	.....	
Hurstville	1,810	754	.....	355	351	.....	
Kogarah	2,597	447	.....	125	120	.....	
Lane Cove...	687	12	.....	.....	275	.....	
Leichhardt	2,734	1,552	.....	1,688	3,112	.....	
Manly	1,445	784	135	50	2,458	.....	
Marrickville	4,642	2,243	.....	3,105	1,790	500	
Marsfield	46	.....	.....	450	33	10	
Mosman	2,331	436	.....	185	301	.....	
Newtown	6,260	1,775	.....	251	2,324	.....	
North Sydney	3,954	2,315	.....	3,318	3,336	.....	
Paddington	4,095	2,590	.....	190	3,469	.....	
Petersham...	3,854	1,521	.....	1,092	1,081	.....	
Randwick	4,903	1,254	.....	1,724	1,996	140	
Redfern	5,393	1,501	.....	931	2,058	.....	
Rockdale	1,639	794	.....	.....	1,105	.....	
Ryde	782	710	.....	296	300	.....	
St. Peters	889	592	.....	50	524	.....	
Strathfield...	1,848	720	.....	678	454	.....	
Vaucluse	715	50	.....	56	.....	.....	
Waterloo	2,150	720	.....	179	1,044	.....	
Waverley	3,566	1,084	.....	1,432	3,056	.....	
Willoughby	1,054	32	.....	.....	731	.....	
Woollahra	5,519	1,944	.....	365	520		
Total Suburbs	95,020	35,365	135	24,859	41		
Total Metropolitan ...	248,004	48,967	135	2			

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ellaneous.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Expenditure.	Repayments of Loans.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Disbursements.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	METROPOLITAN—
11,368	.....	256,637	.....	72,754	329,391	*Sydney.
						Suburbs—
301	.....	3,990	5,000	186	9,176	Alexandria.
413	.....	4,838	.....	.....	4,838	Annandale.
717	.....	13,230	.....	.....	13,230	Ashfield.
918	.....	18,808	.....	.....	18,808	Balmain.
174	.....	1,785	.....	900	2,685	Botany.
128	5	1,349	.....	.....	1,349	Botany, North.
1,178	.....	6,754	.....	5	6,759	Burwood.
208	.....	3,384	.....	150	3,534	Camperdown.
266	.....	2,447	7,000	230	9,677	Canterbury.
186	.....	1,561	.....	998	2,559	Concord.
84	.....	1,417	.....	.....	1,417	Darlington.
291	.....	2,038	.....	.....	2,038	Drummoyne.
381	15	1,867	4,000	47	5,914	Enfield.
225	.....	2,516	.....	60	2,576	Erskineville.
80	.....	1,094	.....	.....	1,094	Five Dock.
1,095	.....	11,634	17,500	.....	29,134	Glebe.
90	.....	2,779	2,000	.....	4,779	Hunter's Hill.
746	3	4,368	.....	24	4,392	Hurstville.
282	.....	3,890	.....	.....	3,890	Kogarah.
439	.....	1,532	.....	.....	1,532	Lane Cove.
533	126	10,793	500	.....	11,293	Leichhardt.
327	15	6,045	.....	.....	6,045	Manly.
484	.....	13,470	.....	55	13,525	Marrickville.
47	.....	653	.....	.....	653	Marsfield.
215	.....	3,805	.....	16	3,821	Mosman.
531	.....	11,775	.....	249	12,024	Newtown.
949	12	15,471	2,000	836	18,307	North Sydney.
985	10	12,576	5,500	600	18,676	Paddington.
545	.....	8,742	4,000	.....	12,742	Petersham.
586	3	11,415	.....	202	11,617	Randwick.
1,120	.....	12,409	10,000	2,047	24,456	Redfern.
270	.....	4,077	.....	25	4,102	Rockdale.
107	10	2,545	.....	.....	2,545	Ryde.
410	.....	2,671	.....	24	2,695	St. Peters.
127	.....	4,926	1,000	633	6,559	Strathfield.
84	.....	953	.....	750	1,703	Vaucluse.
321	9	4,824	.....	.....	4,824	Waterloo.
534	4	10,554	.....	271	10,825	Waverley.
270	45	2,407	.....	.....	2,407	Willoughby.
1,792	1	12,212	.....	.....	12,212	Woollahra.
	258	243,604	58,500	8,308	310,412	Total Suburbs.
	258	500,241	58,500	81,062	639,803	Total Metropolitan.

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No. 8.—Disbursements of Municipalit

Borough or Municipal District.	Expenditur						
	Works, Services, and Improvements.				Interest on Loans and Overdrafts.	Payments to Sinking Funds.	Sala an Off Expe
	General.	Lighting.	Water.	Other.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	
COUNTRY—							
Aberdeen	135	.....	.....	73	1	.....	
Adamstown	673	.....	.....	270	180	.....	
Albury	1,729	609	727	1,048	10	.....	
Armidale	844	560	.....	386	490	.....	
Auburn	2,287	.....	.....	120	175	.....	
Ballina	1,667	.....	.....	287	125	.....	
Balranald	290	.....	295	26	2	.....	
Bankstown	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Bathurst	2,482	4,399	784	820	1,418	.....	1,
Bega	459	627	.....	326	534	.....	
Berry	1,539	.....	.....	145	87	.....	
Bingara	182	.....	.....	47	.....	.....	
Blayney	261	.....	.....	147	177	.....	
Bombala	211	65	.....	56	60	.....	
Bourke	804	.....	1,280	567	534	.....	
Bowral	1,146	258	.....	179	300	.....	
Braidwood...	375	.....	.....	213	85	.....	
Broken Hill	9,300	.....	.....	2,450	606	.....	1,
Broughton Vale	241	.....	.....	50	2	.....	
Burrowa	351	.....	.....	210	.....	.....	
Cabramatta and Canley Vale ..	160	.....	.....	203	.....	.....	
Camden	629	.....	.....	280	58	.....	
Campbelltown	283	83	.....	20	84	.....	
Carcoar	85	.....	.....	3	1	.....	
Carrington...	739	.....	.....	314	271	158	
Casino	192	.....	.....	503	243	.....	
Castlereagh	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Cobar	94	117	.....	79	15	.....	
Condobolin	718	60	.....	249	.....	.....	
Cooma	456	131	.....	197	7	.....	
Coonamble	349	108	33	494	64	.....	
Cootamundra	659	423	.....	79	316	.....	
Coraki	309	.....	.....	57	1	.....	
Cowra	953	102	.....	212	19	.....	
Cudal	253	.....	.....	18	.....	.....	
Cudgegong	803	.....	.....	94	143	.....	
Deniliquin...	1,454	.....	1,238	1,191	192	.....	
Dubbo	888	1,356	349	610	952	.....	
Dundas	599	.....	.....	114	.....	.....	
Dungog	487	.....	.....	183	.....	.....	
Ermington and Rydalmere	220	.....	.....	65	11	.....	
Forbes	1,108	.....	448	548	138	.....	
Gerringong	696	.....	.....	232	3	.....	
Glen Innes	484	323	.....	572	811	[illegible]	
Gosford	272	.....	.....	108	-		
Goulburn	3,904	854	4,048				
Grafton	834	383	.....				
Granville	1,340	743	.....				
Grenfell	295	.....	...				

ended 3rd February, 1896—*continued.*

laneous.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Expenditure.	Repayments of Loans.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Disbursements.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	
						COUNTRY—
59	.....	361	.....	.....	361	Aberdeen.
68	.....	1,311	.....	.....	1,311	Adamstown.
582	17	5,365	.....	.....	5,365	Albury.
249	4	2,837	.....	28	2,865	Armidale.
210	.....	3,168	.....	31	3,199	Auburn.
193	.....	2,458	500	.....	2,958	Ballina.
113	3	848	.....	194	1,042	Balranald.
107	.....	130	.....	.....	130	Bankstown.
302	296	12,001	.....	829	12,830	Bathurst.
189	.....	2,375	.....	239	2,614	Bega.
150	.....	2,001	200	500	2,701	Berry.
33	.....	385	.....	.....	385	Bingara.
...	.....	725	.....	180	905	Blayney.
54	.....	561	.....	.....	561	Bombala.
192	.....	4,184	.....	62	4,246	Bourke.
60	.....	2,126	.....	.....	2,126	Bowral.
69	2	870	2,000	148	3,018	Braidwood.
1,683	278	16,290	2,800	728	19,818	Broken Hill.
18	.....	345	.....	.....	345	Broughton Vale.
72	.....	794	.....	.....	794	Burrowa.
47	.....	465	.....	13	478	Cabramatta and Canley Vale.
68	.....	1,148	1,000	204	2,352	Camden.
45	.....	720	.....	.....	720	Campbelltown.
33	.....	185	.....	.....	185	Carcoar.
105	5	1,852	.....	.....	1,852	Carrington.
105	.....	1,222	.....	5	1,227	Casino.
8	.....	26	.....	.....	26	Castlereagh.
93	.....	535	.....	23	558	Cobar.
101	.....	1,238	.....	6	1,244	Condobolin.
132	.....	1,113	.....	28	1,141	Cooma.
101	.....	1,408	.....	5	1,413	Coonamble.
189	.....	2,034	.....	503	2,537	Cootamundra.
41	.....	477	.....	84	561	Coraki.
97	.....	1,584	.....	.....	1,584	Cowra.
48	.....	375	.....	.....	375	Cudal.
92	.....	1,309	.....	79	1,388	Cudgegong.
148	.....	4,909	.....	461	5,370	Deniliquin.
242	.....	5,221	.....	1,060	6,281	Dubbo.
57	.....	923	.....	43	966	Dundas.
109	.....	883	.....	.....	883	Dungog.
60	.....	562	.....	10	572	Ermington and Rydalmere.
147	.....	3,113	.....	292	3,405	Forbes.
37	.....	1,045	.....	.....	1,045	Gerringong.
179	104	2,944	.....	24	2,968	Glen Innes.
30	25	523	.....	2	525	Gosford.
731	108	11,844	.....	329	12,173	Goulburn.
260	.....	2,284	.....	148	2,432	Grafton.
243	.....	4,403	.....	.....	4,403	Granville.
59	1	542	.....	67	609	Grenfell.

No. 8.—Disbursements of Municipal

Borough or Municipal District.	Expendit						
	Works, Services, and Improvements.				Interest on Loans and Overdrafts.	Payments to Sinking Funds.	Su of Exp
	General.	Lighting.	Water.	Other.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	
COUNTRY—*continued.*							
Greta	664	.....	.....	37	4	.....	
Gulgong	52	.....	.....	220	178	.....	
Gundagai	61	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	
Gunnedah	112	.....	.....	32	99	.....	
Hamilton	571	500	.....	483	499	500	
Hay	765	189	812	212	185	.....	
Hill End	89	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Hillston	442	.....	.....	273	.....	.....	
Illawarra, Central ...	1,068	.....	.....	50	407	.....	
Illawarra, North	310	.....	.....	.....	152	.....	
Inverell	497	.....	.....	377	300	50	
Jamberoo	150	.....	.....	213	117	.....	
Jerilderie	553	.....	390	257	20	.....	
Junee	915	55	.....	129	4	.....	
Katoomba	473	58	.....	567	300	.....	
Kempsey	702	113	.....	239	16	.....	
Kiama	206	157	.....	.....	225	.....	
Lambton	169	344	.....	98	1,006	.....	
Lambton, New	440	.....	.....	144	63	450	
Lismore	1,034	811	883	1,195	732	.....	
Lithgow	344	608	.....	120	370	.....	
Liverpool	467	270	.....	34	744	.....	
Maclean	210	52	.....	38	26	.....	
Maitland, East	637	913	.....	835	332	.....	
Maitland, West	2,194	1,000	.....	790	1,094	.....	
Merewether	667	.....	.....	93	385	.....	
Mittagong	381	110	.....	87	93	.....	
Moama	663	.....	53	152	3	.....	
Molong	7	304	.....	220	314	.....	
Moree	339	.....	.....	192	40	.....	
Morpeth	175	.....	.....	543	10	.....	
Moruya	176	.....	.....	93	.....	.....	
Moss Vale	648	252	.....	255	204	.....	
Mudgee	426	240	110	102	300	.....	
Mulgoa	46	.....	.....	.....	41	.....	
Murrumburrah	341	.....	.....	152	120	.....	
Murrurundi	303	.....	.....	70	30	.....	
Musclebrook	472	1,002	.....	91	290	.....	
Narrabri	622	.....	.....	51	210	.....	
*Narrabri, West	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Narrandera	815	.....	897	72	196	.....	
Newcastle	7,253	1,831	.....	1,305	2,791	1,000	
Nowra	545	.....	4	367	37	.....	
Nyngan	338	.....	71	.....	.....	.....	
Orange	603	1,419	724	842	1,905	.....	
Orange, East	654	.....	.....	68	.....	.....	
Parkes	655	37	251	258	2	.....	
Parramatta	1,061	868	1,996	1,236	3,453	.....	

* New Municipality—no disbursements.

ır ended 3rd February, 1896—*continued.*

ellaneous.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Expenditure.	Repayments of Loans.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Disbursements.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	
						COUNTRY—*continued.*
73	.....	890	.....	.....	890	Greta.
47	.....	646	.....	.....	646	Gulgong.
193	.....	511	.....	.....	511	Gundagai.
37	33	432	.....	.....	432	Gunnedah.
131	.....	3,163	.....	157	3,320	Hamilton.
323	.....	2,960	.....	20	2,980	Hay.
16	.....	159	.....	.....	159	Hill End.
62	.....	1,027	.....	.....	1,027	Hillston.
108	.....	1,834	.....	536	2,370	Illawarra, Central.
35	.....	655	2,000	.....	2,655	Illawarra, North.
81	.....	1,557	.....	9	1,566	Inverell.
38	.....	630	.....	.....	630	Jamberoo.
220	.....	1,728	.....	177	1,905	Jerilderie.
178	.....	1,543	.....	16	1,559	Junee.
105	.....	1,703	.....	87	1,790	Katoomba.
114	.....	1,359	.....	.....	1,359	Kempsey.
254	.....	907	100	23	1,030	Kiama.
137	.....	2,047	.....	2	2,049	Lambton.
87	.....	1,350	1,000	.....	2,350	Lambton, New.
494	.....	5,883	.....	48	5,931	Lismore.
355	.....	2,083	.....	110	2,193	Lithgow.
264	.....	2,253	.....	460	2,713	Liverpool.
64	15	493	.....	23	516	Maclean.
218	.....	3,476	.....	.....	3,476	Maitland, East.
446	.....	6,428	1,000	.....	7,428	Maitland, West.
104	.....	1,406	1,000	335	2,741	Merewether.
106	.....	863	1,000	42	1,905	Mittagong.
123	.....	1,347	.....	26	1,373	Moama.
128	.....	1,263	.....	.....	1,263	Molong.
134	30	930	500	53	1,483	Moree.
33	.....	867	.....	.....	867	Morpeth.
76	.....	459	.....	.....	459	Moruya.
126	.....	1,623	.....	.....	1,623	Moss Vale.
183	.....	1,558	.....	17	1,575	Mudgee.
59	.....	221	.....	.....	221	Mulgoa.
82	.....	840	.....	10	850	Murrumburrah.
28	.....	561	.....	.....	561	Murrurundi.
53	3	2,398	.....	.....	2,398	Musclebrook.
166	.....	1,213	.....	3	1,216	Narrabri.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*Narrabri, West.
246	.....	2,749	7,750	200	10,699	Narrandera.
2,569	2	18,749	.....	.....	18,749	Newcastle.
96	.....	1,343	.....	.....	1,343	Nowra.
113	.....	786	.....	.....	786	Nyngan.
513	.....	7,095	477	985	8,557	Orange.
113	.....	964	.....	.....	964	Orange, East.
183	.....	1,699	.....	49	1,748	Parkes.
379	.....	9,996	.....	201	10,197	Parramatta.

No. 8.—Disbursements of Municipalities

Borough or Municipal District.	Expenditure.						
	Works, Services, and Improvements.				Interest on Loans and Overdrafts.	Payments to Sinking Funds.	Salaries and Office Expenses
	General.	Lighting.	Water.	Other.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COUNTRY—*continued.*							
Peak Hill	83	.....	.....	243	1	.....	73
Penrith	286	1,013	308	79	603	.....	189
Picton	72	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11
Plattsburg	505	321	.....	394	165	.....	163
Port Macquarie	198	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	44
Prospect and Sherwood ...	483	127	.....	15	318	.....	142
Queanbeyan	80	73	.....	135	81	.....	95
Quirindi	410	.....	.....	189	36	.....	122
Raymond Terrace... ...	440	.....	.....	78	115	.....	51
Richmond	219	.....	.....	13	77	.....	130
Rookwood	800	.....	.....	133	3	.....	159
Scone	207	.....	.....	59	63	.....	111
Shellharbour	539	.....	.....	74	24	.....	86
Shoalhaven, South ...	504	.....	.....	400	1	.....	104
Silverton	259	.....	.....	77	1	.....	86
Singleton	374	318	83	89	57	.....	196
Singleton, South	202	54	.....	12	103	.....	91
Smithfield and Fairfield ...	388	.....	.....	96	.....	.....	116
St. Mary's...	570	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	118
Stockton	854	.....	.....	362	274	128	187
Tamworth	1,186	480	.....	709	291	.....	717
Taree	158	.....	.....	.....	22	.....	74
Temora	371	.....	.....	355	.....	.....	182
Tenterfield...	434	.....	.....	318	60	.....	210
Tumut	574	.....	.....	122	26	.....	192
Ulladulla	413	.....	.....	466	145	.....	229
Ulmarra	219	.....	.....	133	21	.....	73
Uralla	123	40	.....	77	11	.....	45
Wagga Wagga	1,276	1,440	1,695	1,289	911	.....	1,066
Walcha	227	50	.....	93	58	.....	94
Wallendbeen	670	.....	.....	382	.....	.....	94
Wallsend	848	260	.....	29	37	.....	234
Waratah	675	615	.....	32	1,058	.....	334
Warren	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16
Wellington	224	.....	.....	75	3	.....	132
Wentworth	210	.....	263	99	.....	.....	343
Wickham	511	600	.....	936	1,154	139	305
Wilcannia	295	.....	617	377	.....	.....	597
Windsor	410	114	185	507	375	.....	101
Wingham	101	.....	.....	128	.....	.....	66
Wollongong	694	279	.....	127	530	.....	23[illegible]
Yass	124	306	.....	204	491	.....	4[illegible]
Young	559	1,234	.....	254	867	250	[illegible]
Total Country	92,334	29,658	18,544	37,181	35,334	2,7[illegible]	
„ Metropolitan ...	248,004	48,967	135	24,859	101,520		
Grand Total	340,338	78,625	18,679	62,04[illegible]			

ar ended 3rd February, 1896—*continued.*

ellaneous.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Expenditure.	Repayments of Loans.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Disbursements.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	
						COUNTRY—*continued.*
65	.....	465	.....	.....	465	Peak Hill.
21	.....	2,499	.....	371	2,870	Penrith.
57	.....	140	.....	.....	140	Picton.
383	.....	1,931	.....	.....	1,931	Plattsburg.
43	.....	335	.....	.....	335	Port Macquarie.
105	.....	1,190	.....	.....	1,190	Prospect and Sherwood.
50	.....	514	200	5	719	Queanbeyan.
50	.....	807	.....	15	822	Quirindi.
64	.....	748	.....	.....	748	Raymond Terrace.
30	.....	469	1,200	.....	1,669	Richmond.
215	.....	1,310	.....	10	1,320	Rookwood.
33	.....	473	.....	.....	473	Scone.
60	.....	783	.....	325	1,108	Shellharbour.
62	.....	1,071	.....	.....	1,071	Shoalhaven, South.
43	.....	466	.....	8	474	Silverton.
137	.....	1,254	.....	.....	1,254	Singleton.
40	.....	502	.....	.....	502	Singleton, South.
140	.....	740	.....	.....	740	Smithfield and Fairfield.
62	.....	750	.....	1	751	St. Mary's.
201	12	2,018	.....	94	2,112	Stockton.
190	.....	3,573	.....	500	4,073	Tamworth.
38	.....	292	.....	50	342	Taree.
107	.....	1,015	.....	.....	1,015	Temora.
144	14	1,180	.....	.....	1,180	Tenterfield.
109	.....	1,023	.....	18	1,041	Tumut.
78	.....	1,331	.....	.....	1,331	Ulladulla.
68	5	519	.....	.....	519	Ulmarra.
31	.....	327	.....	.....	327	Uralla.
920	367	8,964	.....	1,703	10,667	Wagga Wagga.
58	.....	580	.....	18	598	Walcha.
59	7	1,212	.....	.....	1,212	Wallendbeen.
119	.....	1,527	.....	2	1,529	Wallsend.
197	122	3,033	2,000	121	5,154	Waratah.
91	.....	108	.....	.....	108	Warren.
62	.....	496	.....	.....	496	Wellington.
97	.....	1,012	.....	.....	1,012	Wentworth.
310	2	3,957	4,900	426	9,283	Wickham.
155	.....	2,041	.....	.....	2,041	Wilcannia.
63	.....	1,755	.....	.....	1,755	Windsor.
27	.....	322	.....	.....	322	Wingham.
91	.....	1,960	8,000	242	10,202	Wollongong.
62	70	1,700	.....	10	1,710	Yass.
154	.....	3,753	.....	233	3,986	Young.
34	1,525	278,814	37,627	14,066	330,507	Total Country.
	258	500,241	58,500	81,062	639,803	„ Metropolitan.
	33	779,055	96,127	95,128	970,310	Grand Total.

No. 9.—Assets and Liabiliti

Borough or Municipal District.	Cash Assets.							* Assets.	
	Outstanding Rates and Nuisances Prevention Charges.	Government Endowment accrued.	Sundry Accounts due.	Bank. Sinking Funds.	Bank. Fixed Deposits.	Bank. Balances of Current Accounts.	Cash in hand.	†Lands, Buildings, Sewerage, &c.	Not Reve producin
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
METROPOLITAN—									
‡‡Sydney	13,298	.....	§§	208,154	50,000	11,415	...	1,634,478	
Suburbs:—									
Alexandria	1,053	323	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	3,200	
Annandale	917	.....	11	.....	.....	66	21	2,334	
Ashfield	§5,474	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	13,794	
Balmain	11,060	.....	.....	1,443	.....	31	26	29,914	
Botany	895	269	.....	.....	900	120	7	.....	
Botany, North ...	1,826	161	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	2,360	
Burwood	855	.....	.....	.....	.....	53	5	3,820	
Camperdown	1,438	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	87	10,640	
Canterbury	3,602	.....	.....	.....	.....	763	4	2,800	
Concord	800	61	.....	.....	948	26	...	600	
Darlington	157	.....	.....	.....	.....	129	...	2,000	
Drummoyne	1,200	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	
Enfield	1,505	148	.....	.....	70	.....	4	.....	
Erskineville	756	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	1,000	
Five Dock	§490	§88	**2,300	.....	.....	18	11	1,200	
Glebe	1,054	697	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	23,373	
Hunter's Hill... ...	612	.....	19	.....	.....	209	52	3,075	
Hurstville	2,519	659	.....	578	.....	3,736	...	2,000	
Kogarah	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	
Lane Cove	1,605	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	54	
Leichhardt	2,248	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	68	12,720	
Manly	2,318	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,343	2	5,400	
Marrickville	2,318	.....	.....	500	550	334	...	3,500	
Marsfield	125	.....	.....	10	.....	116	...	.....	
Mosman	2,315	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	...	.....	
Newtown	3,108	2,048	5	.....	.....	.....	1	6,600	
North Sydney ...	5,959	.....	¶7,684	756	.....	2,386	54	8,160	
Paddington	2,419	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,967	4	18,720	
Petersham	857	.....	196	.....	.....	870	...	7,300	
Randwick	4,280	.....	642	140	.....	22	...	8,800	
Redfern	554	.....	50	.....	.....	908	...	5,200	
Rockdale	4,882	.....	.....	.....	.....	434	...	3,364	
Ryde	2,727	.....	‖500	.....	.....	143	16	500	
St. Peter's	1,958	.....	4	.....	.....	197	2	1,600	
Strathfield	878	99	26	.....	.....	42	2	3,436	
Vaucluse	413	.....	.....	.....	750	368	...	.....	
Waterloo	1,006	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	8,000	
Waverley	4,753	598	51	.....	.....	976	7	7,030	
Willoughby	3,180	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	...	[illegible]	
Woollahra	940	.....	.....	820	.....	.....	3	[illegible]	
Total Suburbs ...	87,056	5,151	11,516	4,247	3,218	16,296			
Total Metropolitan...	100,354	5,151	11,516	212,401	53,218				

* Roads and streets not included; estimated value of these (without [illegible]
August, 1896. ‖ Owing by Marsfield to Ryde. ¶ Including £[illegible]
NOTE.—In most cases the assets and [illegible]

ipalities, 3rd February, 1896.

	Revenue-bringing Works.			Liabilities.					
					Bank Overdrafts.				
orks.	Gasworks and Electric Lighting Plant.	Cattle Sale-yards.	Wharfs.	Current Loans.	Secured by Mortgage, &c.	Unsecured, including unpresented cheques.	Outstanding Accounts and Amounts due on Contracts.	Annual Payment to Government for Water-works. ††	Rate of Interest on Overdrafts.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	per cent.
.	.....	77,980	410,000	1,260,000	.....	41,958	§§	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	17,000	.....	192	26	.....	...
.	.....	.....	200	11,875	.....	147	.....	.....	8
.	.....	.....	.....	15,300	.....	2,094		.....	7
.	.....	.....	3,000	63,000	.....	6,742	688	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	5,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
.	.....	.....	.....	4,500	.....	77	.....	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	25,000	.....	.....	20	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	17,000	.....	4,613	781	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	9,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
.	.....	.....	300	3,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
.	.....	.....	1,000	5,000	.....	116	‡2,332	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	4,000	.....	245	.....	.....	6
.	.....	.....	.....	10,000	.....	457	370	.....	7
.	.....	.....	.....	5,200	852	.....	§787	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	37,500	.....	1,601	622	.....	...
.	.....	.....	3,000	9,000	.....	.....	185	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	6,000	.....	3,731	50	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,415	.....	.....	...
.	.....	.....	350	4,933	.....	189	60	.....	...
.	.....	.....	300	40,625	.....	3	.....	.....	...
820	.....	.....	.....	16,000	.....	53	.....	1,368	...
.	.....	.....	.....	30,000	.....	222	.....	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	‖500	.....	...
.	.....	.....	30	3,000	.....	.....	¶3,385	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	36,000	.....	463	583	.....	...
.	.....	.....	500	63,150	.....	.....	673	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	69,400	.....	.....	50	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	18,500	.....	67	.....	.....	6
.	.....	.....	.....	29,000	.....	1,001	570	.....	...
.	19,000	.....	.....	38,900	.....	.....	436	.....	...
.	.....	... ..	.....	16,000	.....	2,405	.....	.....	...
.	.....	.....	1,250	6,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	10,000	.....	.....	146	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	6,500	.....	.....	440	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	17,000	.....	78	368	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	50,000	.....	.....	897	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	15,000	.....	206	5	.....	...
.	.....	.....	600	10,000	.....	1,450	282	.....	...
	19,000	.....	10,530	727,383	852	27,567	14,276	1,368	...
		77,980	420,530	1,987,383	852	69,525	14,276	1,368	...

Parks, Houses, &c. ‡ Including £2,300 owing to Five Dock. § 3rd
a Table 18, p. 42. †† On 31st December, 1896. §§ No information.
g the dates of the Bank balances, Loans, &c.

No. 9.—Assets and Liabilities

Borough or Municipal District.	* Assets.								
	Cash Assets.							Not Revenue producing.	
	Outstanding Rates and Nuisances Prevention Charges.	Government Endowment accrued.	Sundry Accounts due.	Bank.			Cash in hand.	†Lands, Buildings, Sewerage, &c.	Wo Pl Fu tur St
				Sinking Funds.	Fixed Deposits.	Balances of Current Accounts.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
COUNTRY—									
Aberdeen	35	229	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	
Adamstown	214	74	.....	.....	.....	1	...	475	
Albury	4,751	.....	9	.....	1,800	2,920	...	800	
Armidale	‡2,556	.....	§387	.....	.....	59	...	‡6,100	
Auburn	1,499	242	.....	.....	.....	168	...	.....	
Ballina	141	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	...	150	
Balranald	355	.....	.....	.....	.....	160	7	.....	
Bankstown	150	41	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	
Bathurst	1,312	.....	969	.....	.....	6,272	...	6,000	1
Bega	1,717	69	711	.....	.....	2	76	.....	
Berry	279	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	...	.....	
Bingara	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	181	...	70	
Blayney	22	54	.....	.....	.....	98	5	2,600	
Bombala	600	84	.....	.....	.....	28	8	.....	
Bourke	2,828	.....	.....	.....	.....	690	16	1,950	
Bowral	‡711	250	‡14	.....	.....	.....	1	1,600	
Braidwood	12	173	.....	100	.....	28	1	280	
Broken Hill	5,429	1,363	50	.....	.....	2,028	264	15,750	
Broughton Vale ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	
Burrowa	82	79	.....	.....	.....	398	40	.....	
Cabramatta and Canley Vale...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	...	.....	
Camden	290	115	.....	.....	150	.....	...	.....	
Campbelltown ...	§400	31	§10	.....	.....	55	17	§2,000	§
Carcoar	113	.....	.....	.....	.....	21	...	.....	
Carrington	275	.....	.....	651	.....	53	...	1,600	
Casino	‡575	.....	¶	.....	.....	12	3	3,750	
Castlereagh	48	26	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	
Cobar	‡1,264	50	¶	.....	.....	17	...	129	
Condobolin	203	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	...	150	
Cooma...	264	.....	.....	.....	.....	26	...	50	
Coonamble	§228	.....	§333	.....	.....	97	117	§1,000	§
Cootamundra	997	.....	.....	.....	500	536	6	2,954	
Coraki	148	118	.....	.....	.....	45	...	.....	
Cowra	324	198	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	
Cudal	10	70	.....	.....	.....	45	...	150	
Cudgegong	‡1,412	.....	¶	.....	.....	248	...	3,000	
Deniliquin	3,479	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,061	52	3,550	
Dubbo	‡1,694	.....	‡105	.....	.....	231	6	1,055	
Dundas	305	110	.....	.....	.....	66	34	1,000	
Dungog	130	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	
Ermington and Rydalmere	‡274	.....	‡24	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	
Forbes	2,040	.....	.....	.....	.....	750	...	7,500	
Gerringong	121	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	130	
Glen Innes	1,455	.....	204	75	.....	725	...	4,200	
Gosford	483	14	3	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	
Goulburn	5,339	.....	94	.....	2,196	2,557	...	[illegible]	
Grafton	2,177	.....	175	.....	.....	.....	...		
Granville	3,134	205	.....	.....	.....	165			

* Roads and streets not included; estimated value of these (without [illegible] § £1[illegible]

NOTE.—In most cases the assets and liab[illegible]

palities, 3rd February, 1896—*continued.*

	Revenue-bringing Works.			Liabilities.					
					Bank Overdrafts.				
ks	Gasworks and Electric Lighting Plant.	Cattle Sale-yards.	Wharfs.	Current Loans.	Secured by Mortgage, &c.	Unsecured, including unpresented cheques.	Outstanding Accounts and Amounts due on Contracts.	Annual Payment to Government for Water-works. ††	Rate of Interest on Over-drafts.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	per cent.
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	3,000	.....	.....	130	.....	...
58	.....	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	276	1,483	...
	§12,000	.....	.....	‡18,750	.....	.....	§57	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	3,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75	217	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90	.....	.....	...
99	22,657	3,018	.....	13,500	.....	9,576	378	1,989	8
.	8,000	1,000	.....	8,000	.....	599	258	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	2,700	.....	205	.....	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,528	.....	.....	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
47	.....	.....	.....	7,500	.....	143	400	486	...
.	7,400	.....	.....	11,000	979	‖282	¶	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	1,250	.....	.....	21	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	5,000	.....	.....	150	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24	.....	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	**221	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	219	.....	.....	6
.	.....	.....	.....	§1,600	.....	.....	§35	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	4,500	.....	.....	5	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,000	776	¶	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	58	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	93	‡35	.....	8
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	20	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	.....	§26	.....	...
38	7,649	.....	.....	11,000	.....	76	.....	394	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	353	11	.....	.....	8
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	52	¶	.....	...
68	.....	150	.....	.....	3,231	.....	43	668	...
38	9,000	‡265	.....	15,000	.....	365	‡88	551	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	99	.....	.....	6
00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,308	.....	332	288	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	175	.....	.....	...
.	6,806	.....	.....	13,500	.....	.....	666	.....	...
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	78	6	.....	...
06	.....	2,000	.....	10,800	.....	1,941	.....	1,989	...
	.....	.....	.....	3,200	.....	267	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	16,200	.....	.....	538	.....	...

's of Town Hall, Parks, Houses, &c. ‡ 3rd August, 1896. § 4th February, 1895.
f dates, &c., see Table 18, p. 48.

**are also showing the dates of the Bank balances, Loans, &c.

No. 9.—Assets and Liabili

Borough or Municipal District.	* Assets.							
	Cash Assets.							Not Rev produ
	Outstanding Rates and Nuisances Prevention Charges.	Government Endowment accrued.	Sundry Accounts due.	Bank. Sinking Funds.	Bank. Fixed Deposits.	Bank. Balances of Current Accounts.	Cash in hand.	†Lands, Buildings, Sewerage, &c.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COUNTRY—*continued.*								
Grenfell	130	.....	.....	.....	.....	74	...	120
Greta	88	101	22	.....	.....	.....	5	.....
Gulgong	390	.....	.....	.....	.....	93	...	1,900
Gundagai	§519	171	‡	.....	.....	23	...	.....
Gunnedah	600	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	1,360
Hamilton	1,085	.....	.....	500	.....	206	38	1,350
Hay	964	.....	.....	.....	.....	472	10	500
Hill End	44	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	9	.....
Hillston	300	.....	12	.....	.....	33	6	.....
Illawarra, Central ...	250	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	400
Illawarra, North ...	603	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	560
Inverell	407	.....	.....	50	.....	139	13	2,545
Jamberoo	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	100
Jerilderie	§111	87	§207	.....	.....	.....	13	.....
Junee	373	214	.....	.....	.....	45	13	500
Katoomba	647	.....	3	.....	.....	129	23	900
Kempsey	1,200	104	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
Kiama	112	.....	.....	.....	.....	327	...	560
Lambton	750	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	9	310
Lambton, New ...	66	130	.....	.....	.....	186	6	812
Lismore	1,664	.....	259	.....	.....	888	29	1,900
Lithgow	2,109	234	.....	.....	68	384	10	.....
Liverpool	1,046	.....	‖342	.....	.....	293	12	1,700
Maclean	115	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	...	.....
Maitland, East ...	673	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,073	13	200
Maitland, West ...	3,401	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	9,000
Merewether	293	.....	.....	.....	300	67	3	140
Mittagong	267	41	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	1,300
Moama	184	123	.....	.....	.....	263	24	100
Molong	76	.....	7	.....	.....	155	...	650
Moree	107	.....	.....	.....	.....	497	20	.....
Morpeth	258	.....	.....	.....	.....	51	...	310
Moruya	279	73	.....	.....	.....	118	...	.....
Moss Vale	278	.....	.....	.....	700	.....	...	1,200
Mudgee	957	.....	.....	.....	.....	281	...	6,750
Mulgoa	§30	.....	‡	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
Murrumburrah ...	135	62	.....	.....	.....	621	28	890
Murrurundi	87	21	.....	.....	.....	118	...	.....
Musclebrook	77	. ....	.....	.....	.....	177	...	700
Narrabri	§124	51	§37	.....	.....	.....	1	§ 3,000
¶Narrabri, West ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....
Narrandera	1,890	.....	.....	.....	.....	792	...	1,200
Newcastle	531	.....	230	1,000	.....	1,616	...	124,000
Nowra	725	.....	68	.....	.....	382	10	.....
Nyngan	297	78	.....	.....	.....	312	5	16
Orange	1,522	.....	1,825	.....	.....	2,328	...	4,000
Orange, East	154	137	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....
Parkes...	431	.....	.....	.....	.....	131	5	1,340
Parramatta	5,123	.....	500	.....	.....	3,486	90	44,000

* Roads and streets not included ; estimated value of these (without the land) being £4,780,000. † Sour
‖ Including £221 owing by Cabramatta and Canley Vale. ¶ Ele

NOTE.—In most cases the assets and liabilities may now be

palities, 3rd February, 1896—*continued.*

	Revenue-bringing Works.			Liabilities.					
					Bank Overdrafts.				
ts.	Gasworks and Electric Lighting Plant.	Cattle Sale-yards.	Wharfs.	Current Loans.	Secured by Mortgage, &c.	Unsecured, including unpresented cheques.	Outstanding Accounts and Amounts due on Contracts.	Annual Payment to Government for Water-works. **	Rate of Interest on Overdrafts.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	per cent.
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	58	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	2,700	.....	.....	‡	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	§1,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,226	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	8,300	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,700	265	.....	278	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	5,000	.....	1,816	150	.....	7
	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	378	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	5,000	.....	.....	55	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,407	.....	.....	.....	...
29	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	340	§108	196	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	170	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	5,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	85	50	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	3,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	7,000	.....	.....	4,000	7,500	2,878	194	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
75	7,000	.....	.....	12,000	.....	164	40	362	...
49	6,500	.....	.....	6,000	201	.....	171	461	...
	7,000	.....	.....	11,000	820	.....	163	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	419	.....	.....	...
	9,500	.....	.....	6,000	.....	.....	7	.....	...
	.....	9,450	.....	23,000	.....	231	150	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	6,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	1,600	.....	12	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	...
	4,500	.....	.....	5,100	.....	.....	206	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	76	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	120	.....	3,500	.....	210	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	5,000	.....	.....	375	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	70	§69	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	.....	61	.....	...
	4,500	1,200	.....	4,500	.....	366	42	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	3,000	.....	499	‡	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
00	.....	.....	.....	8,190	.....	.....	35	.....	...
	10,000	.....	7,250	57,400	.....	1,488	.....	.....	7
97	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	533	86	455	...
54	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	325	...
58	13,000	1,500	.....	24,459	.....	10,408	4	1,182	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	106	169	.....	...
00	.....	.....	200	56,600	.....	3,116	110	.....	...

stain revenue from rents of Town Hall, Parks, Houses, &c. ‡ No information. § 4th February, 1895.
or Liabilities. ** For particulars of dates, &c., see Table 18, p. 48.

ss, the statements published there also showing the dates of the Bank balances, Loans, &c.

No. 9.—Assets and Liabiliti

Borough or Municipal District.	* Assets.								
	Cash Assets.							Not Revenue producing.	
	Outstanding Rates and Nuisances Prevention Charges.	Government Endowment accrued.	Sundry Accounts due.	Bank. Sinking Funds.	Bank. Fixed Deposits.	Bank. Balances of Current Accounts.	Cash in hand.	†Lands, Buildings, Sewerage, &c.	We F F
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
COUNTRY—*continued.*									
Peak Hill	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	79	25	.....	
Penrith	1,520	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	1,000	
Picton	6	283	.....	.....	.....	143	...	41	
Plattsburg	540	.....	.....	.....	.....	160	3	30	
Port Macquarie ...	152	45	.....	.....	.....	93	...	300	
Prospect and Sherwood	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	1,100	
Queanbeyan	394	.....	.....	.....	.....	65	...	336	
Quirindi	59	.....	.....	.....	.....	308	...	300	
Raymond Terrace ...	129	.....	.....	.....	.....	42	...	900	
Richmond	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	...	2,000	
Rookwood	1,249	.....	.....	.....	.....	176	...	.....	
Scone	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	38	...	.....	
Shellharbour	260	.....	.....	.....	.....	809	...	.....	
Shoalhaven, South ...	349	.....	.....	.....	.....	88	1	.....	
Silverton	137	19	.....	.....	.....	102	34	900	
Singleton	1,017	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	3,750	
Singleton, South ...	188	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	400	
Smithfield and Fairfield	1,381	110	.....	.....	.....	108	...	.....	
St. Mary's	‡ 1,095	26	§	.....	.....	35	13	‡17	
Stockton	31	29	.....	602	188	77	...	1,082	
Tamworth	434	.....	27	.....	500	173	7	750	
Taree	90	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	8	10	
Temora	600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	
Tenterfield	227	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	28	500	
Tumut...	310	116	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	335	
Ulladulla	350	.....	134	.....	.....	210	...	.....	
Ulmarra	249	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	...	260	
Uralla	185	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	
Wagga Wagga ...	3,352	... .	438	.....	2,050	7,152	1	3,784	
Walcha...	388	67	3	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	
Wallendbeen	100	307	.....	.....	.....	504	18	200	
Wallsend	196	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	400	
Waratah	2,167	.....	172	.....	.....	86	14	.....	
Warren	89	271	.....	.....	.....	170	...	.....	
Wellington	78	.....	.....	.....	.....	167	...	750	
Wentworth	322	.....	36	.....	.....	68	16	315	
Wickham	2,647	.....	511	139	.....	260	12	1,520	
Wilcannia	951	.....	1,872	.....	.....	.....	89	750	
Windsor	860	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	1,000	
Wingham	150	97	.....	.....	.....	54	...	.....	
Wollongong	1,504	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	8,145	
Yass	‡434	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	18	150	
Young...	426	126	210	250	.....	.....	62	5,250	
Total Country ...	108,186	6,822	10,058	3,367	8,952	46,770	1,469	326,006	
„ Metropolitan ..	100,354	5,151	11,516	212,401	53,218	27,711	437	1,842,[illegible]	
Grand Total ...	208,540	11,973	21,574	215,768	62,170	74,481			

* Roads and streets not included; estimated value of these (without the la[illegible]

NOTE.—In most cases the assets and liabili[illegible]

icipalities, 3rd February, 1896—*continued.*

	Revenue-bringing Works.			Liabilities.					
					Bank Overdrafts.				
	Gasworks and Electric Lighting Plant.	Cattle Sale-yards.	Wharfs.	Current Loans	Secured by Mortgage, &c.	Unsecured, including unpresented Cheques.	Outstanding Accounts and Amounts due on Contracts.	Annual Payment to Government for Water-works. ‖	Rate of Interest on Over-drafts.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	per cent
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
,000	9,000	.....	.....	23,000	.....	1,784	2,112	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	2,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	6,000	.....	118	5	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	1,100	.....	64	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	1,500	.....	242	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	900	.....	88	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	128	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	500	345	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	238	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	735	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	378	61	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	‡20	.....	...
	.....	.....	580	4,400	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	3,200	1,100	.....	5,000	.....	3	10	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	196	.....	.....	8
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	522	16	53	.....	7
	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,964	.....	339	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	136	.....	.....	8
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	.....	.....	7½
,500	17,677	1,500	.....	18,200	.....	4,396	270	1,392	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	10	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	36	.....	.....	722	.....	26	.....	...
	10,035	.....	10	15,500	.....	806	83	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	85	145	...
	.....	.....	.....	17,100	.....	227	81	.....	...
,000	.....	.....	1,722	.....	.....	164	.....	303	...
,500	.....	.....	20	6,500	.....	814	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
	.....	.....	.....	8,000	.....	1,100	.....	.....	...
	7,500	.....	.....	7,500	.....	484	66	.....	...
	9,000	.....	.....	8,500	5,345	.....	.....	.....	...
,346	198,924	23,339	9,782	559,849	37,151	50,915	9,484	13,164	...
	19,000	77,980	420,530	1,987,383	852	69,525	14,276	1,368	...
	14	101,319	430,312	2,547,232	38,003	120,440	23,760	14,532	...

‖ Town Hall, Parks, Houses, &c. ‡ 3rd August, 1896. § No information.

also showing the dates of the Bank balances, Loans, &c.

No. 10.—Loans of City of Sydney Current 31st December, 1895.

Where Floated.	Date of Issue.	Currency.	Date of Maturity.	Rate per cent.	Amount.	Annual Inter
		CITY FUND. (43 Vic. No. 3.)			£	£
Sydney	1881	20 years	*1901	6	20,000	1,200
"	1883	20 "	*1903	6	10,000	600
"	1884	20 "	*1904	6	10,000	600
London	1889	22½ "	*1912	4	35,000	1,400
.. ..	1890	21½ "	*1912	4	25,000	1,000
		Totals			100,000	4,800
		PUBLIC MARKETS' LOAN FUND. (57 Vic. No. 1.)				
London	1894	25 years	*1919	4	300,000	12,000
		CATTLE SALE-YARDS FUND. (43 Vic. No. 3, and 45 Vic. No. 18.)				
Sydney	1882	19¾ years	1902	6	35,000	2,100
		STREETS LOAN FUND. (48 Vic. No. 1, and 50 Vic. No. 13.)				
London	1884	20 years	1904	5	200,000	10,000
"	1887	25 "	*1912	4	100,000	4,000
		Totals			300,000	14,000
		TOWN HALL LOAN FUND. (44 Vic. No.5, and 50 Vic. No. 13.)				
Sydney	1881	20 years	1901	6	40,000	2,400
"	1886	20 "	1906	6	35,000	2,100
London	1887	25 "	*1912	4	200,000	8,000
		Totals			275,000	12,500
		MOORE-STREET IMPROVEMENT FUND. (54 Vic. No. 30.)				
London	1892	21 years	*1913	4	250,000	10,000
Total Debentures Current on 31st Dec., 1895					1,260,000	55,400

* These Loans are renewable at maturity under authority of the several Acts.

NOTE.—During the year 1896 the City of Sydney was empowered to raise a sum of £250,000 for the purpose providing Electric Lighting plant, and an additional £150,000 towards the construction of the Public Markets.

No. 11.—Loans of City of Sydney : Amount maturing each year.

Year.	In Sydney.		In London.		Totals.	
	Amount.	Annual Interest.	Amount.	Annual Interest.	Amount.	Annual Interest.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	60,000	3,600	.....	.....	60,000	3,600
1902	35,000	2,100	.....	.....	35,000	2,100
1903	10,000	600	.....	.....	10,000	600
1904	10,000	600	200,000	10,000	210,000	10,600
1906	35,000	2,100	.....	.....	35,000	2,100
1912	.....	.....	360,000	14,400	360,000	14,400
1913	.....	.....	250,000	10,000	250,000	10,000
1919	.....	.....	300,000	12,000	300,000	12,000
Totals ...	150,000	9,000	1,110,000	46,400	1,260,000	55,400

No. 12.—Sinking Funds of City of Sydney, 31st December, 1895.

Fund.	Loan Current	Sinking Funds.			Balances.
		Invested.	In Bank.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£
City Fund	400,000	.....	.....	.....	400,000
Cattle Sale-yards Fund	35,000	5,200	30,424	35,624	£624 surplus
Streets Loan Fund	300,000	79,908	17,779	97,687	202,313
Town Hall Loan Fund	275,000	59,816	8,106	67,922	207,078
Moore-street Improvement Fund ..	250,000	.....	6,921	6,921	243,079
Totals	1,260,000	144,924	63,230	208,154	1,051,84[illegible]

No. 13.—Municipal Loans Current 3rd February, 1896.

Borough or Municipal District.	Mortgage, Debentures, or Bond.	Amount at— 4 and under 5 per cent.	5 and under 6 per cent.	6 and under 7 per cent.	7 per cent. and over.	Total Amount of Loans. New South Wales.	London.	Total.	Additional Amount Authorised.
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
METROPOLITAN—									
*Sydney	D	910,000	200,000	150,000	.....	150,000	1,110,000	1,260,000	.....
Suburbs—									
Alexandria... ...	D	5,000	7,000	5,000	.....	17,000	.....	17,000	.....
Annandale	D	.....	8,375	3,500	.....	7,375	4,500	11,875	.....
Ashfield	D	11,300	.....	.....	.....	4,000	11,300	15,300	4,000
"	M	4,000							
Balmain	D	.....	63,000	.....	.....	4,000	59,000	63,000	.....
Botany	D	.....	5,000	.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	.....
Botany, North ...	D	.....	4,500	.....	.....	4,500	.....	4,500	.....
Burwood	D	.....	5,000	20,000	.....	25,000	.....	25,000	2,500
Camperdown ...	D	.....	1,500	15,500	.....	17,000	.....	17,000	4,000
Canterbury ...	M	.....	9,000	.....	.....	9,000	.....	9,000	.....
Concord	D	.....	2,000	1,000	.....	3,000	.....	3,000	.....
Drummoyne ...	D	.....	5,000	.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	.....
Enfield	D	.....	4,000	.....	.....	4,000	.....	4,000	.....
Erskineville ...	M	.....	5,000	1,000	.....	10,000	.....	10,000	.....
" ...	D	.....	4,000	.....	.....				
Five Dock	D	.....	.....	2,200	.....	6,052	.....	6,052	148
"	M	.....	.....	3,852	.....				
Glebe	D	.....	12,500	10,000	.....	37,500	.....	37,500	.....
"	B	15,000	.....	.....	.....				
Hunter's Hill ...	D	.....	7,000	.....	2,000	9,000	.....	9,000	.....
Hurstville	D	.....	6,000	.....	.....	6,000	.....	6,000	.....
Lane Cove	D	.....	2,133	2,800	.....	4,933	.....	4,933	.....
Leichhardt... ...	M	.....	7,000	10,500	.....	40,625	.....	40,625	.....
"	D	.....	23,125	.....	.....				
Manly	D	.....	7,000	4,000	.....	16,000	.....	16,000	.....
"	B	.....	5,000	.....	.....				
Marrickville ...	D	30,000	.....	.....	.....	30,000	.....	30,000	2,000
Mosman	D	3,000	.....	.....	.....	3,000	.....	3,000	1,000
Newtown	D	.....	31,000	5,000	.....	12,000	24,000	36,000	.....
North Sydney ...	D	35,000	19,000	9,150	.....	63,150	.....	63,150	.....
Paddington ...	M	.....	1,400	10,000	.....	29,400	40,000	69,400	.....
" ...	D	40,000	.....	8,000	10,000				
Petersham... ...	D	4,000	10,000	.....	.....	18,500	.....	18,500	.....
"	M	.....	.....	4,500	.....				
Randwick	M	.....	24,000	.....	.....	29,000	.....	29,000	1,000
"	D	.....	5,000	.....	.....				
Redfern	D	20,000	18,900	.....	.....	18,900	20,000	38,900	26,100
Rockdale	M	.....	3,000	.....	3,000	16,000	.....	16,000	.....
"	D	.....	.....	10,000	.....				
Ryde	D	.....	6,000	.....	.....	6,000	.....	6,000	4,000
St. Peters	D	.....	10,000	.....	.....	.....	10,000	10,000	.....
Strathfield	D	.....	2,500	4,000	.....	6,500	.....	6,500	2,500
Waterloo	D	.....	.....	17,000	.....	17,000	.....	17,000	.....
Waverley	D	.....	.....	50,000	.....	50,000	.....	50,000	10,000
Willoughby ...	D	.....	8,000	7,000	.....	15,000	.....	15,000	.....
Woollahra... ...	D	2,000	8,000	.....	.....	10,000	.....	10,000	.....
Total Suburbs ...		169,300	339,933	204,002	15,000	559,435	168,800	728,235	57,248
Total Metropolitan ...		1,079,300	539,933	354,002	15,000	709,435	1,278,800	1,988,235	57,248

* On 31st December, 1895.

Borrowing Powers.—With the consent of the Governor, a municipality may borrow, upon the security of its rates, [illegible] its estimated revenue for five years; it may also borrow upon the security of buildings and works belonging to the corporation; renew its loans; and borrow for the construction of gasworks, etc.

No. 13.—Municipal Loans Current 3rd February, 1896—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Mortgage, Debentures, or Bond.	Amount at— 4 and under 5 per cent.	5 and under 6 per cent.	6 and under 7 per cent.	7 per cent. and over.	Total Amount of Loans. New South Wales.	London.	Total.	Additional Amount Authorised
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COUNTRY—									
Adamstown ...	D	.....	.....	3,000	.....	3,000	.....	3,000	...
*Armidale	D	.....	.....	18,750	.....	18,750	.....	18,750	...
Auburn	D	.....	1,000	2,000	.....	2,000	.....	3,000	...
Ballina	M	.....	2,000	.....	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	...
Bathurst	D	.....	.....	12,000	1,500	1,500	12,000	13,500	...
Bega	D	.....	...	8,000	.....	8,000	.....	8,000	...
Berry	M	.....	2,700	.....	.....	2,700	.....	2,700	...
Blayney	M	.....	.....	.....	2,528	2,528	.....	2,528	4
Bombala	D	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	...
Bourke	D	.....	.....	.....	7,500	7,500	.....	7,500	...
Bowral	D	.....	.....	10,000	.....	11,979	.....	11,979	1,0
"	M	.....	.....	.....	979				
"	B	.....	.....	1,000	.....				
Braidwood	D	1,250	.....	.....	.....	1,250	.....	1,250	...
Broken Hill ...	M	.....	.....	.....	5,000	5,000	.....	5,000	...
Camden	M	.....	1,000	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	...
†Campbelltown ...	M	.....	.....	600	.....	1,600	.....	1,600	...
" ...	D	.....	.....	1,000	.....				
Carrington... ...	D	.....	.....	4,500	.....	4,500	.....	4,500	...
Casino	M	.....	.....	4,000	.....	4,000	.....	4,000	...
Coonamble... ...	D	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	...
Cootamundra ...	D	.....	.....	9,988	1,012	11,000	.....	11,000	...
Cowra...	M	.....	.....	.....	353	353	.....	353	...
Cudgegong... ...	M	.....	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	...
Deniliquin	M	.....	.....	.....	3,231	3,231	.....	3,231	5
Dubbo	D	.....	.....	15,000	.....	15,000	.....	15,000	...
Forbes	M	.....	.....	2,308	.....	2,308	.....	2,308	1
Glen Innes ...	M	.....	.....	4,500	.....	13,500	.....	13,500	5
"	D	.....	.....	9,000	.....				
Goulburn	D	.....	.....	10,000	.....	10,800	.....	10,800	10,0
"	M	.....	.....	800	.....				
Grafton	D	.....	.....	3,200	.....	3,200	.....	3,200	6,0
Granville	M	.....	1,200	.....	.....	16,200	.....	16,200	...
"	D	.....	5,000	10,000	.....				
Gulgong	M	.....	.....	2,000	700	2,700	.....	2,700	...
Gundagai	D	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	...
Gunnedah	M	.....	.....	1,226	.....	1,226	.....	1,226	2
Hamilton	D	.....	200	8,100	.....	8,300	.....	8,300	...
Hay	M	.....	.....	.....	2,700	2,700	.....	2,700	4,3
Illawarra, Central...	D	.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	...
Illawarra, North ...	D	.....	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	5
Inverell	D	.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	...
Jamberoo	M	.....	.....	.....	1,407	1,407	.....	1,407	5
Katoomba	D	.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	...
Kiama	M	.....	.....	3,700	.....	3,700	.....	3,700	1,0
Lambton	D	.....	.....	4,000	.....	11,500	.....	11,500	...
"	M	.....	.....	.....	7,500				
Lambton, New ...	D	.....	400	.....	.....	400	.....	400	...
Lismore	M	.....	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	.....	12,000	3
"	D	.....	.....	10,000	.....	.....	10,000		

* 3rd August 1896. † 4th February, 1895.

No. 13.—Municipal Loans Current 3rd February, 1896—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Mortgage, Debenture, or Bond.	Amount at— 4 and under 5 per cent.	5 and under 6 per cent.	6 and under 7 per cent.	7 per cent. and over.	Total Amount of Loans. New South Wales.	London.	Total.	Additional Amount Authorised.
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COUNTRY—*continued.*									
Lithgow	D	.....	.....	6,000	.....	6,201	.....	6,201	99
"	B	.....	.....	.....	201				
Liverpool	M	.....	.....	4,000	.....	11,820	.....	11,820	180
"	MDB	.....	.....	7,000	820				
Maitland, East ...	M	.....	6,000	.....	.....	6,000	.....	6,000	.....
Maitland, West ...	D	.....	23,000	.....	.....	23,000	.....	23,000	.....
Merewether ...	D	.....	.....	5,000	1,000	6,000	.....	6,000	.....
Mittagong	D	.....	1,600	.....	.....	1,600	.....	1,600	.....
Molong	D	.....	.....	4,500	.....	5,100	.....	5,100	.....
"	M	.....	.....	.....	600				
Moss Vale	D	.....	1,500	2,000	.....	3,500	.....	3,500	.....
Mudgee	D	.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	.....
Mulgoa	D	.....	.....	600	.....	600	.....	600	900
Murrumburrah ...	D	.....	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	.....
Murrurundi ...	M	.....	.....	500	.....	500	.....	500	.....
Musclebrook ...	M	.....	.....	4,500	.....	4,500	.....	4,500	.....
Narrabri	D	.....	.....	3,000	.....	3,000	.....	3,000	.....
Narrandera ...	D	.....	8,190	.....	.....	*8,190	.....	8,190	.....
Newcastle	D	22,400	35,000	.....	.....	†17,000	40,400	57,400	61,600
Orange	M	.....	22,459	.....	.....	2,000	22,459	24,459	.....
"	D	.....	2,000						
Parramatta ...	D	.....	.....	56,600	.....	56,600	.....	56,600	.....
Penrith	D	.....	.....	3,000	.....	23,000	.....	23,000	.....
"	M	.....	20,000	.....	.....				
Plattsburg	D	.....	.....	1,000	1,500	2,500	.....	2,500	.....
Prospect & Sherwood	D	.....	5,000	1,000	.....	6,000	.....	6,000	.....
Queanbeyan ...	D	.....	.....	1,100	.....	1,100	.....	1,100	.....
Quirindi	M	.....	.....	600	.....	600	.....	600	.....
Raymond Terrace ...	M	.....	.....	.....	1,500	1,500	.....	1,500	.....
Richmond	M	.....	900	.....	.....	900	.....	900	.....
Scone	D	.....	.....	.....	845	845	.....	845	155
Shellharbour ...	M	.....	1,000	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....
Singleton, South ...	D	.....	.....	400	600	1,000	.....	1,000	.....
Stockton	D	.....	.....	4,400	.....	4,400	.....	4,400	1,600
Tamworth	D	.....	5,000	.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	5,000
Tenterfield... ...	D	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....
Tumut	M	.....	.....	.....	522	522	.....	522	1,478
Ulladulla	M	.....	.....	.....	1,964	1,964	.....	1,964	1,036
Wagga Wagga ...	D	.....	18,200	.....	.....	18,200	.....	18,200	.....
Walcha	B	.....	1,000	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....
Wallsend	D	.....	.....	.....	722	722	.....	722	278
Waratah	D	.....	.....	15,500	.....	15,500	.....	15,500	.....
Wickham	D	.....	800	12,700	3,600	17,100	.....	17,100	.....
Windsor	M	.....	6,500	.....	.....	6,500	.....	6,500	.....
Wollongong ...	D	.....	8,000	.....	.....	8,000	.....	8,000	.....
Yass	D	.....	.....	7,500	.....	7,500	.....	7,500	.....
Young	D	.....	6,500	5,345	.....	7,845	6,000	13,845	155
"	M	.....	.....	2,000	.....				
Total Country ...		23,650	186,149	338,917	48,284	506,141	90,859	597,000	98,202
Grand Total ...		1,102,950	726,082	692,919	63,284	1,215,576	1,369,659	2,585,235	155,450

* Victoria. † Including Melbourne £10,000.

No. 14.—Rates of Interest payable on Municipal Loans current 3rd February, 1896.

Rate of Interest.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.	Rate of Interest.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.
	£	£	£		£	£	£
4 per cent ...	1,000,000	5,400	1,005,400	6¼ per cent. ...	4,500	.....	4,[illegible]
4½ " ...	79,300	18,250	97,550	6½ " ...	9,000	44,679	53,[illegible]
5 " ...	391,033	151,149	542,182	7 " ...	15,000	39,731	54,[illegible]
5¼ " ...	8,100	7,000	15,100	7½ " ...	.....	7,500	7,[illegible]
5½ " ...	137,800	26,000	163,800	8 " ...	.....	1,053	1,[illegible]
5¾ " ...	3,000	.....	3,000				
5⅞ " ...	.....	2,000	2,000	Total Loans...	1,988,235	597,000	2,58[illegible]
6 " ...	340,502	294,238	634,740				

No. 15.—Loans of Municipalities current 3rd February, 1896: Amount raised in New South Wales and in London.

Rate.	Raised in		Rate.	Raised in	
	New South Wales.	London.		New South Wales.	London.
per cent.	£	£	per cent.	£	£
4	30,000	975,400	6¼	4,500	.....
4½	*86,250	11,300	6½	53,679	.....
5	†270,223	271,959	7	54,731	.....
5¼	15,100	.....	7½	7,500	.....
5½	74,800	89,000	8	1,053	.....
5¾	3,000	.....			
5⅞	2,000	.....	Totals ...	1,215,576	1,369,659
6	612,740	22,000			

* Includes £10,000 raised in Victoria. † Includes £8,190 raised in Victoria.

No. 16.—Sinking Funds of Municipalities, 3rd February, 1896.

Borough or Municipal District.	Amount.	Borough or Municipal District.	Amount.
	£		£
*Sydney	208,154	Glen Innes	75
Balmain	1,443	Hamilton	500
Hurstville	578	Inverell	50
Marrickville	500	Newcastle	1,000
Marsfield	10	Stockton	602
North Sydney	756	Wickham	139
Randwick	140	Young	250
Woollahra	820		
Braidwood	100	Total ... £	215,768
Carrington	651		

* On 31st December, 1895.

No. 17.—Roads and Streets in Municipalities, 3rd February, 1896.

ugh icipal ict.	Metalled, &c.	Formed.	Cleared.	Natural Surface	Totals.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles	Miles.	Miles.
AN—					
	§112	3	..	..	115
a	12	..	8	..	20
t	7½	3¼	3¾	..	14½
.. ..	34½	4½	..	9	48
.. ..	51	2	..	1	54
.. ..	10	1	1	9	21
orth ..	10	..	..	17½	27½
.. ..	27¼	3½	¼	..	31
wn ..	11½	2½	..	..	14
y	16½	26½	20½	7	70½
.. ..	8½	9½	7	1½	26½
n	4	..	..	..	4
ne ..	7	3	2	..	12
.. ..	8	4	4	6	22
lle ..	6	¼	..	..	6¼
:	6	6	2½	2	16½
.. ..	19	2¼	¼	¾	22¼
Hill ..	11	16	15	..	42
:	20	20	40	30½	110½
.. ..	21	10	5	29	65
:	14¾	2¼	3	15	35
t	18	7½	7¼	..	32¾
.. ..	17½	*	2	*	19½
lle ..	80	10	..	5	95
.. ..	3½	13	3½	2½	22½
.. ..	12	3	11	3	29
.. ..	‖24	½	..	..	24½
iney ..	36	9¾	5½	6¼	57½
m ..	21	1	..	..	22
i	38	4	..	..	42
.. ..	44	4	6	30	84
.. ..	19¾	..	..	¼	20
.. ..	20	7	23	10	60
.. ..	23	19	5	20	67
l	10	4	4	3	21
l	15	13	3	1	32
.. ..	5	..	¾	1	6¾
.. ..	17	..	..	1	18
.. ..	29	2½	..	22	53½
y	19¾	16¼	37¾	9¾	83½
.. ..	30	..	2	..	32
Suburbs	788½	231	222¾	242⅝	1,484½
Metro-olitan	900½	234	222¾	242⅝	1,599½

Borough or Municipal District.	Metalled, &c.	Formed.	Cleared.	Natural Surface.	Total.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
COUNTRY—					
Aberdeen	3¾	..	7	7¼	18
Adamstown	4¾	2	..	2¼	9
Albury	15¼	30½	7¾	26½	80
†Armidale	6½	15½	20	10	52
Auburn	4½	12½	9	14	40
Ballina	12	6	5½	..	23½
Balranald	2	1¾	43¼	..	47
Bankstown	17½	..	..	*	17½
Bathurst	14	12	20	..	46
Bega	2	11	13	..	26
Berry	28	2	2	2	34
Bingara	4½	1	7½	5½	18½
Blayney	5½	8	..	3½	17
Bombala	4¼	..	2¼	1	7½
Bourke	7	5	4½	1	17½
†Bowral	7½	2	6	7½	23
Braidwood	19½	2	..	..	21½
Broken Hill	25	91	..	10	126
Broughton Vale ..	3½	15	10	20	48½
Burrowa	6¼	4¾	3¼	19½	33¾
Cabramatta & Canley Vale..	6	6	30	158	200
Camden	20	10	6	4	40
†Campbelltown ..	20	39	10	20	89
Carcoar	5	6	4	2	17
Carrington	6	1	..	6	13
‡Casino	5	23	5	12	45
Castlereagh	20	6	12	100	138
†Cobar	..	13	13	..	26
Condobolin	8	2	10	22½	42½
Cooma	8	7	12	23	50
†Coonamble	..	10½	12	..	22½
Cootamundra ..	11¼	1	8¼	1	21½
Coraki	5½	2½	4	20	32
Cowra	4¼	1½	11¼	1	18
Cudal..	13½	1	10	35½	60
‡Cudgegong	154	..	17	135	306
Deniliquin	7½	32	..	..	39½
†Dubbo	7	2½	3¼	..	12¾
Dundas	10	3¼	3	1½	17¾
Dungog	9	4	2	5	20
Ermington & Rydalmere	7¼	4	2	..	13¾
Forbes	14	1	..	59	74
Gerringong	55	5	4	..	64
Glen Innes	56	43	44	77	220
Gosford	7½	6¾	7	7¾	29
Goulburn	22½	6¼	..	130	158¾
Grafton	14	19	3	..	36

nformation. † 4 February, 1895. ‡ 5 February, 1894. § Including 15 miles wood blocked (covering 1 acres), laid at a cost of £494,000. Value of the 115 miles is estimated at £1,476,585, which sum includes footpaths, *i.e.*, flagged, £95,000; tar-paved, £60,000 ‖ Including 2 miles wood blocked.

No. 14.—Rates of Interest payable on Municipal Loans current 3rd February, 1896.

Rate of Interest.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.	Rate of Interest.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.
	£	£	£		£	£	£
4 per cent ...	1,000,000	5,400	1,005,400	6¼ per cent. ...	4,500	.....	4,[illegible]
4½ " ...	79,300	18,250	97,550	6½ " ...	9,000	44,679	53,[illegible]
5 " ...	391,033	151,149	542,182	7 " ...	15,000	39,731	54,[illegible]
5¼ " ...	8,100	7,000	15,100	7½ " ...	.....	7,500	7,[illegible]
5½ " ...	137,800	26,000	163,800	8 " ...	.....	1,053	1,[illegible]
5¾ " ...	3,000	.....	3,000				
5⅞ " ...	.....	2,000	2,000	Total Loans...	1,988,235	597,000	2,585,[illegible]
6 " ...	340,502	294,238	634,740				

No. 15.—Loans of Municipalities current 3rd February, 1896: Amounts raised in New South Wales and in London.

Rate.	Raised in		Rate.	Raised in	
	New South Wales.	London.		New South Wales.	London.
per cent.	£	£	per cent.	£	£
4	30,000	975,400	6¼	4,500	.....
4½	*86,250	11,300	6½	53,679	.....
5	†270,223	271,959	7	54,731	.....
5¼	15,100	.....	7½	7,500	.....
5½	74,800	89,000	8	1,053	.....
5¾	3,000	.....			
5⅞	2,000	.....	Totals ...	1,215,576	1,369,659
6	612,740	22,000			

* Includes £10,000 raised in Victoria. † Includes £8,190 raised in Victoria.

No. 16.—Sinking Funds of Municipalities, 3rd February, 1896.

Borough or Municipal District.	Amount.	Borough or Municipal District.	Amount.
	£		£
*Sydney	208,154	Glen Innes	75
Balmain	1,443	Hamilton	500
Hurstville	578	Inverell	50
Marrickville	500	Newcastle	1,000
Marsfield	10	Stockton	602
North Sydney	756	Wickham	120
Randwick	140	Young	
Woollahra	820		
Braidwood	100	Total ... £	21[illegible]
Carrington	651		

* On 31st December, 1895.

No. 17.—Roads and Streets in Municipalities, 3rd February, 1896.

ugh nicipal rict.	Metalled, &c.	Formed.	Cleared.	Natural Surface	Totals.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles	Miles.	Miles.
TAN—					
	§112	3	..	..	115
ia	12	..	8	..	20
le	7½	3½	3¾	..	14½
.. ..	34½	4½	..	9	48
.. ..	51	2	..	1	54
.. ..	10	1	1	9	21
North ..	10	..	..	17½	27½
.. ..	27¼	3½	¼	..	31
own ..	11½	2½	..	..	14
ry	16½	26½	20¼	7	70¼
.. ..	8½	9½	7	1½	26½
n	4	..	..	..	4
yne ..	7	3	2	..	12
.. ..	8	4	4	6	22
ille ..	6	½	..	..	6½
k	6	6	2½	2	16½
.. ..	19	2½	¼	¾	22¼
Hill ..	11	16	15	..	42
e	20	20	40	30½	110½
.. ..	21	10	5	29	65
e	14¾	2¼	3	15	35
dt	18	7½	7¼	..	32¾
.. ..	17½	*	2	*	19½
ille ..	80	10	..	5	95
.. ..	3½	13	3½	2½	22½
.. ..	12	3	11	3	29
.. ..	‖24	½	..	..	24½
dney ..	36	9¾	5½	6¼	57½
on ..	21	1	..	..	22
m	38	4	..	..	42
k	44	4	6	30	84
.. ..	19¾	..	..	½	20
.. ..	20	7	23	10	60
.. ..	23	19	5	20	67
's	10	4	4	3	21
ld	15	13	3	1	32
.. ..	5	..	¾	1	6¾
.. ..	17	..	..	1	18
y	29	2½	..	22	53½
nby	19¾	16¼	37¾	9¾	83½
ra	30	..	2	..	32
d Suburbs	788¼	231	222¾	242¾	1,484½
d Metropolitan	900¼	234	222¾	242¾	1,599½

Borough or Municipal District.	Metalled, &c.	Formed.	Cleared.	Natural Surface.	Total.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
COUNTRY—					
Aberdeen	3¾	..	7	7¼	18
Adamstown	4¾	2	..	2¼	9
Albury	15¼	30½	7¾	26½	80
†Armidale	6½	15½	20	10	52
Auburn	4½	12½	9	14	40
Ballina	12	6	5½	..	23½
Balranald	2	1¾	43¼	..	47
Bankstown	17½	..	..	*	17½
Bathurst	14	12	20	..	46
Bega	2	11	13	..	26
Berry	28	2	2	2	34
Bingara	4½	1	7½	5½	18½
Blayney	5½	8	..	3½	17
Bombala	4¼	..	2¼	1	7½
Bourke	7	5	4½	1	17½
†Bowral	7½	2	6	7½	23
Braidwood	19½	2	..	..	21½
Broken Hill	25	91	..	10	126
Broughton Vale ..	3½	15	10	20	48½
Burrowa	6¼	4¾	3¼	19½	33¾
Cabramatta & Canley Vale..	6	6	30	158	200
Camden	20	10	6	4	40
†Campbelltown ..	20	39	10	20	89
Carcoar	5	6	4	2	17
Carrington	6	1	..	6	13
‡Casino	5	23	5	12	45
Castlereagh	20	6	12	100	138
†Cobar	..	13	13	..	26
Condobolin	8	2	10	22½	42½
Cooma	8	7	12	23	50
†Coonamble	..	10½	12	..	22½
Cootamundra ..	11¼	1	8¼	1	21½
Coraki	5½	2½	4	20	32
Cowra	4¼	1½	11¼	1	18
Cudal..	13½	1	10	35½	60
‡Cudgegong	154	..	17	135	306
Deniliquin	7½	32	..	..	39½
†Dubbo	7	2½	3¼	..	12¾
Dundas	10	3¼	3	1½	17¾
Dungog	9	4	2	5	20
Ermington & Rydalmere	7¼	4	2	..	13¾
Forbes	14	1	..	59	74
Gerringong	55	5	4	..	64
Glen Innes	56	43	44	77	220
Gosford	7½	6¾	7	7¾	29
Goulburn	22½	6¼	..	130	158¾
Grafton	14	19	3	..	36

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No. 17.—Roads and Streets in Municipalities, 3rd February, 1896—*cont*

Borough or Municipal District.	Metalled, &c.	Formed.	Cleared.	Natural Surface.	Totals.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
COUNTRY—*continued.*					
Granville	12	25	18	5	60
Grenfell	3½	1½	10¾	..	15½
Greta	1¼	4½	2½	13½	21¾
Gulgong	40	8½	17½	3	69
*Gundagai	6½	3	19	..	28½
Gunnedah	6	..	2	12	20
Hamilton	13	1½	7¼	..	21½
Hay	2¼	7	30	5	44¼
Hill End	10½	2	..	..	12½
Hillston	¼	6½	14	29¼	50
Illawarra, Central ..	70	30	20	20	140
Illawarra, North ..	30	16	..	..	46
Inverell	68	2	5¾	74¼	150
Jamberoo	54	14	½	..	68½
*Jerilderie	4	4¼	6¼	16½	31
Junee	2½	3¾	15¼	..	21½
Katoomba	10	23	..	118	151
Kempsey	11	3	5	7	26
Kiama	6	13	..	..	19
Lambton	8	2	..	9	19
Lambton, New ..	10	1½	3½	52	67
Lismore	18	14	20	8	60
Lithgow	10½	1¼	1	..	12¾
Liverpool	28	..	54	26	108
Maclean	4½	5½	16	..	26
Maitland, East ..	25	4	2	2	33
Maitland, West ..	36¼	..	1¼	..	37½
Merewether	14	5	..	2	21
Mittagong	4¾	11	6¾	7	29½
Moama	6	13	40	50	109
Molong	12½	2	37½	..	52
Moree	..	10⅝	7½	24⅛	42
Morpeth	8¼	..	..	1½	9¾
Moruya	15	10	15	10	50
†Moss Vale	13	3	3	5	24
Mudgee	7	¾	6¾	..	14½
*Mulgoa	..	18	4	..	22
Murrumburrah ..	4¼	16	2¼	2½	25
Murrurundi	5	..	1	3	9
Musclebrook	4½	2	3	2	11½
*Narrabri	3½	5½	7	3	19
Narrabri, West ..	1¾	..	1⅛	4	6⅞
Narrandera	6¾	½	16½	..	23¾
Newcastle	15	3	7	..	25
Nowra	14	3½	14	2½	34
Nyngan	½	8	6	16	30½
Orange	8	5	3	..	16
Orange, East	7	5	4	..	16
Parkes	9	28	15	..	52
Parramatta	44	10	47	10	111
COUNTRY—*continued.*					
Peak Hill	¼	2	8	..	
Penrith	38	..	33	10	
Picton	5	2	2	3	
Plattsburg	8	2¼	2¼	2¼	
Port Macquarie ..	6	7	3	14	
Prospect & Sherwood	25½	25	40	40	
Queanbeyan	4¼	5	5	2	
Quirindi	4	1¾	10	4¼	
Raymond Terrace ..	2¾	¾	5	..	
Richmond	6½	1	..	..	
Rookwood	5	8	5	14	
Scone	4	1½	2¼	..	
Shellharbour ..	50	10	..	..	
Shoalhaven, South ..	24	19	8	2	
Silverton	7¼	..	..	12¾	
Singleton	11	¼	..	..	
Singleton, South ..	5	..	..	¼	
Smithfield and Fairfield	8	14	32	12	
†St. Mary's	5	7½	10	..	
Stockton	10¼	¼	3¼	..	
Tamworth	22	4	7⅜	⅝	
Taree	2¼	¼	½	..	
Temora	6	½	12	2½	
Tenterfield	38	27	10	45	
Tumut	3¼	1⅛	9⅝	3½	
Ulladulla	25	20	10	25	
Ulmarra	6	50	30	34	
Uralla	3	1½	2	2½	
Wagga Wagga ..	10¼	13¼	25	3½	
Walcha	4	5	22½	2½	
Wallendbeen	10	55	89	110	
Wallsend	7½	1	2	½	
Waratah	16	6	5	15	
Warren	½	½	3½	8	
Wellington	6	..	27	..	
Wentworth	¾	6	19¾	..	
Wickham	10¼	1	1¾	..	
Wilcannia	1	1½	13½	13	
Windsor	10	..	1	2	
Wingham	5¼	3	3½	1¾	
Wollongong	24	6	..	..	
Yass	23	22	25	..	
Young	12½	7	19	1	
Total Country ..	1,860½	1,173	1,420⅜	1,880½	
Total Metropolitan	900½	234	222⅜	242⅝	
Grand Total ..	2,760⅝	1,407	1,643½	2,123½	

* 4 February, 1895. † 5 February, 1894.

18.—Waterworks constructed under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, to 31st December, 1896.

ough or al District.	Expenditure on Works.	Interest on Expenditure.	Total Expenditure and Interest.	Repaid by Council.	Remission by Government.	Net Debt.	Amount payable annually.	Repayable from.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
... ...	37,820	.....	37,820	.....	.....	37,820	1,368	31 Dec., 1892
... ...	45,186	12,058	57,244	654	15,590	41,000	1,483	31 „ 1894
ald ...	7,963	1,420	9,383	.....	3,383	6,000	217	31 „ 1893
rst... ...	53,876	15,382	69,258	238	14,020	55,000	1,989	31 „ 1894
e	14,336	2,972	17,308	.....	3,872	13,436	486	31 „ 1893
nundra ...	11,645	895	12,540	.....	1,644	10,896	394	31 „ 1894
quin ...	18,168	5,830	23,998	2,260	3,270	18,468	668	31 „ 1893
... ...	13,986	1,252	15,238	.....	.....	15,238	551	30 June, 1896
... ...	8,013	1,402	9,415	1,457	.....	7,958	288	31 Dec., 1893
urn ...	55,184	15,851	71,035	3,774	12,261	55,000	1,989	31 „ 1894
... ...	7,072	1,269	8,341	650	.....	7,691	278	31 „ 1893
rie ...	6,405	175	6,580	.....	1,151	5,429	196	31 „ 1894
re	9,396	1,579	10,975	684	275	10,016	362	31 „ 1893
w	12,068	681	12,749	.....	.....	12,749	461	30 June, 1896
... ...	11,532	1,061	12,593	.....	.....	12,593	455	30 „ 1896
n	10,731	1,023	11,754	326	2,428	9,000	325	31 Dec., 1896
... ...	30,942	4,770	35,712	759	2,265	32,688	1,182	31 „ 1893
Wagga ...	37,272	11,046	48,318	5,110	4,708	38,500	1,392	31 „ 1893
worth ...	9,665	1,874	11,539	60	7,479	4,000	145	31 „ 1893
nnia ...	8,000	1,588	9,588	1,207	.....	8,381	303	31 „ 1894
Totals ...	409,260	82,128	491,388	17,179	72,346	401,863	14,532	Totals.

ater Supply of Country Towns.—The Country Towns Water Supply and Sewerage Act and Amending Acts or the construction by the Government of waterworks and sewerage systems in municipalities which are outside the red by the Metropolitan and Hunter River Water Supply and Sewerage Boards. The cost becomes a charge against cipality, carrying interest at the rate of 3½ per cent., and repayable by annual payments over a period of not more years. Under special circumstances, the Government may remit part of the cost.

ough the Manly works were constructed under the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Act of 1880, the more favour- s of the Country Towns Act of 1894 were extended to them; hence their inclusion in this table.

Forbes, Hay, and Wilcannia the works were constructed under the supervision of the Municipal authorities, and diture shown in the table is not the actual cost of the works, but the Government valuation.

addition to the above, there are sixteen districts which are supplied by the Hunter District Water Supply and Board. Information with respect to this Board to 30th June, 1897, will be found in Part "Miscellaneous."

e municipal district of Broken Hill is supplied with water from works situated at Stephen's Creek, which were ted by a private company under a special Act passed in 1888.

19.—Waterworks in course of construction under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 31st December, 1896.

ugh or Municipal District.	Expenditure.	Borough or Municipal District.	Expenditure.
	£		£
dale	34,747	Parkes	15,876
mble	5,544	Tamworth	14,237
... ...	43,014		
a	6,507	Total ... ... £	135,436
Vale	15,511		

20.—Waterworks constructed by Municipalities to 3rd February, 1896.

ugh or Municipal District.	Length of Mains and Reticulation.	Cost of Construction.	Borough or Municipal District.	Length of Mains and Reticulation.	Cost of Construction.
	m. ch.	£		m. ch.	£
ndera	4 10	8,400	Singleton	0 24	500
matta	23 0	30,000	Windsor	6 19	6,500
th	9 0	9,000			
ton	0 50	300	Totals	43 23	54,700

No. 17.—Roads and Streets in Municipalities, 3rd February, 1896—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Metalled, &c.	Formed.	Cleared.	Natural Surface.	Totals.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
COUNTRY—*continued.*					
Granville	12	25	18	5	60
Grenfell	3½	1¼	10¾	..	15½
Greta	1¼	4½	2½	13½	21¾
Gulgong	40	8½	17½	3	69
*Gundagai	6½	3	19	..	28½
Gunnedah	6	..	2	12	20
Hamilton	13	1¼	7¼	..	21½
Hay	2¼	7	30	5	44¼
Hill End	10½	2	..	..	12½
Hillston	¼	6½	14	29¼	50
Illawarra, Central ..	70	30	20	20	140
Illawarra, North ..	30	16	..	..	46
Inverell	68	2	5¾	74¼	150
Jamberoo	54	14	½	..	68½
*Jerilderie	4	4¼	6¼	16½	31
Junee	2½	3¾	15¼	..	21½
Katoomba	10	23	..	118	151
Kempsey	11	3	5	7	26
Kiama..	6	13	..	..	19
Lambton	8	2	..	9	19
Lambton, New ..	10	1½	3½	52	67
Lismore	18	14	20	8	60
Lithgow	10½	1¼	1	..	12¾
Liverpool	28	..	54	26	108
Maclean	4½	5½	16	..	26
Maitland, East ..	25	4	2	2	33
Maitland, West ..	36¼	..	1¼	..	37½
Merewether	14	5	..	2	21
Mittagong	4¾	11	6¾	7	29½
Moama	6	13	40	50	109
Molong	12½	2	37½	..	52
Moree	..	10⅜	7½	24½	42
Morpeth	8¼	..	..	1½	9¾
Moruya	15	10	15	10	50
†Moss Vale	13	3	3	5	24
Mudgee	7	¾	6¾	..	14½
*Mulgoa	..	18	4	..	22
Murrumburrah ..	4¼	16	2¼	2½	25
Murrurundi	5	..	1	3	9
Musclebrook	4½	2	3	2	11½
*Narrabri	3½	5½	7	3	19
Narrabri, West ..	1¾	..	1⅛	4	6⅞
Narrandera	6¾	½	16½	..	23¾
Newcastle	15	3	7	..	25
Nowra..	14	3½	14	2½	34
Nyngan	½	8	6	16	30½
Orange	8	5	3	..	16
Orange, East.. ..	7	5	4	..	16
Parkes	9	28	15	..	52
Parramatta	44	10	47	10	111
COUNTRY—*continued.*					
Peak Hill	¼	2	8	..	10¼
Penrith	38	..	33	10	81
Picton..	5	2	2	3	12
Plattsburg	8	2¼	2¼	2¼	14¾
Port Macquarie ..	6	7	3	14	30
Prospect & Sherwood	25½	25	40	40	130½
Queanbeyan	4¼	5	5	2	16¼
Quirindi	4	1¾	10	4½	20¼
Raymond Terrace ..	2¾	¾	5	..	8½
Richmond	6½	1	..	..	7½
Rookwood	5	8	5	14	32
Scone	4	1½	2¼	..	7¾
Shellharbour ..	50	10	..	..	60
Shoalhaven, South..	24	19	8	2	53
Silverton	7¼	..	..	12¾	20
Singleton	11	¼	..	..	11¼
Singleton, South ..	5	..	..	¼	5¼
Smithfield and Fairfield	8	14	32	12	66
†St. Mary's	5	7½	10	..	22½
Stockton	10¼	¼	3¼	..	13¾
Tamworth	22	4	7⅜	⅝	34
Taree	2¼	¼	½	..	3
Temora	6	½	12	2½	21
Tenterfield	38	27	10	45	120
Tumut	3¼	1⅛	9⅝	3½	17½
Ulladulla	25	20	10	25	80
Ulmarra	6	50	30	34	120
Uralla..	3	1½	2	2½	9
Wagga Wagga ..	10¼	13¼	25	3½	52
Walcha	4	5	22½	2½	34
Wallendbeen.. ..	10	55	89	110	264
Wallsend	7½	1	2	½	11
Waratah	16	6	5	15	42
Warren	½	½	3½	8	12½
Wellington	6	..	27	..	3
Wentworth	¾	6	19¾	..	26½
Wickham	10¼	1	1¾	..	13
Wilcannia	1	1½	13½	13	29
Windsor	10	..	1	2	13
Wingham	5¼	3	3½	1¾	13½
Wollongong	24	6	..	..	30
Yass	23	22	25	..	70
Young..	12½	7	19	1	39½
Total Country ..	1,860½	1,173	1,420⅝	1,880½	6,3[illegible]
Total Metropolitan	900½	234	222⅜	242½	
Grand Total ..	2,760⅝	1,407	1,643½	2,123	

* 4 February, 1895. † 5 February, 1894.

No. 24.—Municipal Elections, February, 1896.

nicipal District.	Electors on the Rolls.	Electors Voting.	Votes Polled.	Wards. In Municipality.	Wards. Election contested in.	Aldermen. Elected.	Aldermen. Total.
AN—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
... ...	22,228	.....	6,477	8	3	8	24
... ...	*1,355	641	1,036	4	3	4	12
... ...	*1,146	427	2,168	1	1	4	12
... ...	3,581	§	1,902	3	2	3	9
... ...	6,751	1,037	1,983	4	2	4	12
... ...	1,550	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
rth	976	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
... ...	*1,206	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
n	1,600	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
... ...	1,663	§	316	3	2	3	9
... ...	730	213	603	1	1	2	6
... ...	*423	354	1,508	1	1	3	9
ie	658	262	395	3	2	3	9
... ...	888	249	486	3	3	3	9
e	*926	147	267	3	1	3	9
... ...	*369	§	§	2	§	2	6
... ...	2,816	247	562	4	1	4	12
Hill	*614	§	205	3	1	3	9
... ...	2,689	645	910	3	2	3	9
... ...	1,694	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
... ...	528	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
t	*2,970	§	1,718	4	4	4	12
... ...	1,286	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
lle	*2,714	§	1,741	4	3	4	12
... ...	205	63	87	2	1	2	6
... ...	1,003	94	162	3	1	3	9
... ...	4,476	§	1,902	4	3	4	12
lney	4,261	999	2,125	5	4	5	15
n	4,141	.....	.....	4	...	4	12
... ...	*2,065	980	1,962	4	3	4	12
... ...	1,996	§	§	4	1	4	12
... ...	*1,732	§	1,148	4	2	4	12
... ...	2,493	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
... ...	687	208	580	3	2	3	9
... ...	*968	315	492	3	2	3	9
d	828	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
... ...	179	118	162	1	1	3	9
... ...	*1,206	459	881	4	3	4	12
... ...	3,177	464	1,001	4	3	4	12
by	1,258	§	§	3	2	3	9
a	2,395	192	496	4	1	4	12
Suburbs	72,203	.....	.....	123	58	133	399
Metropolitan ...	94,431	.....	.....	131	61	141	423

yers only. † February, 1895. ‡ February, 1894. § No information. ‖ 1st December, 1895.

pal Elections.—In all municipalities, except the city of Sydney, elections are held in the month of February, rs and one-third of the aldermen being elected annually. All ratepayers, whether male or female, are entitled erty assessed on an annual rental of, and under, £25 carrying one vote; £75, two votes; £150, three votes; 0, four votes. With a population between 500 and 1,000, a municipality may be divided into two wards; and 4,000, three wards; over 4,000, four wards. Undivided municipalities are set down as consisting of one city of Sydney the elections are held on the 1st December. Unlike those in the other incorporated districts, have the right of voting whether they pay rates or not.

No. 24.—Municipal Elections, February, 1896—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Electors on the Rolls.	Electors Voting.	Votes Polled.	Wards. In Municipality.	Wards. Election contested in.	Aldermen. Elected.	Aldermen. Total.
COUNTRY—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Aberdeen	162	.....	.....	1	...	2	6
Adamstown	532	68	88	3	2	4	9
Albury	1,117	450	706	1	1	3	9
†Armidale	*845	§	§	3	... 1	3	9
Auburn	1,587	225	307	3	3	3	9
Ballina	*275	99	312	1	1	3	9
†Balranald	215	§	111	1	1	2	5
Bankstown	613	92	191	1	1	2	6
Bathurst	2,141	.....	.....	4	...	4	12
Bega	561	97	433	1	1	3	9
Berry	*340	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
Bingara	*164	52	98	1	1	2	6
Blayney	314	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
Bombala	*175	43	58	1	1	3	9
Bourke	*728	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
Bowral	†435	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
Braidwood	289	146	593	1	1	3	9
Broken Hill	*4,375	305	451	4	4	4	12
Broughton Vale	91	19	72	1	1	2	6
Burrowa	179	.....	.....	1	...	2	6
Cabramatta and Canley Vale	1,207	151	200	2	2	2	6
Camden	314	184	290	1	1	3	9
†Campbelltown	676	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
Carcoar	*137	.....	.....	1	...	2	6
Carrington	*380	198	328	1	1	3	9
‡Casino	321	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
Castlereagh	310	277	§	1	1	2	6
†Cobar	306	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
Condobolin	212	.....	.....	1	...	3	6
Cooma	*421	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
†Coonamble	267	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
Cootamundra	454	140	§	1	1	3	9
Coraki	173	.....	.....	1	...	2	6
Cowra	294	.....	.....	1	...	‖3	9
Cudal	*159	.....	.....	1	...	2	6
Cudgegong	383	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
Deniliquin	*560	183	249	3	3	3	9
†Dubbo	*638	§	390	3	2	3	9
Dundas	238	82	132	2	1	2	6
Dungog	*237	80	143	1	1	2	6
Ermington and Rydalmere...	163	§	§	2	2	2	6
Forbes	921	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
Gerringong	*165	.....	.....	1	..	3	9
Glen Innes	*567	61	111	3	1	3	9
Gosford	278	.....	.....	2	...	2	[illegible]
Goulburn	2,432	153	§	4	1	4	[illegible]
Grafton	*850	§	246	4	2	4	[illegible]
Granville	2,177	26	39	4	1	4	[illegible]

* Ratepayers only. † February, 1895. ‡ February, 1894. § No information. ‖ Including one appointed by His Excellency the Governor.

No. 24.—Municipal Elections, February, 1896—*continued.*

ough or Municipal District.	Electors on the Rolls.	Electors Voting.	Votes Polled.	Wards.		Aldermen.	
				In Municipality.	Election contested in.	Elected.	Total.
TRY—*continued.*	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
nfell	226	190	§	1	1	2	6
ta	393	93	123	1	1	3	9
gong	520	.....	.....	1	...	2	6
ıdagai	*262	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
ınedah	337	94	140	1	1	3	9
nilton	1,736	37	46	4	1	4	12
r	534	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
l End	220	26	83	1	1	3	9
lston	237	60	207	1	1	2	6
warra, Central	680	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
warra, North	*614	149	173	3	1	3	9
srell	*570	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
ıberoo	*319	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
lderie	*138	.....	.....	1	...	2	6
ee	*405	120	224	3	2	3	9
oomba	486	147	236	1	1	2	6
npsey	429	§	63	1	1	3	9
ma	364	172	684	1	1	3	9
nbton	675	93	279	1	1	3	9
ıbton, New	353	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
nore	775	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
ıgow	788	159	259	3	3	3	9
erpool	1,949	227	286	3	2	3	9
clean	270	64	263	1	1	3	9
itland, East	753	280	§	1	1	3	9
itland, West	1,529	733	3,579	1	1	4	12
rewether	*692	62	99	4	2	4	12
tagong	361	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
ama	244	107	165	1	1	2	6
long	219	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
ree	*267	102	176	1	1	3	9
rpeth	267	140	216	1	1	3	9
ruya	266	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
es Vale	288	109	206	1	1	3	9
dgee	478	163	305	1	1	3	9
lgoa	*169	.....	.....	1	...	2	6
rrumburrah	*300	42	81	3	1	3	9
rrurundi	250	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
sclebrook	380	184	308	1	1	3	9
rabri	600	§	320	3	2	3	9
rabri, West	‖	.....	.....	1	...	¶2	6
randera	420	§	104	3	1	3	9
rcastle	2,910	313	635	4	1	5	12
rra	590	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
ıgan	*186	.....	.....	1	...	3	9
nge	1,463	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
nge, East	586	.....	.....	3	...	3	9
kes	*751	179	301	1	1	3	9

atepayers only. † February, 1895. ‡ February, 1894. § No information. ‖ New municipality—no Roll.
¶ Including one appointed by His Excellency the Governor.

No. 24.—Municipal Elections, February, 1896—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Electors on the Rolls.	Electors Voting.	Votes Polled.	Wards. In Municipality.	Wards. Election contested in.	Aldermen. Elected.	Aldermen. Tota
COUNTRY—*continued.*—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	N
Parramatta	2,585	.....	.....	4	...	4	
Peak Hill	*337	108	333	1	1	3	
Penrith	1,083	126	193	3	2	3	
Picton	235	111	433	1	1	3	
Plattsburg	884	109	153	1	1	3	
Port Macquarie	254	.....	.....	1	...	3	
Prospect and Sherwood ...	2,232	.....	.....	1	...	3	
Queanbeyan	*284	.....	.....	1	...	3	
Quirindi	295	157	245	1	1	3	
Raymond Terrace	220	.....	.....	1	...	2	
Richmond	*279	200	301	1	1	3	
Rookwood	1,271	208	453	3	3	5	
Scone	*158	59	165	1	1	2	
Shellharbour...	*293	52	108	3	1	3	
Shoalhaven, South	*162	93	201	1	1	3	
Silverton	*120	.....	.....	1	...	4	
Singleton	509	.....	.....	1	...	3	
Singleton, South	235	91	142	1	1	2	
Smithfield and Fairfield ...	932	47	54	3	1	3	
‡St. Mary's	543	.....	.....	1	...	3	
Stockton	607	115	418	1	1	3	
Tamworth	819	§	136	4	1	4	
Taree	*121	76	246	1	1	2	
†Temora	*434	.....	.....	1	...	3	
Tenterfield	673	153	227	3	2	3	
Tumut	*349	102	175	1	1	3	
Ulladulla	371	69	141	3	1	3	
Ulmarra	254	.....	.....	3	...	3	
Uralla	160	23	47	1	1	2	
Wagga Wagga	1,073	.....	.....	3	...	4	
Walcha	*184	32	73	1	1	3	
Wallendbeen	*133	123	246	1	1	3	
Wallsend	756	55	61	3	1	3	
Waratah	1,096	172	643	1	1	3	
Warren	*212	70	370	1	1	3	
Wellington	367	186	713	1	1	3	
Wentworth	214	78	120	1	1	2	
Wickham	1,971	.....	.....	4	...	4	
Wilcannia	289	104	203	1	1	3	
Windsor	468	.....	.....	3	...	3	
Wingham	122	.....	.....	1	...	2	
Wollongong	1,126	.....	.....	3	...	3	
Yass	409	§	77	3	1	3	
Young	457	.....	.....	1	...	4	
Total Country ...	83,203	.....	.....	249	106	409	
„ Metropolitan ...	94,431	.....	.....	131	61	141	
Grand Total	177,634	.....	.....	380	167		

* Ratepayers only. † February, 1895. ‡ February, 1894.

No. 25.—Municipal Association of New South Wales.

The Association was established in 1883, and its objects are: To watch over and protect the interests, rights and privileges of Municipal Corporations; to take action in relation to any subject affecting Municipal Bodies or Municipal legislation; and to promote the efficient carrying out of Municipal Government throughout the Colony. All municipalities subscribing £3 3s. annually to the funds of the Association have the right to vote at meetings, and to participate in all the other advantages of membership as set out in the rules.

The Municipality of Sydney is not represented in the Association, chiefly because the administration of the civic affairs is regulated by a Special Act; the Mayor of Sydney, however, under the constitution of the Association, is President.

NUMBER OF SUBSCRIBING MUNICIPALITIES, 1883-96.

Year ended February.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.	Year ended February.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.
1883	23	40	63	1890	26	87	113
1884	26	40	66	1891	22	98	120
1885	26	53	79	1892	24	111	135
1886	22	63	85	1893	25	106	131
1887	18	64	82	1894	26	104	130
1888	23	66	89	1895	27	107	134
1889	27	79	106	1896	26	106	132

BALANCE SHEET.

Year ended 3rd February, 1896.

Receipts.	£	s.	d.	Disbursements.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance brought forward ...	1,729	9	11	Votes to Kiama and Orange Councils in Test cases ...	75	0	0			
Subscriptions	425	5	0	Legal expenses	22	13	6			
Interest on Fixed Deposit, &c.	59	3	7	Printing	116	13	6			
				Salary of Secretary... ...	150	0	0			
				Sessional Expenses—						
				Entertaining Representatives	31	6	0			
				Reporting Session ...	20	0	0			
				Stationery, Stamps, &c. ...	19	12	0	435	5	0
				Balance—						
				Fixed Deposit	1,670	0	0			
				Current Account ...	108	13	6	1,778	13	6
£	2,213	18	6	£				2,213	18	6

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PART II.—SHIPPING.

No. 1.—Total Tonnage of Shipping With Cargo and In Ballast, 1887–96.

Year.	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.	
	Tonnage.	Tons per head of Population.	Tonnage.	Tons per head of Population.	Tonnage.	Tons per head of Population.
1887	3,779,147	3·76	543,611	0·54	4,322,758	4·30
1888	4,094,952	3·95	670,467	0·65	4,765,419	4·60
1889	4,551,014	4·27	770,165	0·72	5,321,179	4·99
1890	4,150,762	3·77	611,110	0·55	4,761,872	4·32
1891	4,978,663	4·35	715,573	0·63	5,694,236	4·98
1892	4,857,397	4·11	789,787	0·67	5,647,184	4·78
1893	4,513,676	3·73	679,652	0·56	5,193,328	4·29
1894	4,809,550	3·89	929,004	0·75	5,738,554	4·64
1895	4,949,073	3·91	910,965	0·72	5,860,038	4·63
1896	5,207,277	4·04	982,483	0·76	6,189,760	4·80

No. 2.—Total Tonnage of Shipping at Principal Ports, 1887–96.

Year.	Sydney.		Newcastle.		Wollongong.		Twofold Bay (Eden).		Other Ports.		Total Tonnage.
	Tonnage.	Percentage to Total.	Tonnage.	Percentage to Total.	Tonnage.	Percentage to Total.	Tonnage.	Percentage to Total.	Tonnage.	Percentage to Total.	
1887	2,786,533	64·46	1,347,288	31·17	19,719	0·46	27,938	0·64	141,280	3·27	4,322,758
1888	3,116,697	65·40	1,448,635	30·40	33,672	0·71	38,677	0·81	127,738	2·68	4,765,419
1889	3,191,998	59·99	1,871,005	35·16	41,145	0·77	73,147	1·38	143,884	2·70	5,321,179
1890	3,001,221	63·03	1,467,578	30·82	56,483	1·18	81,356	1·71	155,234	3·26	4,761,872
1891	3,469,862	60·94	1,844,842	32·40	101,888	1·79	120,554	2·11	157,090	2·76	5,694,236
1892	3,490,785	61·81	1,753,485	31·05	149,720	2·65	123,552	2·19	129,642	2·30	5,647,184
1893	3,488,122	67·16	1,367,207	26·33	103,202	1·99	84,443	1·62	150,354	2·90	5,193,328
1894	3,571,614	62·24	1,757,861	30·63	150,558	2·62	73,351	1·28	185,170	3·23	5,738,554
[illegible]	[illegible]	63·10	1,776,234	30·31	162,830	2·78	61,281	1·04	162,088	2·77	5,860,038
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	7,889	30·18	207,288	3·35	46,124	0·75	157,408	2·54	6,189,760

[illegible]rt of call and cleared at the port from which final departure is taken.

No. 3.—Tonnage of Vessels Entered and Cleared with Cargo and in Ballast, 1887–96.

Year.	ENTERED.					CLEARED.				
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total tonnage.	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total tonnage.
	Tonnage.	Per-centage of total entered.	Tonnage.	Per-centage of total entered.		Tonnage.	Per-centage of total cleared.	Tonnage.	Per-centage of total cleared.	
1887	1,635,280	76·33	507,177	23·67	2,142,457	2,143,867	98·33	36,434	1·67	2,180,30
1888	1,786,018	73·96	628,732	26·04	2,414,750	2,308,934	98·23	41,735	1·77	2,350,66
1889	1,927,814	73·24	704,267	26·76	2,632,081	2,623,200	97·55	65,898	2·45	2,689,09
1890	1,868,983	77·45	544,264	22·55	2,413,247	2,281,779	97·15	66,846	2·85	2,348,62
1891	2,189,281	77·58	632,617	22·42	2,821,898	2,789,382	97·11	82,956	2·89	2,872,33
1892	2,080,284	74·18	724,265	25·82	2,804,549	2,777,113	97·70	65,522	2·30	2,842,63
1893	1,969,182	76·02	621,189	23·98	2,590,371	2,544,494	97·75	58,463	2·25	2,602,95
1894	2,007,763	70·20	852,205	29·80	2,859,968	2,801,787	97·33	76,799	2.67	2,878,58
1895	2,076,945	70·89	852,813	29·11	2,929,758	2,872,128	98·01	58,152	1·99	2,930,28
1896	2,178,645	70·72	902,106	29·28	3,080,751	3,028,632	97·41	80,377	2·59	3,109,00

No. 4.—Average Tonnage and Crews of Steam and Sailing Vessels, 1887–96.

Year.	STEAM VESSELS.						SAILING VESSELS.					
	Average Tonnage.			Average Crews.			Average Tonnage.			Average Crews.		
	Austral-asian.	Other British.	Foreign.	Austral-asian.	Other British.	Foreign.	Austral-asian.	Other British.	Foreign.	Austral-asian.	Other British.	Forei
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	No.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	No
1887	632	1,576	1,804	26	72	113	295	1,183	718	8	22	13
1888	672	1,909	1,904	28	83	112	280	1,273	935	8	22	15
1889	653	1,795	1,888	26	78	109	340	1,312	832	9	23	13
1890	667	1,859	1,855	25	79	103	300	1,367	990	8	24	15
1891	794	1,965	1,922	28	77	99	282	1,342	948	8	23	14
1892	760	1,906	1,931	28	72	98	286	1,436	893	8	23	1
1893	698	1,961	1,998	25	77	103	257	1,496	850	7	24	
1894	651	2,044	2,019	24	79	104	249	1,523	979	7	2	
1895	676	2,148	2,049	24	77	97	268	1,454	1,002	8		
1896	690	2,139	1,926	24	76	85	263	1,467	1,004			

). 5.—Nationality of Steam and Sailing Vessels Entered during 1896.

Nationality.	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total Entered.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
Steam Vessels.									
sian	1,739	1,117,795	41,680	363	333,585	8,183	2,102	1,451,380	49,863
Kingdom	245	546,608	21,058	77	142,088	3,300	322	688,696	24,358
can—United States	8	15,512	760	...	.....	...	8	15,512	760
an	...	.....	...	2	3,948	52	2	3,948	52
h	43	92,135	6,101	5	3,200	178	48	95,335	6,279
Caledonian... ...	9	4,659	273	1	640	34	10	5,299	307
in	30	80,943	2,145	3	4,768	113	33	85,711	2,258
ese	4	6,200	346	...	.....	...	4	6,200	346
gian	6	7,816	147	13	19,057	363	19	26,873	510
Total	2,084	1,871,668	72,510	464	507,286	12,223	2,548	2,378,954	84,733
Sailing Vessels.									
sian	148	37,948	1,135	39	11,214	314	187	49,162	1,449
Kingdom	122	183,971	2,989	195	290,909	4,277	317	474,880	7,266
ritish Possessions...	15	15,334	263	17	21,795	278	32	37,129	541
can—Nicaraguan...	1	447	9	2	1,744	23	3	2,191	32
United States	23	24,511	334	15	15,127	192	38	39,638	526
an	...	.....	...	2	2,282	31	2	2,282	31
h	2	2,059	27	6	3,713	65	8	5,772	92
... ...	...	.....	...	2	2,474	34	2	2,474	34
h	1	1,321	19	5	6,433	101	6	7,754	120
Caledonian... ...	2	200	15	...	.....	...	2	200	15
an	12	16,019	228	19	20,167	287	31	36,186	515
ian...	6	7,622	95	...	.....	...	6	7,622	95
... ...	7	9,167	128	1	834	15	8	10,001	143
gian	10	7,574	121	22	18,128	276	32	25,702	397
sh	2	804	19	...	.....	...	2	804	19
Total	351	306,977	5,382	325	394,820	5,893	676	701,797	11,275
All Vessels.									
sian	1,887	1,155,743	42,815	402	344,799	8,497	2,289	1,500,542	51,312
Kingdom	367	730,579	24,047	272	432,997	7,577	639	1,163,576	31,624
ritish Possessions...	15	15,334	263	17	21,795	278	32	37,129	541
can—Nicaraguan...	1	447	9	2	1,744	23	3	2,191	32
United States	31	40,023	1,094	15	15,127	192	46	55,150	1,286
an	...	.....	...	4	6,230	83	4	6,230	83
... ...	2	2,059	27	6	3,713	65	8	5,772	92
... ...	...	.....	...	2	2,474	34	2	2,474	34
... ...	44	93,456	6,120	10	9,633	279	54	103,089	6,399
Caledonian... ...	11	4,859	288	1	640	34	12	5,499	322
in	42	96,962	2,373	22	24,935	400	64	121,897	2,773
ian...	6	7,622	95	...	.....	...	6	7,622	95
... ...	7	9,167	128	1	834	15	8	10,001	143
ese	4	6,200	346	...	.....	...	4	6,200	346
gian	16	15,390	268	35	37,185	639	51	52,575	907
h	2	804	19	...	.....	...	2	804	19
al Tonnage Entered	2,435	2,178,645	77,892	789	902,106	18,116	3,224	3,080,751	96,008

turns are exclusive of ships of war, cable-laying vessels, yachts, and vessels trading between ports of luding Lord Howe Island.

No. 6.—Nationality of Steam and Sailing Vessels Cleared during 1896.

Nationality.	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total Cleared.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews
Steam Vessels.									
Australasian	1,815	1,418,103	47,982	251	34,424	2,257	2,066	1,452,527	50,23
United Kingdom	324	685,382	24,125	8	19,881	358	332	705,263	24,4
Foreign—									
American—United States	8	15,512	740	...	.....	.....	8	15,512	74
Austrian	2	3,948	52	...	.....	.....	2	3,948	5
French	53	98,579	6,452	...	.....	.....	53	98,579	6,45
New Caledonian... ...	2	503	51	...	.....	.....	2	503	5
German	30	78,939	2,096	...	.....	.....	30	78,939	2,09
Hawaiian	1	852	19	...	.....	.....	1	852	1
Japanese	4	6,200	347	...	.....	.....	4	6,200	34
Norwegian	19	27,067	491	1	1,406	29	20	28,473	52
Total	2,258	2,335,085	82,355	260	55,711	2,644	2,518	2,390,796	84,99
Sailing Vessels.									
Australasian	179	45,443	1,357	11	1,845	77	190	47,288	1,43
United Kingdom	315	473,346	7,327	8	12,395	191	323	485,741	7,51
Other British Possessions...	31	38,093	515	2	2,733	36	33	40,826	55
Foreign—									
American—Chilian ...	1	622	13	...	.....	.....	1	622	1
Mexican ...	1	359	10	...	.....	.....	1	359	1
Nicaraguan...	2	936	19	...	.....	.....	2	936	1
United States	42	42,694	572	1	1,223	15	43	43,917	58
Austrian	2	2,282	36	...	.....	.....	2	2,282	3
Danish	5	2,272	46	1	1,651	23	6	3,923	6
Dutch	1	1,361	18	...	.....	.....	1	1,361	1
French	4	5,042	75	2	2,712	44	6	7,754	11
New Caledonian... ...	1	151	9	...	.....	.....	1	151	
German	30	36,908	517	1	982	16	31	37,890	53
Hawaiian...	7	8,160	99	...	.....	.....	7	8,160	9
Italian	8	9,949	146	...	.....	.....	8	9,949	14
Norwegian	31	25,356	401	2	894	19	33	26,250	42
Swedish	1	573	11	1	231	9	2	804	2
Total	661	693,547	11,171	29	24,666	430	690	718,213	11,60
All Vessels.									
Australasian	1,994	1,463,546	49,339	262	36,269	2,334	2,256	1,499,815	51,67
United Kingdom	639	1,158,728	31,452	16	32,276	549	655	1,191,004	32,00
Other British Possessions...	31	38,093	515	2	2,733	36	33	40,826	55
Foreign—									
American—Chilian ...	1	622	13	...	.....	.....	1	622	1
Mexican ...	1	359	10	...	.....	.....	1	359	1
Nicaraguan...	2	936	19	...	.....	.....	2	936	1
United States	50	58,206	1,312	1	1,223	15	51	59,429	1,32
Austrian	4	6,230	88	...	.....	.....	4	6,230	8
Danish	5	2,272	46	1	1,651	23	6	3,923	6
Dutch	1	1,361	18	...	.....	.....	1	1,361	1
French	57	103,621	6,527	2	2,712	44	59	106,333	6
New Caledonian... ...	3	654	60	...	.....	.....	3	654	
German	60	115,847	2,613	1	982	16	61	116,829	
Hawaiian...	8	9,012	118	...	.....	.....	8	9,0	
Italian	8	9,949	146	...	.....	.....	8		
Japanese	4	6,200	347	...	.....	.....	4		
Norwegian	50	52,423	892	3	2,300				
Swedish	1	573	11	1	2				
Total Tonnage Cleared	2,919	3,028,632	93,526	289	a				

No. 7.—Nationality of Steam and Sailing Vessels Entered and Cleared during 1896.

Nationality.	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total Entered and Cleared.		
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Crews.
Steam Vessels.									
Australasian	3,554	2,535,898	89,662	614	368,009	10,440	4,168	2,903,907	100,102
United Kingdom ...	569	1,231,990	45,183	85	161,969	3,658	654	1,393,959	48,841
Foreign—									
American—United States	16	31,024	1,500	...	.....	...	16	31,024	1,500
Austrian	2	3,948	52	2	3,948	52	4	7,896	104
French	96	190,714	12,553	5	3,200	178	101	193,914	12,731
New Caledonian ...	11	5,162	324	1	640	34	12	5,802	358
German	60	159,882	4,241	3	4,768	113	63	164,650	4,354
Hawaiian	1	852	19	...	.....	...	1	852	19
Japanese	8	12,400	693	...	.....	...	8	12,400	693
Norwegian	25	34,883	638	14	20,463	392	39	55,346	1,030
Total	4,342	4,206,753	154,865	724	562,997	14,867	5,066	4,769,750	169,732
Sailing Vessels.									
Australasian	327	83,391	2,492	50	13,059	391	377	96,450	2,883
United Kingdom ...	437	657,317	10,316	203	303,304	4,468	640	960,621	14,784
Other British Possessions	46	53,427	778	19	24,528	314	65	77,955	1,092
Foreign—									
American—Chilian ...	1	622	13	...	.....	...	1	622	13
Mexican ...	1	359	10	...	.....	...	1	359	10
Nicaraguan ..	3	1,383	28	2	1,744	23	5	3,127	51
United States	65	67,205	906	16	16,350	207	81	83,555	1,113
Austrian	2	2,282	36	2	2,282	31	4	4,564	67
Danish	7	4,331	73	7	5,364	88	14	9,695	161
Dutch	1	1,361	18	2	2,474	34	3	3,835	52
French	5	6,363	94	7	9,145	145	12	15,508	239
New Caledonian ...	3	351	24	...	.....	...	3	351	24
German...	42	52,927	745	20	21,149	303	62	74,076	1,048
Hawaiian	13	15,782	194	...	.....	...	13	15,782	194
Italian	15	19,116	274	1	834	15	16	19,950	289
Norwegian	41	32,930	522	24	19,022	295	65	51,952	817
Swedish...	3	1,377	30	1	231	9	4	1,608	39
Total	1,012	1,000,524	16,553	354	419,486	6,323	1,366	1,420,010	22,876
All Vessels.									
Australasian	3,881	2,619,289	92,154	664	381,068	10,831	4,545	3,000,357	102,985
United Kingdom ...	1,006	1,889,307	55,499	288	465,273	8,126	1,294	2,354,580	63,625
Other British Possessions	46	53,427	778	19	24,528	314	65	77,955	1,092
Foreign—									
American—Chilian ...	1	622	13	...	.....	...	1	622	13
Mexican ...	1	359	10	...	.....	...	1	359	10
Nicaraguan ..	3	1,383	28	2	1,744	23	5	3,127	51
United States	81	98,229	2,406	16	16,350	207	97	114,579	2,613
Austrian	4	6,230	88	4	6,230	83	8	12,460	171
Danish	7	4,331	73	7	5,364	88	14	9,695	161
Dutch	1	1,361	18	2	2,474	34	3	3,835	52
French	101	197,077	12,647	12	12,345	323	113	209,422	12,970
New Caledonian ...	14	5,513	348	1	640	34	15	6,153	382
German	102	212,809	4,986	23	25,917	416	125	238,726	5,402
Hawaiian	14	16,634	213	...	.....	...	14	16,634	213
Italian	15	19,116	274	1	834	15	16	19,950	289
Japanese	8	12,400	693	...	.....	...	8	12,400	693
Norwegian	66	67,813	1,160	38	39,485	687	104	107,298	1,847
Swedish	3	1,377	30	1	231	9	4	1,608	39
Total all Vessels	5,354	5,207,277	171,418	1,078	982,483	21,190	6,432	6,189,760	192,608

No. 8.—Nationality of Steam and Sailing Vessels Entered, 1887–96.

Year.	Australasia.	United Kingdom.	Other British Possessions.	France.	Germany.	Norway.	Sweden.	United States of America.	Other Nationalities.	Total Entered
				STEAM VESSELS.						
	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonn'ge	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnag
1887	968,552†	458,585	*	78,194	41,845	.....	...	15,594	6,855	1,569,6
1888	1,066,791†	423,708	*	80,710	41,617	.....	...	17,524	8,199	1,638,5
1889	1,250,183†	473,821	*	72,235	48,424	.....	...	17,451	8,168	1,870,2
1890	1,178,350†	483,215	*	66,115	77,562	.....	...	15,512	11,498	1,832,2
1891	1,412,721	544,346	.....	78,684	77,049	5,874	...	17,451	11,208	2,147,3
1892	1,327,669	623,191	.....	85,322	74,361	5,236	...	17,451	10,688	2,143,9
1893	1,372,754	568,609	.....	94,829	64,293	.....	...	15,512	1,168	2,117,1
1894	1,435,368	588,786	.....	87,372	58,733	.....	...	17,451	.....	2,187,7
1895	1,363,667	644,469	.....	94,053	82,981	5,520	...	17,449	2,826	2,210,9
1896	1,451,380	688,696	.....	100,634	85,711	26,873	...	15,512	10,148	2,378,9
				SAILING VESSELS.						
	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonn'ge	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnag
1887	146,240†	325,322	*	4,581	26,975	27,518	5,164	30,420	6,612	572,8
1888	144,019†	454,386	*	3,629	44,122	31,874	8,593	74,264	15,314	776,2
1889	156,962†	434,291	*	3,521	38,861	23,634	7,994	83,596	12,940	761,7
1890	117,697†	322,668	*	2,893	41,406	10,855	1,006	73,144	11,326	580,9
1891	108,056	336,096	30,342	8,291	48,469	47,153	4,690	71,027	20,441	674,5
1892	95,183	397,930	29,960	4,222	35,804	37,966	3,360	46,935	9,271	660,6
1893	68,111	323,549	16,089	469	20,759	11,691	1,922	20,758	9,858	473,2
1894	64,943	481,996	17,668	1,817	18,056	15,012	1,928	50,969	19,869	672,2
1895	57,024	495,553	43,951	.....	27,071	27,201	...	48,944	19,049	718,7
1896	49,162	474,880	37,129	7,954	36,186	25,702	804	39,638	30,342	701,7
				ALL VESSELS.						
	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonn'ge	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnag
1887	1,114,792†	783,907	*	82,775	68,820	27,518	5,164	46,014	13,467	2,142,4
1888	1,210,810†	878,094	*	84,339	85,739	31,874	8,593	91,788	23,513	2,414,7
1889	1,407,145†	908,112	*	75,756	87,285	23,634	7,994	101,047	21,108	2,632,0
1890	1,296,047†	805,883	*	69,008	118,968	10,855	1,006	88,656	22,824	2,413,2
1891	1,520,777	880,442	30,342	86,975	125,518	53,027	4,690	88,478	31,649	2,821,[illegible]
1892	1,422,852	1,021,121	29,960	89,544	110,165	43,202	3,360	64,386	19,959	2,8[illegible]
1893	1,440,865	892,158	16,089	95,298	85,052	11,691	1,922	36,270	11,026	[illegible]
1894	1,500,311	1,070,782	17,668	89,189	76,789	15,012	1,928	68,420		
1895	1,420,691	1,140,022	43,951	94,053	110,052	32,721	...			
1896	1,500,542	1,163,576	37,129	108,588	121,897	52,575	8[illegible]			

* Prior to 1891 vessels entered from Other British Possessions w[illegible]

† Including Other British P[illegible]

No. 9.—Nationality of Steam and Sailing Vessels Cleared, 1887–96.

Year.	Australasia.	United Kingdom.	Other British Possessions.	France.	Germany.	Norway.	Sweden.	United States of America.	Other Nationalities.	Total Cleared.
					STEAM VESSELS.					
	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonn'ge	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.
1887	973,708†	459,860	*	78,181	39,949	...	8,630	15,595	...	1,575,923
1888	1,066,278†	414,535	*	79,552	41,659	...	...	17,451	6,485	1,625,960
1889	1,250,405†	451,479	*	72,145	48,447	...	...	17,451	8,169	1,848,096
1890	1,157,276†	496,681	*	65,565	76,030	...	...	17,226	9,784	1,822,562
1891	1,396,207	568,889	...	78,688	76,295	5,874	...	17,451	9,054	2,152,458
1892	1,349,635	642,505	...	82,626	74,716	5,236	...	17,451	13,547	2,185,716
1893	1,353,057	576,434	...	98,096	61,882	...	...	19,384	1,168	2,110,021
1894	1,442,079	606,968	...	90,312	60,866	...	...	19,587	...	2,219,812
1895	1,396,155	638,623	...	92,732	86,296	3,520	...	17,451	1,974	2,236,751
1896	1,452,527	705,263	...	99,082	78,939	28,473	...	15,512	11,000	2,390,796
					SAILING VESSELS.					
	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonn'ge	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.
1887	148,836†	355,424	*	4,902	26,874	25,111	4,018	33,389	5,824	604,378
1888	146,914†	424,920	*	3,906	32,501	30,936	8,443	64,092	12,997	724,709
1889	159,521†	483,136	*	3,216	49,403	30,516	7,716	91,666	15,828	841,002
1890	126,468†	274,608	*	2,893	34,415	6,559	2,258	67,888	10,974	526,063
1891	112,083	364,385	29,482	8,088	55,294	48,322	6,410	77,789	18,027	719,880
1892	86,790	395,356	29,631	2,265	36,886	44,616	2,626	46,521	12,228	656,919
1893	73,045	339,748	12,904	2,293	17,491	13,680	1,318	22,351	10,106	492,936
1894	74,427	457,961	21,775	1,197	19,374	14,951	1,928	50,956	16,205	658,774
1895	65,733	466,005	43,994	999	25,217	26,677	...	43,879	21,025	693,529
1896	47,288	485,741	40,826	7,905	37,890	26,250	804	43,917	27,592	718,213
					ALL VESSELS.					
	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonn'ge	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.
1887	1,122,544†	815,284	*	83,083	66,823	25,111	12,648	48,984	5,824	2,180,301
1888	1,213,192†	839,455	*	83,458	74,160	30,936	8,443	81,543	19,482	2,350,669
1889	1,409,926†	934,615	*	75,361	97,850	30,516	7,716	109,117	23,997	2,689,098
1890	1,283,744†	771,289	*	68,458	110,445	6,559	2,258	85,114	20,758	2,348,625
1891	1,508,290	933,274	29,482	86,776	131,589	54,196	6,410	95,240	27,081	2,872,338
1892	1,436,425	1,037,861	29,631	84,891	111,602	49,852	2,626	63,972	25,775	2,842,635
1893	1,426,102	916,182	12,904	100,389	79,373	13,680	1,318	41,735	11,274	2,602,957
1894	1,516,506	1,064,929	21,775	91,509	80,240	14,951	1,928	70,543	16,205	2,878,586
1895	1,461,888	1,104,628	43,994	93,731	111,513	30,197	...	61,330	22,999	2,930,280
1896	1,499,815	1,191,004	40,826	106,987	116,829	54,723	804	59,429	38,592	3,109,009

* Prior to 1891 vessels cleared for Other British Possessions were not distinguished from those of Australasia.
† Including Other British Possessions.

No. 10.—Nationality of Steam and Sailing Vessels Entered and Cleared, 1887

Year.	Australasia.	United Kingdom.	Other British Possessions.	France.	Germany.	Norway.	Sweden.	United States of America.	Other Nationalities.	Tot Ent as Clea
					Steam Vessels.					
	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonn
1887	1,942,260†	918,445	*	156,375	81,794	.....	8,630	31,189	6,855	3,145,
1888	2,133,069†	838,243	*	160,262	83,276	.....	.....	34,975	14,684	3,264,
1889	2,500,588†	925,300	*	144,380	96,871	.....	.....	34,902	16,337	3,718,
1890	2,335,626†	979,896	*	131,680	153.592	.....	.....	32,738	21,282	3,654,
1891	2,808,928	1,113,235	.....	157,372	153,344	11,748	.....	34,902	20,262	4,299,
1892	2,677,304	1,265,696	.....	167,948	149,077	10,472	.....	34,902	24,235	4,329,
1893	2,725,811	1,145,043	.....	192,925	126,175	.....	.....	34,896	2,336	4,227,
1894	2,877,447	1,195,754	.....	177,684	119,599	.....	.....	37,038	.....	4,407,
1895	2,759,822	1,283,092	.....	186,785	169,277	9,040	.....	34,900	4,800	4,447,
1896	2,903,907	1,393,959	.....	199,716	164,650	55,346	.....	31,024	21,148	4,769
					Sailing Vessels.					
	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonn
1887	295,076†	680,746	*	9,483	53,849	52,629	9,182	63,809	12,436	1,177,
1888	290,933†	879,306	*	7,535	76,623	62,810	17,036	138,356	28,311	1,500,
1889	316,483†	917,427	*	6,737	88,264	54,150	15,710	175,262	28,768	1,602,
1890	244,165†	597,276	*	5,786	75,821	17,414	3,264	141,032	22,300	1,107,
1891	220,139	700,481	59,824	16,379	103,763	95,475	11,100	148,816	38,468	1,394,
1892	181,973	793,286	59,591	6,487	72,690	82,582	5,986	93,456	21,499	1,317,
1893	141,156	663,297	28,993	2,762	38,250	25,371	3,240	43,109	19,964	966,
1894	139,370	939,957	39,443	3,014	37,430	29,963	3,856	101,925	36,074	1,331,
1895	122,757	961,558	87,945	999	52,288	53,878	.....	92,823	40,074	1,412,
1896	96,450	960,621	77,955	15,859	74,076	51,952	1,608	83,555	57,934	1,420,
					All Vessels.					
	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonnage.	Tonn
1887	2,237,336†	1,599,191	*	165,858	135,643	52,629	17,812	94,998	19,291	4,322,
1888	2,424,002†	1,717,549	*	167,797	159,899	62,810	17,036	173,331	42,995	4,765,
1889	2,817,071†	1,842,727	*	151,117	185,135	54,150	15,710	210,164	45,105	5,321
1890	2,579,791†	1,577,172	*	137,466	229,413	17,414	3,264	173,770	43,582	4,761,
1891	3,029,067	1,813,716	59,824	173,751	257,107	107,223	11,100	183,718	58,730	5,694
1892	2,859,277	2,058,982	59,591	174,435	221,767	93,054	5,986	128,358	45,734	5,6[illegible]
1893	2,866,967	1,808,340	28,993	195,687	164,425	25,371	3,240	78,005	22,300	[illegible]
1894	3,016,817	2,135,711	39,443	180,698	157,029	29,963	3,856	138,963		
1895	2,882,579	2,244,650	87,945	187,784	221,565	62,918	.....			
1896	3,000,357	2,354,580	77,955	215,575	238,726	107,298	1			

* Prior to 1891 vessels belonging to Other British Possessions were
† Including Other British Po

). 11.—Tonnage and Crews of British and Foreign Vessels Entered, 1887–96.

Nationality.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
VESSELS.										
ustralasia	2,029†	2,103†	2,376†	2,159†	2,162	2,081	2,232	2,465	2,229	2,289
nited Kingdom ..	566	579	595	496	524	602	504	602	639	639
ther British Possessions	*	*	*	*	26	23	13	14	32	32
oreign	220	273	283	234	309	254	165	191	221	264
Total	2,815	2,955	3,254	2,889	3,021	2,960	2,914	3,272	3,121	3,224
TONNAGE.										
ustralasia	1,114,792†	1,210,810†	1,407,145†	1,296,047†	1,520,777	1,422,852	1,440,865	1,500,311	1,420,691	1,500,542
nited Kingdom ..	783,907	878,094	908,112	805,883	880,442	1,021,121	892,158	1,070,782	1,140,022	1,163,576
ther British Possessions	*	*	*	*	30,342	29,960	16,089	17,668	43,951	37,129
oreign	243,758	325,846	316,824	311,317	390,337	330,616	241,259	271,207	325,094	379,504
Total	2,142,457	2,414,750	2,632,081	2,413,247	2,821,898	2,804,549	2,590,371	2,859,968	2,929,758	3,080,751
CREWS.										
ustralasia	43,738†	48,734†	53,246†	47,517†	53,764	51,308	51,741	55,054	50,997	51,312
nited Kingdom ..	27,217	26,315	27,995	26,191	27,090	30,103	27,689	30,172	30,856	31,624
ther British Possessions	*	*	*	*	409	410	216	238	573	541
oreign	10,793	12,105	11,261	11,548	12,798	11,921	10,100	10,015	11,386	12,531
Total	81,748	87,154	92,502	85,256	94,061	93,742	89,746	95,479	93,812	96,008

No. 12.—Tonnage and Crews of British and Foreign Vessels Cleared, 1887–96.

Nationality.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
VESSELS.										
ustralasia	2,100†	2,170†	2,317†	2,087†	2,191	2,168	2,220	2,471	2,228	2,256
nited Kingdom ..	589	553	606	469	560	615	520	605	621	655
ther British Possessions	*	*	*	*	25	23	10	16	32	33
oreign	217	249	306	221	324	261	166	199	209	264
Total	2,906	2,972	3,229	2,777	3,100	3,067	2,916	3,291	3,090	3,208
TONNAGE.										
ustralasia	1,122,544†	1,213,192†	1,409,926†	1,283,744†	1,508,290	1,436,425	1,426,102	1,516,506	1,461,888	1,499,815
nited Kingdom ..	815,284	839,455	934,615	771,289	933,274	1,037,861	916,182	1,064,929	1,104,628	1,191,004
ther British Possessions	*	*	*	*	29,482	29,631	12,904	21,775	43,994	40,826
oreign	242,473	298,022	344,557	293,592	401,292	338,718	247,769	275,376	319,770	377,864
Total	2,180,301	2,350,669	2,689,098	2,348,625	2,872,338	2,842,635	2,602,957	2,878,586	2,930,280	3,109,009
CREWS.										
ustralasia	44,471†	48,383†	53,388†	47,155†	53,228	51,793	51,110	55,133	51,956	51,673
nited Kingdom ..	27,361	25,156	27,252	26,133	27,798	30,554	27,330	30,137	30,494	32,001
ther British Possessions	*	*	*	*	399	423	178	278	583	551
oreign	10,692	11,602	12,112	11,242	12,961	12,178	10,219	10,427	11,242	12,375
Total	82,524	85,141	92,752	84,530	94,386	94,948	88,837	95,975	94,275	96,600

* Prior to 1891 vessels belonging to Other British Possessions were not distinguished from those of Australasia.
† Including Other British Possessions.

No. 13.—Vessels Entered from each Country during 1896.

Country whence arrived.	British.				Foreign.				Total Entered	
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		With Cargo.		In Ballast.			
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage
Steam Vessels.										
Australasia—										
Victoria	774	437,480	287	266,580	7	11,366	4	6,420	1,072	721,8
Queensland	344	276,361	17	20,774	...	.....	...	.....	361	297,1
South Australia... ...	337	148,932	53	52,269	2	3,987	4	7,077	396	212,2
Western Australia ...	11	17,127	46	72,227	...	.....	6	8,768	63	98,1
Tasmania	144	131,766	2	2,375	...	.....	...	.....	146	134,1
New Zealand	114	142,128	7	13,703	...	.....	...	.....	121	155,8
Total Australasia ...	1,724	1,153,794	412	427,928	9	15,353	14	22,265	2,159	1,619,3
United Kingdom	123	333,933	...	.....	...	.....	1	2,215	124	336,1
Other British Possessions—										
Canada	11	20,807	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	11	20,8
Cape Colony	...	.....	4	9,099	...	.....	...	.....	4	9,0
Fiji	23	20,148	2	1,659	...	.....	...	.....	25	21,8
Hong Kong	35	51,713	2	2,979	2	1,736	1	1,520	40	57,9
India	18	37,556	2	4,717	...	.....	...	.....	20	42,2
Mauritius	1	1,763	1	2,164	...	.....	...	.....	2	3,9
Natal	...	.....	1	1,740	...	.....	1	1,406	2	3,1
New Guinea	2	1,034	1	370	..	.....	...	.....	3	1,4
St. Helena	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....
Straits Settlements ...	3	4,368	1	1,500	...	.....	...	.....	4	5,8
Zanzibar...	...	.....	1	1,796	...	.....	...	.....	1	1,7
Total Other British Possessions... ...	93	137,389	15	26,024	2	1,736	2	2,926	112	168,0
Foreign—										
Africa—										
Inhambane	...	.....	2	3,801	...	.....	...	.....	2	3,8
Mozambique	...	.....	1	1,828	...	.....	...	.....	1	1,8
America—United States ...	5	10,680	...	.....	8	15,512	...	.....	13	26,1
China	1	1,736	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1,7
France	...	.....	...	.....	13	37,053	...	.....	13	37,0
New Caledonia	12	11,438	...	.....	39	59,741	6	3,840	57	75,0
Germany	...	.....	...	.....	27	74,770	...	.....	27	74,7
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	367	1	3
Marshall Islands	1	440	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	4
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	1	239	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	2
Japan	...	.....	2	3,994	2	3,100	...	.....	4	7,0
Java	3	4,910	2	4,106	...	.....	...	.....	5	9,0
New Hebrides	10	4,577	2	320	...	.....	...	.....	12	[illegible]
Delagoa Bay	...	.....	2	4,305	...	.....	...	.....	2	[illegible]
South Sea Islands... ...	11	5,267	1	370	...	.....	...	.....	12	[illegible]
Philippine Islands ...	...	.....	1	2,997	...	.....	...	.....		
Total Foreign ...	44	39,287	13	21,721	89	190,176	7			
Total Steam Vessels ...	1,984	1,664,403	440	475,673	100	20				

No. 13.—Vessels Entered from each Country during 1896—*continued.*

Country whence arrived.	British.				Foreign.				Total Entered.	
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		With Cargo.		In Ballast.			
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.
Sailing Vessels.										
Australasia—										
Victoria	20	9,076	40	52,881	4	3,985	9	8,760	73	74,702
Queensland	21	5,734	27	15,575	...	.....	4	3,167	52	24,476
South Australia... ...	20	26,301	27	42,019	9	10,592	6	6,169	62	85,081
Western Australia ...	...	.....	10	11,406	...	.....	6	4,218	16	15,624
Tasmania	8	1,415	...	.....	...	.....	1	369	9	1,784
New Zealand	82	24,812	10	4,355	5	2,361	...	.....	97	31,528
Total Australasia ...	151	67,338	114	126,236	18	16,938	26	22,683	309	233,195
United Kingdom	52	84,404	...	.....	2	2,983	...	.....	54	87,387
Other British Possessions—										
Canada	1	1,551	...	.....	3	3,262	...	.....	4	4,813
Cape Colony	1	899	66	96,201	...	.....	24	21,579	91	118,679
Fiji	3	626	2	1,743	...	.....	...	.....	5	2,369
India	...	.....	1	2,061	...	.....	...	.....	1	2,061
Mauritius	3	2,347	3	5,642	3	1,656	1	1,213	10	10,858
Natal	...	.....	6	5,417	...	.....	8	7,190	14	12,607
Norfolk Island	8	533	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	8	533
St. Helena	...	.....	1	1,148	...	.....	...	.....	1	1,148
Straits Settlements ...	1	52	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	52
Zanzibar...	...	.....	2	2,333	...	.....	...	.....	2	2,333
Total Other British Possessions... ...	17	6,008	81	114,545	6	4,918	33	29,982	137	155,453
Foreign—										
Africa—Mozambique ...	...	.....	2	2,510	...	.....	...	.....	2	2,510
America—										
North—United States ...	32	52,165	...	.....	29	37,140	...	.....	61	89,305
South—Argentine Rep...	...	.....	9	13,440	...	.....	2	2,679	11	16,119
Brazil	...	.....	27	40,783	...	.....	5	4,828	32	45,611
Chili	2	2,215	...	.....	...	.....	1	1,697	3	3,912
Uruguay ...	...	.....	9	12,765	...	.....	...	.....	9	12,765
Belgium	4	4,561	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	4	4,561
France	1	1,419	...	.....	1	1,128	5	6,433	7	8,980
New Caledonia	3	390	...	.....	2	646	...	.....	5	1,036
Réunion	...	.....	1	1,706	...	.....	...	.....	1	1,706
Germany	7	10,874	...	.....	2	2,924	...	.....	9	13,798
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	...	.....	...	.....	1	408	...	.....	1	408
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	...	.....	...	.....	1	100	...	.....	1	100
Italy	1	787	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	787
Celebes	...	.....	1	1,227	...	.....	...	.....	1	1,227
Java	...	.....	3	6,468	...	.....	...	.....	3	6,468
Norway	3	4,922	...	.....	2	2,419	...	.....	5	7,341
Portugal	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	655	1	655
Delagoa Bay	...	.....	3	4,062	...	.....	...	.....	3	4,062
St. Paul de Loando ...	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1,945	1	1,945
South Sea Islands... ...	12	2,170	1	176	2	120	...	.....	15	2,466
Total Foreign ...	65	79,503	56	83,137	40	44,885	15	18,237	176	225,762
Total Sailing Vessels ...	285	237,253	251	323,918	66	69,724	74	70,902	676	701,797

No. 13.—Vessels Entered from each Country

Country whence arrived.	British.					
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		With C	
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Ton
	ALL VESSELS.					
Australasia—						
Victoria	794	446,556	327	319,461	11	15,35
Queensland	365	282,095	44	36,349	...	.....
South Australia... ...	357	175,233	80	94,288	11	14,579
Western Australia ...	11	17,127	56	83,633	...	.....
Tasmania	152	133,181	2	2,375	...	.....
New Zealand	196	166,940	17	18,058	5	2,361
Total Australasia ...	1,875	1,221,132	526	554,164	27	32,291
United Kingdom	175	418,337	...	.....	2	2,983
Other British Possessions—						
Canada	12	22,358	...	.....	3	3,262
Cape Colony	1	899	70	105,300	...	.....
Fiji	26	20,774	4	3,402	...	.....
Hong Kong	35	51,713	2	2,979	2	1,736
India	18	37,556	3	6,778	...	.....
Mauritius	4	4,110	4	7,806	3	1,656
Natal	...	.....	7	7,157	...	.....
New Guinea	2	1,034	1	370	...	.....
Norfolk Island	8	533	...	.....	...	.....
St. Helena	...	.....	1	1,148	...	.....
Straits Settlements ...	4	4,420	1	1,500	...	.....
Zanzibar...	...	.....	3	4,129	...	.....
Total Other British Possessions... ...	110	143,397	96	140,569	8	6,654
Foreign—Africa—						
Inhambane	...	.....	2	3,801	...	.....
Mozambique	...	.....	3	4,338	...	.....
America—						
North—United States ...	37	62,845	...	.....	37	52,652
South—Argentine Replc.	...	.....	9	13,440	...	.....
Brazil	...	.....	27	40,783	...	.....
Chili	2	2,215	...	.....	...	.....
Uruguay ...	...	.....	9	12,765	...	.....
Belgium	4	4,561	...	.....	...	.....
China	1	1,736	...	.....	...	.....
France	1	1,419	...	.....	14	38,181
New Caledonia	15	11,828	...	.....	41	60,387
Réunion	...	.....	1	1,706	...	.....
Germany	7	10,874	...	.....	29	77,694
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	...	.....	...	.....	1	408
Marshall Islands	1	440	...	.....	...	.....
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	1	239	...	.....	1	100
Italy	1	787	...	.....	...	.....
Japan	...	.....	2	3,994	2	3,100
Celebes	...	.....	1	1,227	...	.....
Java	3	4,910	5	10,574	...	.....
New Hebrides	10	4,577	2	320	...	.....
Norway	3	4,922	...	.....	2	2,419
Portugal	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....
Delagoa Bay	...	.....	5	8,367	...	.....
St. Paul de Loando ...	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....
South Sea Islands... ...	23	7,437	2	546	2	120
Philippine Islands... ...	...	.....	1	2,997	...	.....
Total Foreign ...	109	118,790	69	104,858	129	235,061
Total Tonnage Entered	2,269	1,901,656	691	799,591	166	276,989

NOTE.—Vessels arriving from or departing for British and other ports *via* intercolonial and cleared for their ultimate destination.

No. 14.—Vessels Cleared for each Country during 1896—*continued.*

Country for which departed.	British.				Foreign.				Total Cleared	
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		With Cargo.		In Ballast.			
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Ton'ge.	Vessels.	Tonnage.
All Vessels.										
Australasia—										
Victoria	812	694,527	205	20,118	17	24,290	1	1,406	1,035	740,341
Queensland	377	284,047	10	1,758	...	.....	1	395	388	286,200
South Australia	366	179,341	33	5,753	4	6,099	...	...	403	191,193
Western Australia ...	53	75,976	1	25	1	799	...	...	55	76,800
Tasmania	128	111,811	10	9,342	...	.....	...	...	138	121,153
New Zealand	250	208,996	5	4,812	11	6,770	1	231	267	220,809
Total Australasia ...	1,986	1,554,698	264	41,808	33	37,958	3	2,032	2,286	1,636,496
United Kingdom	163	400,493	3	8,555	11	17,294	...	...	177	426,342
Other British Possessions—										
Canada	11	20,807	1	866	...	.....	...	...	12	21,673
Cape Colony	...	.....	...	...	1	990	...	...	1	990
Ceylon	5	7,881	...	...	...	.....	...	...	5	7,881
Fiji	33	24,784	...	...	2	693	...	...	35	25,477
Hong Kong	29	42,069	...	...	6	7,443	...	...	35	49,512
India	23	50,434	...	...	3	6,784	...	...	26	57,218
Mauritius	8	7,206	...	...	2	1,261	...	...	10	8,467
New Guinea	8	3,989	...	...	...	.....	...	...	8	3,989
Norfolk Island	10	1,503	...	...	...	.....	...	...	10	1,503
Straits Settlements ...	13	18,254	...	...	3	6,408	...	...	16	24,662
Total Other British Possessions... ...	140	176,927	1	866	17	23,579	...	...	158	201,372
Foreign—										
America—										
North—United States ...	87	161,084	4	7,053	30	46,075	4	5,586	125	219,798
South—Argentine Republic	1	3,311	...	...	...	.....	...	...	1	3,311
Chili	127	175,850	3	4,476	22	27,446	1	982	153	208,754
Colombia	7	12,292	...	...	2	1,868	..	...	9	14,160
Ecuador	1	899	...	...	..	.....	...	...	1	899
Mexico	4	6,233	...	...	4	2,154	...	...	8	8,387
Peru	19	23,176	...	...	5	4,273	...	...	24	27,449
Belgium	5	10,036	...	...	...	.....	...	...	5	10,036
France	21	42,096	..	...	15	39,926	...	...	36	82,022
Annam	...	.....	...	...	1	816	...	...	1	816
New Caledonia	21	17,571	2	5,589	43	61,760	...	...	66	84,920
Germany	...	.....	...	...	20	57,953	...	...	20	57,953
Marshall Islands	1	340	...	...	3	1,272	...	...	4	1,612
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	4	922	...	...	4	1,520	...	...	8	2,442
Hawaiian Islands	8	9,328	...	...	30	27,882	...	...	38	37,210
Italy	...	.....	...	...	3	3,877	...	...	3	3,877
Japan	1	356	...	...	2	3,100	...	...	3	3,456
Netherlands	1	1,521	...	...	1	920	...	...	2	2,441
Celebes	2	1,685	...	...	...	.....	...	...	2	1,685
Java	9	14,737	...	...	2	2,634	...	...	11	17,371
New Hebrides	17	7,475	...	...	...	.....	...	...	17	7,475
South Sea Islands	16	5,611	1	198	3	2,123	...	...	20	7,932
Caroline Islands	...	.....	...	...	1	468	...	...	1	468
Philippine Islands	23	33,726	2	2,733	3	3,367	...	...	28	39,826
Guam	...	.....	...	...	...	.....	1	499	1	499
Total Foreign ...	375	528,249	12	20,049	194	289,434	6	7,067	587	844,799
Total Tonnage Cleared	2,664	2,660,367	280	71,278	255	368,265	9	9,099	3,208	3,109,009

No. 13.—Vessels Entered from each Country during 1896—*continued.*

Country whence arrived.	British.				Foreign.				Total Entered.	
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		With Cargo.		In Ballast.			
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage
All Vessels.										
Australasia—										
Victoria	794	446,556	327	319,461	11	15,351	13	15,180	1,145	796,5
Queensland	365	282,095	44	36,349	...	.....	4	3,167	413	321,6
South Australia... ...	357	175,233	80	94,288	11	14,579	10	13,246	458	297,3
Western Australia ...	11	17,127	56	83,633	...	.....	12	12,986	79	113,7
Tasmania	152	133,181	2	2,375	...	.....	1	369	155	135,9
New Zealand	196	166,940	17	18,058	5	2,361	...	.....	218	187,3
Total Australasia ...	1,875	1,221,132	526	554,164	27	32,291	40	44,948	2,468	1,852,5
United Kingdom	175	418,337	...	.....	2	2,983	1	2,215	178	423,5
Other British Possessions—										
Canada	12	22,358	...	.....	3	3,262	...	.....	15	25,6
Cape Colony	1	899	70	105,300	...	.....	24	21,579	95	127,7
Fiji	26	20,774	4	3,402	...	.....	...	.....	30	24,1
Hong Kong	35	51,713	2	2,979	2	1,736	1	1,520	40	57,9
India	18	37,556	3	6,778	...	.....	...	.....	21	44,3
Mauritius	4	4,110	4	7,806	3	1,656	1	1,213	12	14,7
Natal	...	.....	7	7,157	...	.....	9	8,596	16	15,7
New Guinea	2	1,034	1	370	...	.....	...	.....	3	1,4
Norfolk Island	8	533	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	8	5
St. Helena	...	.....	1	1,148	...	.....	...	.....	1	1,1
Straits Settlements ...	4	4,420	1	1,500	...	.....	...	.....	5	5,9
Zanzibar...	...	.....	3	4,129	...	.....	...	.....	3	4,1
Total Other British Possessions... ...	110	143,397	96	140,569	8	6,654	35	32,908	249	323,5
Foreign—Africa—										
Inhambane	...	.....	2	3,801	...	.....	...	.....	2	3,8
Mozambique	...	.....	3	4,338	...	.....	...	.....	3	4,3
America—										
North—United States ...	37	62,845	...	.....	37	52,652	...	.....	74	115,4
South—Argentine Repic.	...	.....	9	13,440	...	.....	2	2,679	11	16,1
Brazil	...	.....	27	40,783	...	.....	5	4,828	32	45,6
Chili	2	2,215	...	.....	...	.....	1	1,697	3	3,9
Uruguay ...	...	.....	9	12,765	...	.....	...	.....	9	12,7
Belgium	4	4,561	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	4	4,5
China	1	1,736	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1,7
France	1	1,419	...	.....	14	38,181	5	6,433	20	46,0
New Caledonia	15	11,828	...	.....	41	60,387	6	3,840	62	76,0
Réunion	...	.....	1	1,706	...	.....	...	.....	1	1,7
Germany	7	10,874	...	.....	29	77,694	...	.....	36	88,5
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	...	.....	...	.....	1	408	1	367	2	7
Marshall Islands	1	440	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	4
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	1	239	...	.....	1	100	...	.....	2	3
Italy	1	787	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	7
Japan	...	.....	2	3,994	2	3,100	...	.....	4	7,0
Celebes	...	.....	1	1,227	...	.....	...	.....	1	1,2
Java	3	4,910	5	10,574	...	.....	...	.....	8	15,4
New Hebrides	10	4,577	2	320	...	.....	...	.....	12	4,8
Norway	3	4,922	...	.....	2	2,419	...	.....	5	7,3
Portugal	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	655	1	6
Delagoa Bay	...	.....	5	8,367	...	.....	..	.....	5	8,3
St. Paul de Loando ...	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1,945	1	1,9
South Sea Islands... ...	23	7,437	2	546	2	120	...	.....	27	8,1
Philippine Islands... ...	...	.....	1	2,997	...	.....	...	.....	1	
Total Foreign ...	109	118,790	69	104,858	129	235,061	22	22,444	329	
Total Tonnage Entered	2,269	1,901,656	691	799,591	166	276,989	98	102,515	3,224	

NOTE.—Vessels arriving from or departing for British and other ports *via* intercolonial ports are set down as and cleared for their ultimate destination.

No. 14.—Vessels Cleared for each Country during 1896.

Country for which departed.	British.				Foreign.				Total Cleared.	
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		With Cargo.		In Ballast.			
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.
Steam Vessels.										
Australasia—										
Victoria	809	694,388	205	20,118	16	23,668	1	1,406	1,031	739,580
Queensland	354	281,263	5	1,181	...	.....	...	...	359	282,444
South Australia	366	179,341	32	5,719	4	6,099	...	...	402	191,159
Western Australia ...	52	74,833	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	52	74,833
Tasmania	124	111,558	10	9,342	...	.....	...	...	134	120,900
New Zealand	121	167,304	1	3,603	...	.....	...	...	122	170,907
Total Australasia ...	1,826	1,508,687	253	39,963	20	29,767	1	1,406	2,100	1,579,823
United Kingdom	118	326,838	3	8,555	4	8,590	...	...	125	343,983
Other British Possessions—										
Canada	11	20,807	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	11	20,807
Ceylon	3	4,491	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	3	4,491
Fiji	28	23,528	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	28	23,528
Hong Kong	29	42,069	...	.....	1	778	...	...	30	42,847
India	22	49,478	...	.....	3	6,784	...	...	25	56,262
New Guinea	7	3,619	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	7	3,619
Norfolk Island	1	901	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	1	901
Straits Settlements ...	10	15,452	...	.....	3	6,408	...	...	13	21,860
Total Other British Possessions	111	160,345	...	.....	7	13,970	...	...	118	174,315
Foreign—										
America—										
North—United States ...	5	10,680	...	.....	8	15,512	...	...	13	26,192
South—Argentine Republic	1	3,311	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	1	3,311
Belgium	4	8,697	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	4	8,697
France	21	42,096	...	.....	15	39,926	...	...	36	82,022
Annam	...	.....	...	.....	1	816	...	...	1	816
New Caledonia	18	16,607	2	5,589	41	61,114	...	...	61	83,310
Germany	...	.....	...	.....	20	57,953	...	...	20	57,953
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	2	606	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	2	606
Marshall Islands	1	340	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	1	340
Hawaiian Islands	...	.....	...	.....	1	852	...	...	1	852
Japan	1	356	...	.....	2	3,100	...	...	3	3,456
Java	6	11,887	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	6	11,887
New Hebrides	16	7,315	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	16	7,315
South Sea Islands	8	3,885	1	198	...	.....	...	...	9	4,083
Philippine Islands	1	1,835	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	1	1,835
Total Foreign	84	107,615	3	5,787	88	179,273	...	...	175	292,675
Total Steam Vessels ...	2,139	2,103,485	259	54,305	119	231,600	1	1,406	2,518	2,390,796

No. 14.—Vessels Cleared for each Country during 1896—*continued.*

Country for which departed.	British.				Foreign.				Total Cleared.	
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		With Cargo.		In Ballast.			
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Ton'ge.	Vessels.	Tonnage
Sailing Vessels.										
Australasia—										
Victoria	3	139	...	...	1	622	...	...	4	76
Queensland	23	2,784	5	577	...	.....	1	395	29	3,75
South Australia	...	.....	1	34	...	.....	...	...	1	3
Western Australia... ...	1	1,143	1	25	1	799	...	...	3	1,96
Tasmania	4	253	...	...	...	.....	...	...	4	25
New Zealand	129	41,692	4	1,209	11	6,770	1	231	145	49,90
Total Australasia ...	160	46,011	11	1,845	13	8,191	2	626	186	56,67
United Kingdom	45	73,655	...	...	7	8,704	...	...	52	82,35
Other British Possessions—										
Canada	...	.....	1	866	...	.....	...	...	1	86
Cape Colony	...	.....	...	...	1	990	...	...	1	99
Ceylon	2	3,390	...	...	...	.....	...	...	2	3,39
Fiji	5	1,256	...	...	2	693	...	...	7	1,94
Hong Kong	...	.....	...	...	5	6,665	...	...	5	6,66
India	1	956	...	...	...	.....	...	...	1	95
Mauritius	8	7,206	...	...	2	1,261	...	...	10	8,46
New Guinea	1	370	...	...	..	.....	...	...	1	37
Norfolk Island	9	602	...	...	...	.....	...	...	9	60
Straits Settlements ...	3	2,802	...	...	...	.....	...	...	3	2,80
Total Other British Possessions... ...	29	16,582	1	866	10	9,609	...	...	40	27,05
Foreign—										
America—										
North—United States ...	82	150,404	4	7,053	22	30,563	4	5,586	112	193,60
South—Chili	127	175,850	3	4,476	22	27,446	1	982	153	208,75
Colombia	7	12,292	...	...	2	1,868	...	...	9	14,16
Ecuador	1	899	...	...	...	.....	...	...	1	89
Mexico	4	6,233	...	...	4	2,154	...	...	8	8,38
Peru	19	23,176	...	...	5	4,273	...	...	24	27,44
Belgium	1	1,339	...	...	...	.....	...	...	1	1,33
New Caledonia	3	964	...	...	2	646	...	...	5	1,61
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	2	316	...	...	4	1,520	...	...	6	1,83
Marshall Islands	...	.....	...	...	3	1,272	...	...	3	1,27
Hawaiian Islands	8	9,328	...	...	29	27,030	...	...	37	36,35
Italy	...	.....	...	...	3	3,877	...	...	3	3,87
Netherlands	1	1,521	...	...	1	920	...	...	2	2,44
Celebes	2	1,685	...	...	...	.....	...	...	2	1,68
Java	3	2,850	...	...	2	2,634	...	...	5	[illegible]
New Hebrides	1	160	...	...	...	.....	...	...	1	[illegible]
South Sea Islands	8	1,726	...	...	3	2,123	...	...	11	[illegible]
Caroline Islands	...	.....	...	...	1	468	...	...	1	[illegible]
Philippine Islands	22	31,891	2	2,733	3	3,367	...	...	[illegible]	[illegible]
Guam	...	.....	...	...	...	.....	1	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total Foreign ...	291	420,634	9	14,262	106	110,16[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total Sailing Vessels...	525	556,882	21	16,973	136	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

No. 14.—Vessels Cleared for each Country during 1896—*continued.*

Country for which departed.	British.				Foreign.				Total Cleared	
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		With Cargo.		In Ballast.			
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Ton'ge.	Vessels.	Tonnage.
All Vessels.										
Australasia—										
Victoria	812	694,527	205	20,118	17	24,290	1	1,406	1,035	740,341
Queensland	377	284,047	10	1,758	...	.....	1	395	388	286,200
South Australia	366	179,341	33	5,753	4	6,099	...	...	403	191,193
Western Australia ...	53	75,976	1	25	1	799	...	...	55	76,800
Tasmania	128	111,811	10	9,342	...	.....	...	...	138	121,153
New Zealand	250	208,996	5	4,812	11	6,770	1	231	267	220,809
Total Australasia ...	1,986	1,554,698	264	41,808	33	37,958	3	2,032	2,286	1,636,496
United Kingdom	163	400,493	3	8,555	11	17,294	...	...	177	426,342
Other British Possessions—										
Canada	11	20,807	1	866	...	.....	...	...	12	21,673
Cape Colony	...	.....	...	...	1	990	...	...	1	990
Ceylon	5	7,881	...	...	...	.....	...	...	5	7,881
Fiji	33	24,784	...	...	2	693	...	...	35	25,477
Hong Kong	29	42,069	...	...	6	7,443	...	...	35	49,512
India	23	50,434	...	...	3	6,784	...	...	26	57,218
Mauritius	8	7,206	...	...	2	1,261	...	...	10	8,467
New Guinea	8	3,989	...	...	...	.....	...	...	8	3,989
Norfolk Island	10	1,503	...	...	...	.....	...	...	10	1,503
Straits Settlements ...	13	18,254	...	...	3	6,408	...	...	16	24,662
Total Other British Possessions... ...	140	176,927	1	866	17	23,579	...	...	158	201,372
Foreign—										
America—										
North—United States ...	87	161,084	4	7,053	30	46,075	4	5,586	125	219,798
South—Argentine Republic	1	3,311	...	...	...	.....	...	...	1	3,311
Chili	127	175,850	3	4,476	22	27,446	1	982	153	208,754
Colombia	7	12,292	...	...	2	1,868	..	...	9	14,160
Ecuador	1	899	...	...	..	.....	...	...	1	899
Mexico	4	6,233	...	...	4	2,154	...	...	8	8,387
Peru	19	23,176	...	...	5	4,273	...	...	24	27,449
Belgium	5	10,036	...	...	...	.....	...	...	5	10,036
France	21	42,096	..	...	15	39,926	...	...	36	82,022
Annam	...	.....	...	...	1	816	...	...	1	816
New Caledonia	21	17,571	2	5,589	43	61,760	...	...	66	84,920
Germany	...	.....	...	...	20	57,953	...	...	20	57,953
Marshall Islands	1	340	...	...	3	1,272	...	...	4	1,612
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	4	922	...	...	4	1,520	...	...	8	2,442
Hawaiian Islands	8	9,328	...	...	30	27,882	...	...	38	37,210
Italy	...	.....	...	...	3	3,877	...	...	3	3,877
Japan	1	356	...	...	2	3,100	...	...	3	3,456
Netherlands	1	1,521	...	...	1	920	...	...	2	2,441
Celebes	2	1,685	...	...	...	.....	...	...	2	1,685
Java	9	14,737	...	...	2	2,634	...	...	11	17,371
New Hebrides	17	7,475	...	...	...	.....	...	...	17	7,475
South Sea Islands	16	5,611	1	198	3	2,123	...	...	20	7,932
Caroline Islands	...	.....	...	...	1	468	...	...	1	468
[illegible]ine Islands	23	33,726	2	2,733	3	3,367	...	...	28	39,826
... ...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....	1	499	1	499
...	375	528,249	12	20,049	194	289,434	6	7,067	587	844,799
	64	2,660,367	280	71,278	255	368,265	9	9,099	3,208	3,109,009

No. 15.—Vessels Entered from Principal Countries, 1887–96.

Year.	Australasia.												United Kingdom.	
	Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.			
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonna
1887	1037	780,060	546	274,862	327	154,202	19	8,293	128	71,161	240	142,372	209	360,1
1888	1073	861,344	609	301,596	322	151,282	15	8,906	75	46,958	212	125,910	247	441,4
1889	1340	990,880	486	313,879	420	216,194	5	3,139	182	129,185	261	163,497	222	416,3
1890	1183	874,789	379	273,004	415	186,887	3	3,077	181	146,904	213	147,065	198	381,2
1891	1168	947,116	350	276,685	432	329,192	6	5,073	155	129,234	264	160,135	234	474,3
1892	1038	851,701	320	249,160	471	303,008	21	19,790	215	170,483	214	161,547	214	464,0
1893	1054	707,557	382	269,483	426	264,984	19	23,259	205	159,885	235	181,768	173	396,5
1894	1270	774,719	398	278,025	415	226,696	21	27,958	178	129,562	255	203,715	194	435,3
1895	1141	754,625	391	298,982	366	230,441	21	29,889	185	144,126	225	189,950	191	437,6
1896	1145	796,548	413	321,611	458	297,346	79	113,746	155	135,925	218	187,359	178	423,5

Year.	Other British Possessions.		Foreign Countries.								Total Entered.	
			France.		Germany.		United States of America.		Other Foreign Countries.			
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
1887	113	131,457	16	36,497	26	36,442	57	64,219	97	82,721	2,815	2,142,45
1888	125	143,648	14	33,165	30	38,946	110	145,578	123	115,953	2,955	2,414,75
1889	112	130,928	13	32,686	27	47,090	63	78,901	123	109,384	3,254	2,632,08
1890	94	134,860	13	29,237	41	71,365	50	64,375	119	100,436	2,889	2,413,24
1891	119	159,360	13	31,197	48	80,228	79	90,363	153	138,962	3,021	2,821,89
1892	126	169,032	13	32,603	44	76,090	72	86,486	212	220,611	2,960	2,804,54
1893	155	206,340	14	39,083	39	65,582	43	58,927	169	216,979	2,914	2,590,3[illegible]
1894	211	297,710	18	44,361	32	64,663	47	62,933	233	314,240	3,272	2,[illegible]
1895	207	271,076	16	41,808	37	87,197	54	80,807	287	363,239		
1896	249	323,528	20	46,033	36	88,568	74	115,497				

No. 16.—Vessels Cleared for Principal Countries, 1887–96.

r.	Australasia.												United Kingdom.	
	Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.			
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage	No.	Tonnage	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
7	936	639,027	490	240,409	333	136,194	26	8,592	94	52,884	252	145,977	122	242,891
8	931	651,578	532	243,335	302	131,252	15	7,193	61	40,548	257	166,777	128	265,246
9	1039	706,882	400	258,619	408	187,849	24	10,799	101	83,357	278	179,999	134	274,408
0	969	664,457	340	250,114	390	151,189	15	9,048	122	111,927	247	185,728	120	269,885
1	1075	814,486	299	235,178	343	216,660	29	21,726	115	97,307	285	189,484	150	327,058
2	1059	798,019	328	228,244	363	185,076	18	14,140	178	140,863	248	188,577	164	377,667
3	970	634,734	383	247,323	398	225,423	18	18,482	165	135,355	260	202,774	164	380,576
4	1202	732,650	385	273,737	388	188,453	25	37,756	127	88,892	297	231,081	170	387,741
5	1041	684,167	369	274,828	313	168,792	37	50,623	123	89,362	289	235,503	190	440,785
6	1035	740,341	388	286,200	403	191,193	55	76,800	138	121,153	267	220,809	177	426,342

r.	Other British Possessions.		Foreign Countries.								Total Cleared.	
			France.		Germany.		United States of America.		Other Foreign Countries.			
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
7	164	185,900	13	34,535	13	25,922	177	236,538	286	231,432	2,906	2,180,301
8	139	148,547	16	36,213	13	25,536	286	371,078	292	263,366	2,972	2,350,669
9	211	231,913	13	31,921	18	37,527	205	309,287	398	376,537	3,229	2,689,098
0	122	154,406	12	27,859	28	62,003	104	158,108	308	303,901	2,777	2,348,625
1	163	188,696	18	42,139	30	62,141	207	292,104	386	385,359	3,100	2,872,338
2	156	194,408	22	48,751	30	62,429	133	215,632	368	388,829	3,067	2,842,635
3	130	159,651	23	55,809	29	59,689	94	175,393	282	307,748	2,916	2,602,957
4	150	179,306	21	52,764	27	60,132	108	201,070	391	445,004	3,291	2,878,586
		2,998	31	76,461	27	74,128	118	207,315	403	445,318	3,090	2,930,280
			36	82,022	20	57,953	125	219,798	406	485,026	3,208	3,109,009

No. 17.—Vessels Entered and Cleared at each Port during 1896.

Port.	Entered.				Cleared.				Total Entered and Cleared.	
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		With Cargo.		In Ballast.			
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage
Steam Vessels.										
Sydney	1,321	1,727,692	49	77,742	1,199	1,609,885	22	23,981	2,591	3,439,3
Newcastle	28	45,860	254	338,301	416	534,767	5	9,261	703	928,1
Tweed River (Murwillumbah)	...	.....	3	194	2	176	...	...	5	37
Wollongong	1	3,226	84	83,999	108	118,453	...	...	193	205,6
Twofold Bay (Eden)... ...	21	26,105	...	.....	18	20,019	...	...	39	46,1
Darling River—										
Bourke	7	412	...	.....	...	.....	4	202	11	61
Murray River—										
Wentworth...	304	36,771	16	1,852	320	36,256	76	11,207	716	86,0
Euston	120	7,074	38	3,174	32	1,885	128	8,690	318	20,8
Moama	192	18,356	16	1,762	...	.....	21	2,183	229	22,3
Swan Hill	90	6,172	4	262	163	13,644	4	187	261	20,2
Total	2,084	1,871,668	464	507,286	2,258	2,335,085	260	55,711	5,066	4,769,7
Sailing Vessels.										
Sydney	303	263,685	35	35,494	166	162,225	17	10,347	521	471,75
Newcastle	45	43,080	275	356,428	467	525,891	11	14,301	798	939,70
Clarence River (Grafton) ...	2	194	7	2,221	13	3,026	...	...	22	5,44
Richmond River (Ballina) ...	...	.....	1	15	1	15	...	...	2	3
Port Macquarie	...	.....	5	461	8	780	...	...	13	1,24
Tweed River (Murwillumbah)	1	18	2	201	...	.....	1	18	4	23
Wollongong	...	.....	...	.....	6	1,610	...	...	6	1,61
Total	351	306,977	325	394,820	661	693,547	29	24,666	1,366	1,420,01
All Vessels.										
Sydney	1,624	1,991,377	84	113,236	1,365	1,772,110	39	34,328	3,112	3,911,0
Newcastle	73	88,940	529	694,729	883	1,060,658	16	23,562	1,501	1,867,8
Clarence River (Grafton) ...	2	194	7	2,221	13	3,026	...	...	22	5,44
Richmond River (Ballina) ...	...	.....	1	15	1	15	...	...	2	3
Port Macquarie	...	.....	5	461	8	780	...	...	13	1,24
Tweed River (Murwillumbah)	1	18	5	395	2	176	1	18	9	6
Wollongong	1	3,226	84	83,999	114	120,063	...	...	199	207,2
Twofold Bay (Eden)... ...	21	26,105	...	.....	18	20,019	...	...	39	46,1
Darling River—										
Bourke	7	412	...	.....	...	.....	4	202	11	
Murray River—										
Wentworth...	304	36,771	16	1,852	320	36,256	76	11,207	716	
Euston	120	7,074	38	3,174	32	1,885	128	8,690	318	
Moama	192	18,356	16	1,762	...	.....	21	2,183	229	
Swan Hill	90	6,172	4	262	163	13,644	4	187	261	
Total all Vessels ...	2,435	2,178,645	789	902,106	2,919	3,028,632	289	80,377	6,4	

No. 18.—Vessels Entered and Cleared with Cargo and in Ballast, 1887–96.

Year.	With Cargo.						In Ballast.					
	Steam.		Sailing.		Total.		Steam.		Sailing.		Total.	
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.
Entered.												
1887	1,570	1,280,566	564	354,714	2,134	1,635,280	333	289,059	348	218,118	681	507,177
1888	1,544	1,359,540	607	426,478	2,151	1,786,018	350	279,009	454	349,723	804	628,732
1889	1,722	1,506,752	611	421,062	2,333	1,927,814	534	363,530	387	340,737	921	704,267
1890	1,719	1,516,687	519	352,296	2,238	1,868,983	400	315,565	251	228,699	651	544,264
1891	1,693	1,751,989	608	437,292	2,301	2,189,281	462	395,344	258	237,273	720	632,617
1892	1,750	1,731,244	488	349,040	2,238	2,080,284	425	412,674	297	311,591	722	724,265
1893	1,956	1,741,598	358	227,584	2,314	1,969,182	389	375,567	211	245,622	600	621,189
1894	2,119	1,787,402	348	220,361	2,467	2,007,763	454	400,308	351	451,897	805	852,205
1895	2,019	1,824,553	334	252,392	2,353	2,076,945	396	386,412	372	466,401	768	852,813
1896	2,084	1,871,668	351	306,977	2,435	2,178,645	464	507,286	325	394,820	789	902,106
Cleared.												
1887	1,876	1,552,559	926	591,308	2,802	2,143,867	61	23,364	43	13,070	104	36,434
1888	1,892	1,612,661	991	696,273	2,883	2,308,934	36	13,299	53	28,436	89	41,735
1889	2,039	1,802,000	1,037	821,200	3,076	2,623,200	116	46,096	37	19,802	153	65,898
1890	1,930	1,774,336	702	507,443	2,632	2,281,779	99	48,226	46	18,620	145	66,846
1891	2,031	2,086,487	873	702,895	2,904	2,789,382	138	65,971	58	16,985	196	82,956
1892	2,079	2,129,673	759	647,440	2,838	2,777,113	187	56,043	42	9,479	229	65,522
1893	2,104	2,053,096	580	491,398	2,684	2,544,494	209	56,925	23	1,538	232	58,463
1894	2,270	2,145,891	689	655,896	2,959	2,801,787	311	73,921	21	2,878	332	76,799
1895	2,142	2,185,229	686	686,899	2,828	2,872,128	245	51,522	17	6,630	262	58,152
1896	2,258	2,335,085	661	693,547	2,919	3,028,632	260	55,711	29	24,666	289	80,377

Entered and Cleared.

Year.	Entered.						Cleared.					
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.		With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.	
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.
1887	2,134	1,635,280	681	507,177	2,815	2,142,457	2,802	2,143,867	104	36,434	2,906	2,180,301
1888	2,151	1,786,018	804	628,732	2,955	2,414,750	2,883	2,308,934	89	41,735	2,972	2,350,669
1889	2,333	1,927,814	921	704,267	3,254	2,632,081	3,076	2,623,200	153	65,898	3,229	2,689,098
1890	2,238	1,868,983	651	544,264	2,889	2,413,247	2,632	2,281,779	145	66,846	2,777	2,348,625
1891	2,301	2,189,281	720	632,617	3,021	2,821,898	2,904	2,789,382	196	82,956	3,100	2,872,338
1892	2,238	2,080,284	722	724,265	2,960	2,804,549	2,838	2,777,113	229	65,522	3,067	2,842,635
1893	2,314	1,969,182	600	621,189	2,914	2,590,371	2,684	2,544,494	232	58,463	2,916	2,602,957
1894	2,467	2,007,763	805	852,205	3,272	2,859,968	2,959	2,801,787	332	76,799	3,291	2,878,586
1895	2,353	2,076,945	768	852,813	3,121	2,929,758	2,828	2,872,128	262	58,152	3,090	2,930,280
1896	2,435	2,178,645	789	902,106	3,224	3,080,751	2,919	3,028,632	289	80,377	3,208	3,109,009

No. 19.—Shipping Dues Collected during 1896.

Month.	Pilotage.	Harbour and Light Rates.	Removal Dues.	Tonnage Rates.	Wharfage Rates, Rent of Jetties, Water, Cranage, and Weighbridge.	Steamer Certificate Fees and Licenses of Ballast Lighters.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
January	3,075	2,039	469	1,594	3,164	74	10,415
February	2,882	1,810	527	1,465	3,366	91	10,141
March	3,143	2,425	426	1,258	4,231	118	11,601
April	3,589	2,083	551	1,172	2,935	95	10,425
May	2,119	1,880	191	624	2,824	84	7,722
June	1,139	1,382	151	563	3,902	106	7,243
July	1,693	1,523	358	738	*3,330	72	7,714
August	3,030	1,939	662	1,072	3,112	81	9,896
September	3,615	1,868	650	1,420	4,008	90	11,651
October	3,619	2,305	538	1,657	2,216	101	10,436
November	2,662	2,295	567	1,188	2,927	115	9,754
December	1,156	1,850	605	1,705	†15,047	94	20,457
Total ... £	31,722	23,399	5,695	14,456	51,062	1,121	127,453
Collections at Principal Ports.							
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	12,976	14,835	1,865	6,005	47,498	1,121	84,300
Byron Bay	.....	.....	.....	.....	168	.....	168
Coff's Harbour ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	157	.....	157
Eden	32	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32
Grafton	55	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	85
Newcastle	18,650	8,383	3,830	8,319	.....	.....	39,182
Richmond River ...	3	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	6
Stockton	.....	.....	.....	.....	635	.....	635
Tweed Heads ...	6	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	14
Wollongong	.....	140	.....	132	1,280	.....	1,552
Woolgoolga	.....	.....	.....	.....	55	.....	55
Ports other than Sydney (Lands Dep.)	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,269	.....	1,269
Total ... £	31,722	23,399	5,695	14,456	51,062	1,121	127,455

* Includes collections at Wollongong for six months. † Includes collections on account of private wharfs for twelve months.

Pilotage Rates.—Ships of war, cable-laying vessels, whalers, and pleasure yachts are exempt from pilotage rates. The Navigation Acts Amendment Act of 1896 fixes the following rates for other vessels:—(*a*) Upon arrival or departure of a ship in ballast, 1d. per ton; (*b*) 1d. per ton on arrival for refitting or docking or for obtaining coal for use of ship, and 2d. per ton upon departure; (*c*) a ship compelled to enter port through stress of weather, for repairs, or to receive orders or take in provisions or being in distress, is charged 1d. per ton on arrival or departure; (*d*) ships under other circumstances, upon arrival or departure, are charged 2d. per ton. Vessels under provisions of (*b*) and (*c*) are not required to pay harbour and light rates. A minimum pilotage charge of £2 10s. is made upon arrival and also on departure of vessels not exempt at the ports of Sydney and Newcastle, and £1 5s. at other coastal ports. The maximum rate in each instance is £20.

Harbour and Light Rates.—Every registered vessel is subject to a half-yearly rate of 4d. per ton on the net tonnage. Ships of war, cable-laying vessels, whalers, and pleasure yachts, and vessels entering or departing under provisions of (*b*) and (*c*), as shown in pilotage rates, are exempt from these dues.

Removal Dues.—Whenever the master of any ship shall be desirous of removing from one place of mooring or anchorage in a port to another, the Harbour-master must be notified and permission obtained for such removal. If effected by the Harbour-master certain fees, ranging from £1 for any ship not exceeding 300 tons to £2 10s for those not exceeding 1,000 tons, and an additional £1 for every 500 tons or part thereof in excess of 1,000 tons. The maximum fee is £4 10s.

Tonnage Rates, amounting to one farthing per registered ton per diem are levied on all vessels fully laden, and one halfpenny on those partly laden discharging at the wharfs; vessels loading of 240 tons register and above are subject to a rate of one halfpenny per ton per diem for the first twenty-five days, after which time ½d. per ton per day is imposed; for small vessels and lighters a fixed rate of ten shillings for each day is imposed. For steamers the rates are levied on the gross tonnage measurement. During a certain period, known as "Free Lay Days," vessels discharging are exempt from tonnage rates. The number of "Free Lay Days" is regulated by the tonnage of the vessel, and the amount of cargo carried. The rents received from Government wharfs, leased to private companies, are accepted in lieu of tonnage rates, the collections of which on this account appear small.

Wharfage Rates.—All goods landed are subject to "Inward Wharfage Rates," and goods shipped to "Outward Rates," the latter being one-half the former. Goods arriving from Australasian Colonies or Pacific Islands landed at public wharfs and "Entered" for Transhipment are exempt from wharfage rates. In some cases the Government wharfs are leased to private companies, and the rent of the wharf is accepted in lieu of tonnage rates, but wharfage rates are collected, as in the case of ordinary wharfs.

Ports at which Wharfage and Tonnage Rates are levied.—Both classes of rates are collected at Sydney, Coff's Harbour, Woolgoolga, Byron Bay, and Wollongong. At **Newcastle** Tonnage Rates only are imposed, as Wharfage Rates were abolished on the 1st June, 1882, under the authority of the "Wharfage and Tonnage Rates Act, 1880." The rates collected at Newcastle are an item of Customs Revenue; the Wharfage and Tonnage Rates collected at Sydney and other Government wharfs are paid into the Treasury, and included under the head of Miscellaneous Receipts of General Revenue. At no other ports are rates of either class collected by the Government. The collection of Wharfage Rates at Wollongong was discontinued from 1st April, 1896, and since the 1st July, 1896, the wharf at Byron Bay has been leased to Trustees.

Steamer Certificates.—Passenger certificates have to be renewed at least every six months. The half-yearly charges for vessels not exceeding 50 tons are £1; over 50 and under 100, £2; over 100 and not exceeding 300 tons, £3; and an additional £1 for every additional 300 tons or part thereof. No certificates have been issued in New South Wales for passenger steamers trading on the river Murray.

Ballast and Coal Lighters.—Under section 122 of the Navigation Act of 1871 (35 Vic. No. 7) all lighters used for the purpose of carrying ballast or coal must be licensed by the Marine Board of New South Wales. A fee of £1 is charged for each lighter, but no limit is fixed for the term of license.

No. 20.—Vessels Registered during each Year, 1894 to 1896.

Description.	1894.			1895.			1896.		
	No.	Tons (Net).	Crews.	No.	Tons (Net).	Crews.	No.	Tons (Net.)	Crews.
Steam Vessels.									
›w	16	2,452	119	11	5,043	180	22	5,394	191
dle	3	615	21	2	129	6	4	147	17
Total	19	3,067	140	13	5,172	186	26	5,541	208
Sailing Vessels.									
quentines	2	612	22	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
ques	3	1,743	20	...	.....	...	3	1,581	19
gs	...	.....	...	1	230	25	...	.....	...
gantines	1	225	8	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
ters	8	107	21	...	.....	...	7	115	16
ches	4	236	15	3	218	13	5	342	20
hters and Barges... ...	1	35	1	1	171	7	2	337	2
ooners	8	683	40	5	625	32	4	244	17
ps	1	1,226	23	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
ops and Yawls	1	30	3	3	119	8	3	42	6
Total	29	4,897	153	13	1,363	85	24	2,661	80
Summary.									
am and Sailing	48	7,964	293	26	6,535	271	50	8,202	288

NOTE.—Sydney and Newcastle are the only ports in New South Wales at which vessels are registered. No fee is ed for registration.

No. 21.—Vessels on the Register, 31st December, 1896.

Description.	Wood.			Iron.			Steel.			Composite.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews	No.	Tons.	Crews	No.	Tons.	Crews	No.	Tons.	Crews	No.	Tons.	Crews.
STEAM VESSELS.															
w	254	8,840	962	69	22,434	1,287	32	17,887	732	3	147	16	358	49,308	2,997
lle	77	4,774	348	53	5,493	344	2	1,396	72	3	204	19	135	11,867	783
Total	331	13,614	1,310	122	27,927	1,631	34	19,283	804	6	351	35	493	61,175	3,780
SAILING VESSELS.															
quentines	4	807	28	..	..	..	1	284	10	..	..	..	5	1,091	38
ques	27	13,789	206	4	3,168	48	..	..	..	2	1,597	29	33	18,554	283
s	8	1,742	60	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	1,742	60
antines	14	2,217	84	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	2,217	84
ers	43	816	96	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	43	816	96
ches..	95	3,565	275	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	95	3,565	275
hters and Barges	29	1,941	58	7	2,887	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	36	4,828	68
gers..	107	1,117	250	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	107	1,117	250
ooners	106	8,089	490	1	285	8	..	..	..	1	33	4	108	8,407	502
s	3	3,328	36	1	1,453	20	1	1,820	28	*1	*2,130	..	6	8,731	84
ps and Yawls	17	425	38	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	425	38
Total	453	37,836	1,621	13	7,793	86	2	2,104	38	4	3,760	33	472	51,493	1,778
SUMMARY.															
m and Sailing	784	51,450	2,931	135	35,720	1,717	36	21,387	842	10	4,111	68	965	112,668	5,558

* Includes the Nautical School Ship "Sobraon" (2,130 tons), moored in Sydney Harbour.

Registered Horse-power of Steamers.—Classified according to the materials of which the vessels were constructed, gistered horse-power of steamers on the register at the end of the year was as follows:—Screw: Wood, 4,871; iron, ; steel, 4,341; composite, 50; total, 15,859. Paddle: Wood, 1,932; iron, 2,395; steel, 850; composite, 78; total, 5,255.

No. 22.—Construction of Vessels, 1887–96.

Description.		1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
Steam Vessels.											
Screw	Number	16	11	14	6	13	10	7	6	4	[illegible]
	Tonnage	778	394	663	697	767	317	236	415	259	59[illegible]
Paddle	Number								2	...	...
	Tonnage								48	...	...
Total ...	Number	16	11	14	6	13	10	7	8	4	[illegible]
	Tonnage	778	394	663	697	767	317	236	463	259	59[illegible]
Sailing Vessels.											
Barquentines ...	Number	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	Tonnage	...	...	...	...	...	...	176	...	...	...
Brigantines ...	Number	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tonnage	95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cutters	Number	...	2	5	...	1	1	1	...	...	[illegible]
	Tonnage	...	56	73	...	7	15	3	...	...	21
Ketches	Number	4	3	2	...	3	18	6	2	3	[illegible]
	Tonnage	195	100	100	...	47	490	111	158	211	24[illegible]
Lighters & Barges	Number	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	...	1	...
	Tonnage	...	68	...	172	...	61	...	...	171	...
Luggers	Number	5	1	2	4	15	3	...	...	...	...
	Tonnage	47	9	31	47	198	40	...	...	...	...
Schooners ...	Number	3	...	...	3	5	4	3	4	1	[illegible]
	Tonnage	289	...	...	175	285	176	273	308	99	10[illegible]
Sloops and Yawls	Number	1	2	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...
	Tonnage	10	71	...	...	36	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	Number	14	9	9	9	27	27	11	6	5	[illegible]
	Tonnage	636	304	204	394	573	782	563	466	481	36[illegible]
Summary.											
Steam and Sailing	Number	30	20	23	15	40	37	18	14	9	1[illegible]
	Tonnage	1,414	698	867	1,091	1,340	1,099	799	929	740	96[illegible]

MATERIALS USED IN CONSTRUCTION, 1893–96.

Year.	Wood.		Iron.		Total.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
Steam Vessels.						
1893	7	236	.....	.....	7	236
1894	8	463	.....	.....	8	463
1895	3	223	1	36	4	259
1896	8	598	.....	.....	8	598
Sailing Vessels.						
1893	11	563	.....	.....	11	563
1894	6	466	.....	.....	6	466
1895	5	481	.....	.....	5	481
1896	7	369	.....	.....	7	36[illegible]
All Vessels.						
1893	18	799	.....	.....	[illegible]	
1894	14	929	.....	.....		
1895	8	704	1	36		
1896	15	967	.....	...		

No. 23.—Sales of Vessels, 1896.

Description.	Sold to British Subjects.		Sold to Foreigners.		Total.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
Steam Vessels.						
...w	53	4,699	1	4	54	4,703
...dle...	6	297	.....	.....	6	297
Total	59	4,996	1	4	60	5,000
Sailing Vessels.						
...ques..	6	2,414	1	489	7	2,903
...quentines	1	169	.....	.....	1	169
...gs	1	230	.....	.....	1	230
...gantines	2	228	.....	.....	2	228
...ters...	8	127	1	24	9	151
...ches...	7	409	.....	.....	7	409
...hters and Barges	3	208	.....	.....	3	208
...ggers	13	151	.....	.....	13	151
...ooners	22	1,187	1	60	23	1,247
...ps	1	1,128	.....	.....	1	1,128
Total	64	6,251	3	573	67	6,824
Summary.						
...m and Sailing	123	11,247	4	577	127	11,824

Note.—When a vessel is sold to a foreigner it is removed from the Register, otherwise it remains.

No. 24.—Mortgages on Vessels, 1896.

Description.	On Vessel only. (Principal sum.)			On "Account Current."		
	No.	Tonnage.	Amount. £	No.	Tonnage.	Amount. £
Steam Vessels.						
...w	14	402	18,901	3	270	7,250
...dle	4	115	729	1	44	Unknown.
Total	18	517	19,630	4	314	.....
Sailing Vessels.						
...quentines	2	393	850	.....	.....	.....
...gs	2	230	350	1	125	5,000
...gantines	1	292	500	.....	.....	.....
...ches..	5	243	2,215	1	25	Unknown.
...ters and Barges	.....	.....	.....	3	242	"
...ooners	8	650	2,250	3	476	450
...ps and Yawls	.....	.....	.....	1	76	Unknown.
Total	18	1,808	6,165	9	944	.....
Summary.						
...m and Sailing	36	2,325	25,795	13	1,258	.....

...Registered British Vessels are dealt with under the Imperial Merchant Shipping Act of 1894. The ...e Act, divided into two classes—one in which the ship is the sole security (principal sum), and ...n made on the security of what is termed "the Account Current," which may comprise ... Registrations are effected at the ports of registry—Sydney and Newcastle.

No. 25.—Discharges of Mortgages on Vessels, 1896.

Description.	On Vessel only. (Principal sum.)			On "Account Current."		
	Number.	Tonnage.	Amount. £	Number.	Tonnage.	Amount. £
Steam Vessels.						
Screw	7	263	13,375	2	30	150
Paddle	2	24	178	.....	.....	.....
Total	9	287	13,553	2	30	150
Sailing Vessels.						
Barquentines	3	562	1,060	.....	.....	.....
Barques	.....	.....	.....	1	197	500
Brigantines	1	135	300	.....	.....	.....
Cutters...	1	9	70	.....	.....	.....
Ketches	2	104	550	.....	.....	.....
Luggers	.....	.....	.....	1	13	1
Schooners	8	502	3,250	.....	.....	.....
Total	15	1,312	5,230	2	210	501
Summary.						
Steam and Sailing	24	1,599	18,783	4	240	651

No. 26.—Vessels Examined by Health Officers, 1893–96.

Year.	Sydney.				Newcastle.				Total.				
	Vessels.		Persons.		Vessels.		Persons.		Vessels.		Persons.		
	Total.	Detained for special action.	Passengers.	Crews.	Total.	Detained for special action.	Passengers.	Crews.	Total.	Detained for special action.	Passengers.	Crews.	Total.
1893	427	121	11,008	30,059	113	71	84	3,015	540	192	11,752	33,974	45,726
1894	362	65	5,218	20,100	227	127	127	5,340	589	192	5,345	25,509	30,854
1895	414	98	3,812	10,011	240	125	217	5,854	654	223	4,029	21,865	25,894
1896	398	94	3,841	10,345	208	82	162	5,149	606	176	4,003	24,394	28,397

No. 27.—Certificated Steamers on 31st December, 1896.

Steamer Certificates Fees. Passenger certificates have to be renewed at least every six months. The half-yearly charges for vessels not exceeding 30 tons are £1; over 30 and under 100 tons, £2; over 100 and not exceeding 300 tons, £3; and an additional £1 for every additional 300 tons or part thereof. The amounts collected for all ports during 1896 were—for sea-going steamers, and for harbour and river steamers, making a total of £1,121. No certificates have been issued in New South Wales for passenger steamers trading on the Murray River.

Port.	No.	Tonnage.	Passenger capacity.
Sea-going Steamers			
Sydney ...	101	80,000	12,408
Harbour & River Steamers			
Sydney ...	93	4,045	38,840
Newcastle	21	983	6,010
Clarence River	12	80[illegible]	1,8[illegible]
Clyde River	2	[illegible]	800
Hawkesbury River ...	2	180	190
Lake Macquarie	3	44	334
Harbour & River Steamers (over sea)—			
Macleay River	4	270	1,315
Manning River	2	98	825
Port Macquarie	2	57	410
Richmond River ...	12	372	2,120
Shoalhaven	1	9	30
Tweed River	4	95	318
Total	259	93,955	55,381

No. 28.—Certificated Steamers, 1893–96.

	Sea-going Steamers.			Harbour and River Steamers.			Total.		
	Number.	Tonnage.	Passenger capacity.	Number.	Tonnage.	Passenger capacity.	Number.	Tonnage.	Passenger capacity.
...	82	57,507	11,112	158	7,086	44,083	240	64,593	55,195
...	80	58,980	11,208	165	7,285	45,067	245	66,265	56,275
...	77	56,623	10,531	154	6,738	41,866	231	63,361	52,397
...	101	86,699	12,408	158	7,256	42,973	259	93,955	55,381

No. 29.—Transactions at Government Shipping Offices, 1894–96.

gn Vessels.—Shipping business with foreign vessels is transacted at the offices of the Consuls representing the which the vessels belong.

Classification.	1894.			1895.			1896.		
	Sydney.	New-castle.	Total.	Sydney.	New-castle.	Total.	Sydney.	New-castle.	Total.
Registrations.									
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
ıents	11,782	2,310	14,092	11,203	2,054	13,257	13,735	2,512	16,247
es	10,644	1,156	11,800	10,129	1,054	11,183	12,074	1,296	13,370
reported as deserted from ı vessels trading on Foreign 's	241	465	706	196	460	656	367	404	771
Wages.									
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
eamen through the Ship-ffice	33,238	8,560	41,798	33,649	5,948	39,597	44,472	8,979	53,451
ı Advance Notes	1,485	4,335	5,820	1,797	4,252	6,049	2,523	5,338	7,861
Total	34,723	12,895	47,618	35,446	10,200	45,646	46,995	14,317	61,312
Fees.									
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
into Consolidated Revenue	2,152	395	2,547	2,066	352	2,418	2,476	428	2,904

pping Office Fees.—A scale of fees for the engagement and discharge of crews is embodied in the Act, the able being regulated according to the tonnage of the vessel. For engagement and discharge of seamen fixed fee of 2s. each is charged.

No. 30.—Wages of Able Seamen, 1894–96.

Service.	1894.	1895.	1896.
Trade (Sailing only)—			
Britain and Europe direct	£2 15s. to £3	£2 15s. to £3	£2 15s. to £3 5s.
or China and Great Britain... ...	£3	£2 15s.	£2 15s. to £3
Coast of America and Great Britain	£3	£2 17s. 6d. to £3	£2 15s. to £3 5s.
l Trade and back, per month ...	£3 to £3 15s.	£3 to £4	£3 to £3 10s.
nial Trade—			
ers	£5	£5	£5 to £6
g vessels	£3 to £3 15s.	£3 to £4 5s.	£3 5s. to £4
rade—			
ers	£5	£5	£5 to £6
g vessels	£3 15s. to £4 10s	£4 5s. to £5	£4 to £5

Masters, Officers, etc. (Intercolonial).—*Masters*—As per arrangement with shipping owners. *Officers*—First, —ectively, £12 to £15, £10 to £12, and £9 to £10. *Engineers*—First, Second, and Third, respectively, to £16, and £12 10s. to £13 10s. *Firemen and Trimmers*—Firemen, £8; Trimmers, £6.

—The Canadian Mail Company is paying the following rates, viz.—

men employed on other steam vessels trading beyond must be given.

No. 31.—Marine Board Certificates, 1894–96.

Master.—To obtain a master's Foreign-going certificate, it is necessary that the candidate should be at least 21 years of age, and have served six years at sea. For the coast trade the minimum age is 20 years, and the service at sea four years, one year of which must have been as mate.

Mate.—To obtain a mate's Foreign-going Certificate a first mate must be at least 19 years of age, and have served five years at sea, one year of which must have been as mate in a grade not lower than third or fourth mate in charge of a watch, whilst in possession of a second mate's certificate. For position of "only" mate the candidate must be at least 19 years of age, and have served five years at sea. For second mate the minimum age is fixed at 17 years, and the service at sea four years. For the coast trade a mate must be at least 19 years of age, and have served three years at sea.

Engineer.—A candidate for a first-class certificate of competency or service must be at least 22 years of age, and for the second and third-class certificates the minimum age is fixed at 21 years.

Marine Surveyor.—Certificates of Competency are issued to those who can pass, or have passed, the examinations necessary for an extra first-class engineer's certificate, or to master mariners who have been in command of foreign-going ships for not less than five years, or those who are in possession of extra master's certificates. Certificates of Service are issued to persons who have served as Marine Surveyors in any part of New South Wales for three years prior to 1881.

Pilots and Pilotage.—Appointments to the Pilot service are made by the Marine Board, and all pilots are Government officers. Pilotage Certificates may be granted to masters of British ships employed in the Australasian or South Sea Island trade, on passing the necessary examination, provided they have been three times in and out of the particular port for which the Certificate is desired, with their vessels as masters or watch-keeping officers. Captains of vessels who have obtained Certificates are not liable for pilot dues.

Certificate.		1894.	1895.	1896.	Certificate.		1894.	1895.	1896.
Master...	Foreign	12	4	13	Engineer...	1st Class	8	11	6
	Coast Trade	5	3	14		2nd Class	7	12	7
	Harbour and River ...	28	16	18		3rd Class	36	35	39
Mate ...	Foreign Service: 1st Mate ...	11	9	14	Marine Surveyor		...	4	2
	Foreign Service: Only Mate...	2	1	1					
	Foreign Service: 2nd Mate ...	8	15	18	Pilotage		95	81	98
	Coast Trade	4	4	3					

No. 32.—Licensed Lighters, 1894–96.

Ballast and Coal Lighters.—Under section 122 of the Navigation Act of 1871 (35 Vic. No. 7) all lighters used for the purpose of carrying ballast or coal must be licensed by the Marine Board of New South Wales, a fee of £1 being charged for each license. No fees were received during 1896. The figures shown below represent the total number of licenses issued to the end of each year, and not the number of existing licenses, as no limit is fixed for the term of the license.

Port.	1894.		1895.		1896.	
	Number.	Tonnage.	Number.	Tonnage.	Number.	Tonnage.
Sydney	49	2,856	50	3,066	50	3,066
Newcastle	41	4,390	45	4,870	45	4,870
Total	90	7,246	95	7,936	95	7,936

Pleasure Boats.—*Sailing Boats* intended for hire must be examined, and a license for each boat issue from the Marine Board, the fee required being 10s. No definite period is fixed as the term of the license. *Rowing Boats* intended or hire are not required to be licensed by the Marine Board.

No. 33.—Licensed Watermen, 1892–96.

Port or Station.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	Port or Station.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
Sydney	250	252	259	266	268	Lake Macquarie ...	1	1	1	1	1
Newcastle	56	56	63	72	74	Merimbula	...	...	...	...	1
Bermagui River ...	1	1	1	1	1	Port Stephens	6	6	6	6	6
Botany Bay	2	2	2	2	2	Richmond River ...	3	3	3	[illegible]	[illegible]
Clarence River	15	15	15	15	15	Tweed River	4	4	[illegible]		
George's River	5	6	7	7	7						
Hawkesbury River ...	9	9	9	9	9	Total... ...	35				

NOTE.—The figures show the total number of licenses issued to the end of each y the number of watermen plying for hire.

No. 34.—Lights and Lighthouses, 1896.

Name.	Order.	Description.	Fixed, flashing, or revolving.	Interval between Flashes.	Colour.	Height of focal plane.	Visible.
		(*From South to North.*)		′ ″		Feet.	Miles.
ape	1	Dioptric	Revolving	1 0	White	144	12
Bay (Eden)	..	Catoptric	Fixed	..	Red	140	7
e Island	1	Dioptric	Fixed and Flashing	1 0	White	262	20
(Warden Head)	..	.....	Fixed	..	,,	140	12
y (Cape St. George)	..	Catoptric	Revolving	0 30	White, Red, and Green alt.	224	14 to 18
en	..	.....	Fixed	..	Red	..	8
.. ..	..	Dioptric	,,	..	Green	..	8 to 12
ong	4	,, ..	,,	..	White	56	10
Leading Lights (2)	..	.....	,,	..	Red	..	....
kson, Sydney—							
uarie (South Head)..	1	Dioptric	Revolving	1 0	White (electric)	346	25
by	..	Catoptric	Fixed	..	White	..	15
ng Lights (2) Eastern Channel ..	..	.....	,,	..	Red	..	....
nd Pigs Lightship (2)	..	.....	,,	..	White	..	16
Denison	..	.....	,,	..	Red	..	....
Bay (Barrenjoey)	2	Dioptric		..	,,	371	15
nter, Newcastle—							
y's	..	Catoptric	,,	..	White	115	18
ay Leading Lights (2)	..	.....		..	White and Red	..	....
ng Lights (2) for North Harbour.	..	.....	,,	..	,,	..	....
Breakwater	..	.....	,,	..	Red	..	....
ship (2)	..	.....	,,	..	,,	..	....
ng Lights (2) Coal Channel ..	..	.....	,,	..	White and Red	..	....
phens	..	Catoptric	Revolving	1 0	White and Red alt.	126	17
Head	..	,, ..	Fixed	..	White	..	8 to 10
f Point (Seal Rocks)	1	Dioptric	Revolving	0 30	,,	258	22
(same Tower)	4	.....	Fixed	..	Green	..	....
Head*	4	Dioptric	,,	..	White	130	10 to 12
Point	4	,, ..	,,	..	,,	120	11
Cape†	1	Dioptric (triple.)	Group Flashing	0 30	,,	450	27 to 35
olitary Island	1	Dioptric	Revolving	0 30	,,	188	19
River	4	,, ..	Fixed	..	,,	..	12
[illegible] (2)	4	,, ..	,	..	,,	..	12
[illegible]al)	4	,, ..	,,	..	,,	180	6 to 8

eclipse over Mermaid Reef. † Subsidiary red over Fish Rock.

[illegible].—The total amount paid for Salaries to lighthouse keepers, assistants, [illegible]: for Repairs, £716; and Stores, £1,074; or a total of £11,720.

No. 35.—Pilot Vessels, 1896.

Station.	Pilots.	Pilot Vessel.	Crew exclusive of Pilot.	Station.	Pilots.	Pilot Vessel.	Cre exclu of Pi
Sydney	5	Steamer "Captain Cook."	22	Bellinger River..	1	Boat	4
Newcastle ...	7	Steamer "Ajax."	.....	Tweed River ...	1	"	5
Manning River ..	1	Boat	5	Shoalhaven River	1	"	4
Macleay River ...	1	"	4	Nambucca River.	1	"	2
Clarence River...	1	"	5	Camden Haven...	1	"	2
Richmond River	1	"	6	Lake Macquarie..	1	"	2
Port Macquarie ..	1	"	5	Cape Hawke ...	1	"	2
Moruya... ...	1	"	2	Twofold Bay ...	1	"	4

Pilot Steamers.—Sydney.—The "Captain Cook," steamer, has a gross tonnage of 360 tons, the nominal horse-po being 90. **Newcastle.**—The "Ajax," steamer, has a gross tonnage of 200 tons, the nominal horse-power being 50.

No. 36.—Depth of Water at High Tides on River and Harbour Bars, 189

Harbour or River,	Depth over Bar.				Harbour or River.	Depth over Bar.			
	Maximum.		Minimum.			Maximum.		Minimum	
	ft.	in.	ft.	in.		ft.	in.	ft.	i
Sydney, Eastern Channel	*33	0	*27	0	Port Macquarie	14	0	8	(
" Western Channel	*27	0	*21	0	Manning River	13	0	7	(
Tweed River	12	6	7	6	Camden Haven	10	0	6	(
Richmond River ...	14	0	8	6	Cape Hawke	15	0	6	(
Clarence River	19	0	14	9	Lake Macquarie... ...	8	6	5	(
Bellinger River	12	6	5	9	Wollongong	*17	0	*12	(
Nambucca River ...	12	0	9	0	Shoalhaven River ...	15	0	12	(
Macleay River	10	6	7	3	Moruya	10	0	6	(

* Spring tides.—The maximum and minimum depths of the channel are shown.

No. 37.—Tug Service, 1896.

Subsidised Steam Tug Service.—The Marine Board of New South Wales subsidises tugs at the places mentioned the following table for the purpose of towing vessels in and out of port or river. The tugs are not allowed to leave the st without the sanction of the Board, and the master must endeavour to be in the vicinity when vessels are ready for and in cases where vessels are in actual danger he must promptly render assistance. The maximum rate for ordi towing is fixed at 4d. per registered ton with a minimum of £1 10s. Disputes arising with respect to special services be settled by arbitration. The masters of tugs are required to take pilots off to vessels signalling for services of a pilot.

Station.	Tug.		Number of Vessels Towed.		Annual Sub paid by Governme
	Number.	Tonnage.	In.	Out.	£
Tweed River	1	40	44	44	849
Richmond River	1	100	200	225	1,770
Clarence River	1	63	30	25	759
Bellinger River	1	18	20	38	73
Nambucca River	1	42	92	31	[illegible]
Macleay River			40	48	
Port Macquarie	1	43	161	195	
Manning River	1	42	123	123	
Camden Haven	1	24	147	170	
Cape Hawke	1	32	170	[illegible]	
Wollongong	1	33	60		
Total	10	437	[illegible]		

38.—Wrecks and Disasters to Shipping within the Jurisdiction of New South Wales, 1896.

Inquiries by Marine Board.—During 1896 nineteen inquiries were held, of which fourteen were heard by the Board at Sydney, and five by the local Marine Board at Newcastle. Eleven masters were examined for loss of , five of whom were exonerated, four had their certificates suspended for three months, one was reprimanded utioned, and in one case no evidence was adduced on which to found a charge of default. Of the inquiries, three g to collisions were held, one master was censured, and three had their certificates suspended. The two inquiries e stranding of vessels resulted in the mate's certificate of one vessel being suspended and the dismissal of the other The Board could not come to a decision as to who was blameworthy in the burning of the boiler of a steam-ship. quiries were held into the supposed loss of missing ships.

e.	Name and Description of Vessel.	Tonnage.	Cargo.	Value of Vessel and Cargo.	Total Crew and Passengers.	Lives Lost.	Particulars.
				£			
e...	Orara, steamer..	35	General ..	500	6	Nil.	Through loss of screw-shaft during southerly gale, this steamer drifted ashore and became a total wreck at Woolgoolga.
...	Aldinga, steamer	259	" ..	6,000	18	Nil.	Wrecked on Bellambi Reef, near Wollongong.
r...	Petrel, ketch ..	60	" ..	960	8	Nil.	Drifted on to the rocks through failure of wind when crossing the bar of the Bellinger River.
..	Harrington, steamer.	35	" ..	1,800	3	Nil.	Struck the ground and became a total wreck whilst attempting to cross the bar of the Bellinger River.
y..	Condong, schooner.	94	Ballast	1,800	6	Nil.	Vessel beached to save life during a southerly gale at Morna Point, near Port Stephens.
..	Byron, steamer..	98	Coal	3,000	9	Nil.	Sprung a leak and foundered during a south-easterly gale, off Red Head.
..	Karoola, barquentine.	201	Produce ..	950	8	2	Wrecked at Morna Point, near Port Stephens, during a heavy southerly gale.
ie	Favorite, steamer.	111	Ballast	350	3	Nil.	Struck by a heavy sea and foundered off the Clarence Heads.
it..	Chindera, steamer.	111	General ..	3,000	12	Nil.	Wrecked on the bar through insufficiency of water whilst attempting to enter the Tweed River.
...	Tottie, schooner.	74	Lumber.. ..	950	5	Nil.	Struck on the Camden Haven bar and became a wreck.
d..	10	1,078		19,310	78	2	

No. 39.—Wrecks and Disasters to Shipping, 1887–96.

r.	Vessels.										Total Tonnage.	Value of Vessels and Cargoes.	Total Crews and Passengers.	Lives Lost.
	Under 50 tons.	50 to 100 tons.	100 to 200 tons.	200 to 300 tons.	300 to 400 tons.	400 to 500 tons.	Over 500 tons.	Summary. Steam.	Sailing.	Total.				
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Tons.	£	No.	No.
7	4	5	2	1	....	....	1	3	10	13	2,009	36,450	89	2
8	6	2	3	1	1	1	1	6	9	15	2,573	47,360	122	8
9	4	8	5	2	....	....	1	4	16	20	2,420	50,040	192	4
0	3	6	2	1	1	....	3	5	11	16	5,303	145,350	185	31
1	3	10	3	....	....	1	1	2	16	18	2,988	unknown	123	47
2	4	5	2	....	....	....	....	4	7	11	783	18,485	67	16
3	4	3	6	1	1	....	....	4	11	15	1,759	27,310	128	4
		10	1	....	1	....	1	6	12	18	2,804	45,523	139	10
			....	....	....	1	2	4	6	10	3,913	unknown	131	63
			2	2	....	....	....	6	4	10	1,078	19,310	78	2

No. 40.—Cost of Dredging, 1896.

Note.—All dredges are owned by the State, and the Dredge Service of New South Wales is administered by Works Department.

LADDER DREDGES.

Name of Dredge.	Attendant punts (built of iron).		Where Employed.	Material Dredged.	Tons Dredged.	Hours Dredging.	Expenditu	
	No.	Tonnage.					Total.	Per Ton.
							£	pence.
Samson	3	1,200	Newcastle	Sand and mud ..	547,585	2,191	4,286	1·87
Sydney	2	1,300	Sydney Harbour	Clay, sewage, mud..	363,070	1,842	3,375	2·24
Charon	2	280	Brisbane Water and Port Hacking.	Sand and mud ..	145,370	1,380	2,151	3·55
Newcastle	3	1,350	Newcastle	,, ..	963,250	3,062	6,737	1·67
Hunter	4	1,200	Sydney Harbour and Lane Cove.	Sand, Sewage, mud	204,950	1,247	2,660	3·11
Vulcan	4	1,080	Hunter River	Sand and mud ..	212,130	1,755	2,704	3·05
Alcides	2	280	Richmond River	,, ..	104,900	1,966	2,337	5·34
Fitzroy	..	..	Macleay River	,, ..	183,546	2,102	3,087	4·03
Ulysses	2	480	Manning River	,, ..	220,630	1,577	2,303	2·50
Minos	2	280	Clarence River	Shingle	153,360	1,145	2,072	3·24
Pluto	2	480	Shoalhaven	Sand and mud ..	128,280	948	1,570	2·93
Archimedes	3	750	Rozelle Bay, Sydney ..	,, ..	76,170	727	868	2·73
			Total		3,303,241	19,942	34,150	..
			Average Cost per Ton and per Hour		.. .. ..		.. ..	2·48

GRAB DREDGES.

Name of Dredge.	Where Employed.	Material Dredged.	Tons Dredged.	Hours Dredging.	Expenditu	
					Total.	Per Ton.
					£	pence.
Alpha	Tweed River	Sand and mud	41,423	1,102	816	4·72
Beta	Cape Hawke and Sydney	,, ...	29,625	1,209	1,539	12·47
Gamma	Hastings River	,, ...	49,850	1,844	715	3·44
Zeta	Richmond River	,, ...	63,950	2,956	1,065	3·99
Eta	Camden Haven	Mud	46,220	1,260	574	2·97
Theta	Clarence River	Rock	2,025	239	390	46·18
Iota	Nambucca River	Gravel	45,991	1,495	940	4·90
Kappa	Hunter River and Lake Macquarie	Sand and shingle ..	75,450	1,698	1,105	3·51
Lambda	Richmond River	Sand and mud	6,995	1,099	272	9·32
Mu	Myall and Richmond Rivers ..	Mud, sand and clay ..	50,950	1,355	839	3·95
Nu	Newcastle	Rock	9,140	1,905	607	15·93
Omicron	Cook's River	Sand and mud	66,148	1,974	507	1·83
Pi	Moruya	,, ...	47,675	1,174	711	3·57
Chi	Bellinger River	Sand	84,368	2,913	1,014	2·88
Omega	Clarence River	Sand, shingle and rock..	19,571	1,025	707	8·67
	Total		639,381	23,248	11,801	..
	Average Cost per Ton and per Hour		.. .. ..		.. ..	4·42

* Laid up in June for alterations.

SAND-PUMP DREDGES.

Name of Dredge.	Where Employed.	Material Lifted.	Estimated Tons Lifted.	Hours Pumping.	Expenditu	
					Total.	Per Ton.
					£	pence.
Neptune	Bateman's Bay, Twofold Bay, and Sydney Harbour.	Sand and mud	175,200	902	*2,429	3·32
Juno	Newcastle	,, ...	342,300	1,527	†2,726	1·91
Jupiter	,, ...	,, ...	546,300	1,748	2,862	1·25
Actor	Tweed River	Sand	386,250	1,545	2,275	1·41
Alesus	Nambucca River	,, ...	294,400	1,472	2,822	2·30
Dorus	Macleay River..	,, ...	444,000	2,220	3,473	1·87
Dictys	Richmond River	,, ...	321,360	1,111	2,076	1·55
Groper	Sydney Harbour	Sand and mud	583,015	1,740	3,193	1·31
	Total		3,092,825	12,265	21,856	..
	Average Cost per Ton and per Hour		.. .. ..		.. ..	1·69

* Includes cost of depositing 151,400 tons at sea. † Includes cost of depositing 8,000 tons at sea.

No. 40.—Cost of Dredging, 1896—*continued.*

COMBINED GRAB AND SAND-PUMP DREDGES.

s of ge.	Where Employed.	Material Lifted.	Estimated Tons Lifted.	Hours Pumping.	Expenditure. Total.	Per Ton.	Per Hour Pumping.
					£	pence.	£ s. d.
	Sydney and Camden Haven ..	Sand	70,460	626	716	2·43	1 2 10
	Myall River	Sand and mud	149,600	1,360	1,478	2·37	1 1 8
	Cape Hawke	"	166,790	1,283	1,352	1·91	1 1 1
	Port Hacking	Sand	18,980	146	780	9·85	*5 6 9
	Total		405,830	3,415	4,326	..	.....
	Average Cost per Ton and per Hour					2·55	1 5 4

* Started work in December, after alterations.

No. 41.—Cost of Towing Dredged Material, 1896.

of Tug.	Where employed.	Tons Towed.	Miles Towed.	Hours attending.	Expenditure. Total.	Per Ton.	Per Mile.	Per Hour.
					£	pence.	pence.	£ s. d.
.. ..	Sydney	5,610	575	155	110	4·72	46·09	0 14 3
..	"	7,370	679	133	153	4·98	54·14	1 3 0
.. ..	Newcastle	528,535	14,146	3,214	2,610	1·18	44·28	0 16 2
ss ..	"	962,750	19,013	4,501	2,932	0·73	37·00	0 13 0
..	Manning River	219,830	5,817	2,236	1,061	1·15	43·79	0 9 5
..	Sydney	107,435	4,571	1,014	614	1·37	32·25	0 12 1
les ..	"	262,330	8,080	2,562	870	0·79	25·83	0 6 9
Nell ..	"	218,940	4,827	1,558	707	0·77	35·16	0 9 0
mede ..	Newcastle	8,210	325	105	30	0·89	22·49	0 7 6
ring ..	Sydney	31,120	1,111	306	682	5·26	147·38	2 4 7*
ps ..	Hawkesbury River and Shoalhaven ..	79,105	2,999	1,162	677	2·05	54·15	0 11 7
lo ..	Shoalhaven and Sydney	68,740	4,195	995	727	2·53	41·60	0 14 7
..	Sydney and Lake Macquarie	25,400	3,555	1,175	193	1·81	12·99	0 3 3
to ..	Bellinger River	70,150	2,746	3,187	626	2·14	54·70	0 3 11
.. ..	Myall River and Newcastle	3,320	386	395	63	4·54	39·10	0 3 2
..	Clarence River	92,700	3,193	1,738	262	0·67	19·71	0 3 0
n ..	Hastings River	49,700	3,384	1,973	244	1·18	17·33	0 2 5
a ..	Moruya	6,215	213	900	216	8·34	243·38	0 4 9
a ..	Sydney and Port Hacking	172,380	7,013	2,302	556	0·77	19·02	0 4 9
ichtie ..	Newcastle and Hunter River	56,700	1,675	2,035	349	1·06	36·15	0 2 5
ea ..	" "	213,180	10,694	2,617	1,025	1·15	23·01	0 7 10
us ..	Sydney	20,520	1,282	391	100	1·17	18·81	0 5 1
r ..	"	260	215	38	51	47·10	56·96	1 6 10†
	Total	3,210,500	100,694	34,692	14,858			
	Average cost per ton, per mile, and per hour					1·11	35·41	0 8 6

* Extensive alterations and repairs effected. † Laid up in January.

No. 42.—Total Cost of Dredging and Towing, 1896.

Class of Dredges.	Tons Dredged.	Hours Dredging.	Expenditure. Dredging only. Total.	Dredging only. Per ton.	Dredging only. Per hour.	Dredging and Towing. Total.	Dredging and Towing. Per ton.
			£	pence.	£ s. d.	£	pence.
r	3,303,241	19,942	34,150	2·48	1 14 2	47,524	3·45
Pump	3,092,825	12,265	21,857	1·69	1 15 7	22,218	1·72
and Sand Pump	405,830	3,415	4,326	2·55	1 5 4	4,847	2·33
.. ..	639,381	23,248	11,802	4·42	0 10 1	15,116	5·67
Total	7,441,277	58,870	72,135	2·32	1 4 6	89,705	2·89

No. 43.—Cost of Dredging and Towing, 1895–96.

Name of Dredge and where employed.	1895. Tons Dredged.	1895. Expenditure, Dredging and Towing. Total. £	1895. Expenditure, Dredging and Towing. Per ton. pence.	1896. Tons Dredged.	1896. Expenditure, Dredging and Towing. Total. £	1896. Expenditure, Dredging and Towing. Per ton. pence.
LADDER DREDGES.						
Newcastle and attendant tugs, at Newcastle	1,312,430	11,587	2·11	963,250	9,682	2·61
Samson ,, ,, Sydney	545,625	8,852	3·89	547,585	6,956	3·04
Sydney ,, ,, Sydney	363,290	4,421	2·92	363,070	4,718	3·11
Hunter ,, ,, Sydney	403,840	6,764	4·01	204,950	3,973	4·65
Vulcan ,, ,, Newcastle and Hunter River	229,480	5,239	5·47	212,130	3,727	4·21
Fitzroy ,, ,, Macleay River and Sydney	186,590	3,384	4·35	183,546	3,435	4·48
Archimedes ,, ,, Moruya River	35,560	1,346	9·08	76,170	1,463	4·61
Charon ,, ,, Port Hacking and Hawkesbury River	170,340	2,612	3·68	145,370	2,786	4·59
Pluto ,, ,, Shoalhaven River	92,400	1,887	4·90	128,280	2,747	5·14
Ulysses ,, ,, Manning River	186,040	3,268	4·21	220,630	3,364	3·65
Minos ,, ,, Clarence River	239,030	2,624	2·63	153,360	2,335	3·65
Alcides ,, ,, Richmond River	215,500	3,240	3·60	104,900	2,338	5·34
GRAB DREDGES.						
Alpha, Tweed River	61,535	689	2·68	41,423	816	4·72
Beta and attendant tugs, Cape Hawke and Sydney	30,200	1,187	9·43	29,625	2,012	16·21
Gamma, Hastings River	43,950	1,092	5·96	49,850	959	4·61
Delta, Hunter and Paterson Rivers	80,800	1,356	10·56	....	.....	....
Zeta, Richmond River	74,534	1,692	3·51	63,950	1,065	3·99
Eta and attendant tugs, Camden Haven	46,650	1,031	5·30	46,220	956	4·98
Theta, Clarence River	9,585	710	17·78	2,025	660	78·39
Iota, Nambucca River	52,902	811	3·67	45,991	951	4·98
Kappa and attendant tugs, Sydney, Hunter River, and Lake Macquarie	71,080	1,527	5·15	75,450	1,713	5·45
Lambda, Richmond River	....	.....	....	6,995	277	9·49
Mu, Myall and Richmond Rivers	23,030	1,226	12·78	50,950	981	4·61
Nu, Newcastle Harbour	18,065	807	10·23	9,140	633	16·77
Omicron, Cook's River	61,194	508	1·99	66,148	507	1·82
Pi and attendant tugs, Moruya River	58,170	817	3·37	47,675	1,225	6·16
Sigma, Myall River	1,310	281	51·55	....	.....	....
Rho, Newcastle	13,855	616	10·66	....	.....	....
Tau, Richmond River	52,807	806	3·66	....	.....	....
Chi, Bellinger River	102,880	2,075	4·84	84,368	1,640	4·68
Omega, Clarence River	56,175	865	3·69	19,571	716	8·77
SAND PUMP DREDGES.						
Neptune, at Sydney, Twofold Bay, and Bateman's Bay ..	[illegible]	2,726	2·63	175,200	2,497	3·42
Juno, at Sydney and Newcastle	286,420	2,586	2·10	342,300	2,726	1·91
Jupiter, at Sydney and Newcastle	[illegible]	2,792	3·58	546,300	2,884	1·26
Acton, at Tweed River	381,812	1,409	1·42	386,250	2,275	1·42
Alcinus, at Nambucca and Macleay Rivers ..	[illegible]	[illegible]	2·12	294,400	2,821	2·29
Dorus, at Newcastle and Macleay River	[illegible]	2,583	1·73	444,000	3,730	2·02
Derius, at Richmond River	[illegible]	[illegible]	2·32	321,360	2,088	1·56
Gryper, at Sydney Harbour	548,372	[illegible]	2·37	583,015	3,194	1·31
COMBINED GRAB AND SAND PUMP DREDGES.						
Delta, at Sydney and Clarence Rivers				70,460	874	[illegible]
Sigma, at Myall River				149,600	1,543	[illegible]
Rho, at Cape Hawke				165,790	1,422	2·04
Tau, at Port Hacking				15,980	1,008	12·78

No. 44.—Government Wharfs, 1896.

Tides.—*Port Jackson, Sydney.*—The self-recording tide-gauge, situated at Fort Denison, was set up in 1871, since when has been a continuous record of tides. The average rise and fall of the ordinary tides is 3 feet 3·7 inches; but the spring average a rise of 4 feet 11½ inches, the greatest range of spring tides being 6 feet 1½ inches. *Port Hunter, Newcastle.*—de-gauge is situated at the pilot's house, Newcastle. The average rise and fall of the ordinary tides is 3 feet 4·3 inches; e spring tides average a rise of 5 feet 2½ inches, the greatest range of spring tides being 6 feet 6½ inches.

Name.	Situation.	Jetties.	Berths at each Jetty.	Length of each Berth.	Width of Jetty or Wharf.	Draft of Vessel that can be taken at each Jetty.	Depth of Water at Low Tide.	Accommodation at Wharf—Buildings, Cranes, &c.
							ft. in.	
	PORT JACKSON.							
per	Woolloomooloo Bay.	Length of wharf, 3,000 feet			..	..	25 0	1 crane, 15 tons; 4 cargo-sheds, each 200 ft.; enclosed with iron railing. Large wool-dumping plants have been erected at three of the sheds. Lit with electric light.
				ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.		
	„ (east side)	..	..	300 0	....	....	30 0	These berths are now only in course of construction.
	„ „	..	..	250 0	....	....	30 0	
	No. 1 Jetty ..	1	1	130 0	....			Water taps are fixed on the end of this jetty.
	No. 2 „ ..	1	1	263 0	....			
	No. 3 „ ..	1	1	400 0	....	27 0	28 0	
	No. 4 „ ..	1	1	316 0	....			
	No. 5 „ ..	1	1	276 0	....			
	No. 6 „ ..	1	1	.....	....			This jetty is undergoing repairs and alterations; when completed there will be ample room to berth (one on each side) two of the largest class of seagoing vessels.
ular Quay est side.)	German Australian Line (No. 7.)	..	..	.....	....	28 0	....	No. 7 Berth is now completed, and is quite equal to all requirements for the accommodation of the large vessels of the German Australian Line.
	Open berth (No. 8.)	..	..	.....	....	28 0	....	No. 8 Open Berth is still in course of formation.
	Nord-deutscher Lloyd (No. 9.)	..	..	.....	....	28 0	....	No. 9 Berth is now in full working order, and provides ample accommodation for steamers.
		..	..	240 0	....	....	....	These berths are now only in course of construction on the site of the old A.S.N. Company's wharf, and will not be completed until about September, 1898.
		..	..	340 0	....	....	....	
		..	..	280 0	....	....	....	
		..	..	240 0	....	....	....	
	Open berth (No. 10.)	..	1	550 0	....	28 0	29 0	Ample room to berth two of the largest seagoing vessels. Two large covered-in sheds, with a capacity of 4,000 tons of cargo.
ular Quay st side.)	Orient Co. (No. 11.)	..	Length, 480 ft.; depth, 57 ft. 6 in.		....	28 0	29 0	These wharfs may be said to be exactly suited to the purpose for which they are required and now used. There is plenty of space for the receiving and discharging of general cargo, added to which each berth and wharf has covered-in sheds, with a storage capacity of at least 2,500 tons each. At present the wharfs are under lease to the companies whose names they bear, but the Government collect the wharfage rates as they accrue.
	Messageries Maritimes (No. 12.)	..	Length, 530 ft.; depth, 82 ft.		....			
	Peninsular and Oriental Co. (No. 13.)	..	Length, 550 ft.; depth, 67 ft. 6 in.		...	29 0	30 0	
nont	Pyrmont ..	Length of wharf, 3,500 feet			..	..	25 0	4 steam cranes, each 10 tons; railway on all jetties. Wharf lit with electric light.
ling Harbour	Darling Harbour.	„		4,000 „	..	..	18 0	1 steam crane, 10 tons. Wharf lit with electric light.
kwattle Bay..	Blackwattle Bay	„		1,400 „	..	..	12 0	
te Bay ..	White Bay ..	Jetty, 230 feet		..	..	..	22 0	Suitable for landing timber, stone, coal, &c.
	NEWCASTLE.							
				ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.		
castle ..	Newcastle ..	Length of wharf, 2,440 feet.		24 6	20 0 to	12 0 to		2,130 ft. for cargo berths for deep draught vessels, 500 ft. for passenger steamers, and 590 ft. for general cargo; 2 hand cranes; 2 sheds at steamers' wharf. Wharf is lit with gas.
		780 feet		34 6	22 0	23 0		

No. 44.—Government Wharfs, 1896—*continued.*

Name.	Situation.	Jetties.	Berths at each Jetty.	Length of each Berth.	Width of Jetty or Wharf.	Draft of Vessel that can be taken at each Jetty.	Depth of Water at Low Tide.	Accommodation at Wharf—Buildings, Cranes, &c.
				NEWCASTLE—*continued.*				
					ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	
Bullock Island ..	Carrington ..	4 ballast jetties		Length of wharf, 7,760 feet. each 50 feet	24 6	23 6	16 0 to 23 0	5,550 ft. set apart for shipment coal, 700 feet in connection wi harbour works, 480 feet in co nection with landing ore for t Sulphide Corporation, and the r for discharge of ballast. 12 hydrau cranes—6 15-ton, 4 9-ton, and 2 ton; also 3 15-ton steam cran Wharf lit with electric light.
Stockton	Stockton ..			Length of wharf, 600 feet.	24 6	23 0	6 0	1 15-ton steam crane, and 1 sho The 600 feet of wharf are used the shipment of coal.
				Ferry wharf, 66 feet..	24 0		15 0	
				,, 60 ,, ..	20 0		20 0	
				Three ballast jetties, 50 feet each. Three mooring dolphins and two additional dolphins for disabled vessels. The dolphins are 20 feet long.	24 6	17 0	18 0	Steam winch for hoisting ballast.
				WOLLONGONG.				
				ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	
Illawarra S. N. Co.	Wollongong ..	1	1	244 0	18 0	6 6	4 6	Cargo-shed, 120 ft. x 40 ft.; capaci 150 to 200 tons; boiler-shed, bla smiths' shop and cement-shed coal-shoots, 3 cranes, 1 derric 3 lamps each side lit with gas.
Belmore Basin ..	,, ..	..	1	66 0	....	9 0	6 9	
			1	90 0	....	9 0	8 3	
			1	440 0	....	9 0	10 6	
			1	140 0	....	9 0	11 6	
			1	360 0	....	9 0	8 6	
			1	100 0	....	9 0	9 3	
			1	140 0	....	9 0	9 0	
			1	100 0	....	9 0	8 0	

Private Wharfs.—For particulars regarding wharfs, other than those owned by the Government, see "Statis Register," 1895.

No. 45.—Dock Accommodation, 1896.

Name of Dock.	Where situated.	Length.	Breadth.	Draught of Vessel that may be taken.	Lifting power Floating Do or Patent Sli
Sydney—					
Graving Docks—		ft.	ft.	ft. in.	tons.
Government—					
Sutherland ..	Cockatoo Island..	600	84	32 0	.....
Fitzroy	Cockatoo Island..	450	59	21 6	.....
Mort's	Mort's Bay, Balmain ..	640	66 at top 54 at bottom.	19 0	.....
Floating Docks—					
Rowntree's	Waterview Bay.. ..	160	42	12 0	474
Atlas	Woolwich	250	40	14 0	1,200
Jubilee (Mort's) ..	Johnston's Bay ..	317	55	15 0	1,500
Johnston's Bay Mort's)	Johnston's Bay ..	90	28	7 3	120
Drake's	White Bay	150	60	6	300
Patent Slips—					
Mort's No. 1.. ..	Mort's Bay, Balmain	270	30	11 ft. forwd. 17 ft. aft.	2,000
,, ,, 2.. ..	Mort's Bay, Balmain	200	25	10 ft. forwd. 16 ft. aft.	1,000
,, ,, 3.. ..	Mort's Bay, Balmain	80	13 ft. 8 in.	5 ft. 3 in.	[illegible]
Newcastle—					
Patent Slips—					
O'Sullivan's	Stockton	200	40	10 ft. forwd. 12 ft. aft.	
Austin Callen's	New Township, Stockton	150	30	8 ft. 0 in.	

Government Docks.—*Vessels Docked.*—During 1896 there were 79 vessels docked at the Fitzroy Dock, making a total of 149, of which 8 were British ships of war. The *Receipts and Expenditure.*—The receipts during 1896 amounted to £23,2 ive of interest on capital expenditure.

No. 46.—Passenger Fares from Sydney during 1896.

STEAMERS.

Ports.	Single Fares. First Class.	Single Fares. Second Class.
South Wales Ports :—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
ieman's Bay	1 0 0	0 10 0
llinger River	1 15 0	1 0 0
ron Bay	2 0 0	1 0 0
rence River	1 10 0	0 15 0
en	1 10 0	0 15 0
cleay River	1 10 0	0 15 0
nning River	1 5 0	0 15 0
mbucca River	1 10 0	0 15 0
wcastle	0 5 0	0 2 0
rt Macquarie	1 10 0	0 15 0
chmond River—		
Ballina	1 10 0	0 15 0
Lismore	1 15 0	1 0 0
adulla	0 15 0	0 10 0
ollongong	0 4 0	0 2 6
orian Port :—		
lbourne	£2—£3 10s.	15s.—£1
ensland Ports :—		
rketown	15 5 0	7 5 0
wen	7 10 0	3 15 0
isbane	3 0 0	1 0 0
ndaberg	4 10 0	1 15 0
irns	8 10 0	4 10 0
oktown	9 10 0	5 0 0

Ports.	Single Fares. First Class.	Single Fares. Second Class.
Queensland Ports—*contd.* :-	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Mackay	7 0 0	3 10 0
Maryborough	4 0 0	1 10 0
Mourilyan Harbour	8 10 0	4 10 0
Normanton	13 10 0	6 15 0
Rockhampton	6 0 0	2 15 0
Townsville	8 0 0	4 0 0
Thursday Island	12 15 0	9 15 0
South Australian Ports :—		
Adelaide	£3 7s.—£6 10s.	£2—£4 10s.
Port Darwin	18 0 0	9 0 0
Port Pirie	3 10 0	2 0 0
Western Australian Ports :—		
Albany	£8 10s.—£12	£4—£8
Fremantle	8 0 0	5 0 0
Tasmanian Ports :—		
Hobart	£1 10s.—£2 5s.	1 0 0
Launceston	10 0	1 5 0
New Zealand Ports :—		
Auckland	4 0 0	2 5 0
Dunedin (*via* Cook Strait) ..	5 10 0	3 5 0
Lyttelton ,, ,, ..	4 15 0	2 5 0
Napier (*via* Auckland) ..	5 10 0	3 5 0
Wellington	4 0 0	2 5 0

Ports.	Single Fares. First Class.	Single Fares. Second Class.	Single Fares. Third Class.
opean Ports :—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
twerp	57 0 0	35 0 0	15 15 0
emen	57 0 0	35 0 0	15 15 0
indisi	£55—£65	£32—£37	£14 14s.—£17 17s.
noa	52 0 0	30 0 0	13 10 0
ndon	£60—£70	£35—£44	£15 15s.—£22 12s. 9d.
rseilles	65 0 0	40 0 0	20 0 0
ples	£50—£65	£30—£37	£13 10s.—£17 17s.
uthampton	57 0 0	35 0 0	15 15 0
nice	£55—£65	£32—£37	.....
tern Ports :—			
en	45 0 0	£30—£33	£8 10s.—£15
mbay	40 0 0	£25—£27 10s.	13 10 0
lcutta	40 0 0	£25—£27 10s.	13 10 0
lombo	35 0 0	£25—£27 10s.	10 0 0
ng Kong	33 0 0	23 0 0	.....
ra	27 0 0	.....	10 10 0

Ports.	Single Fares. First Class.	Single Fares. Second Class.	Single Fares. Third Class.
Eastern Ports—*contd.* :—	£ s. d	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Madras	40 0 0	£25—£27 10s.	.....
Penang	30 10 0	.....	15 15 0
Port Moresby	22 10 0	14 0 0	.....
Shanghai	37 10 0	26 0 0	18 0 0
Singapore	38 0 0	27 0 0	18 0 0
Mauritius	52 0 0	35 12 0	17 16 0
Port Said	£53—£63	£31—£36	16 16 0
Reunion	51 0 0	35 0 0	17 12 0
Yokohama	39 15 0	27 0 0	.....
Pacific Ports :—			
Aneityum	10 10 0	6 0 0	.....
Fiji (Suva and Levuka) ..	10 0 0	6 0 0	.....
Havannah (New Hebrides)	12 0 0	7 0 0	.....
Honolulu	30 0 0	12 0 0	.....
Noumea	10 0 0	7 0 0	3 12 0
Samoa Islands	20 0 0	10 0 0	.....
San Francisco	40 0 0	16 0 0	.....
Tonga Islands	16 0 0	9 10 0	4 10 0
Vancouver	40 0 0	16 0 0	.....
South African Port :—			
Cape Town	35 0 0	.....	16 0 0

SAILING VESSELS.

ling vessels are in nearly every instance a matter of private arrangement between the captain of the ailing passenger; but the number of passengers is becoming smaller from year to year, owing to the rates of steamer fares. Single fares from Sydney to London are, however, given as £35 to £45 second class, and from Newcastle to San Francisco as £20 to £25.

No. 47.—Rates of Freights.

SYDNEY TO LONDON, 1889–96.

Year.	Vessel.	Per lb.	Per ton weight.				Per ton measurement (40 cubic feet).	
		Wool (Greasy).	Tallow.	Copra.	Leather.	Hides.	Preserved Meats.	Measurement Goods.
1889	Sailing	$\frac{5}{16}$d. to $\frac{7}{16}$d.	25/- to 45/-	32/6 to 50/-	27/6 to 45/-	15/- to 20/-	22/6	20/- to 25/-
	Steam	¼d. to ¾d.	25/- to 50/-	50/-	40/- to 60/-	.....	.....	.....
1890	Sailing	⅜d. to ½d.	32/6 to 47/6	32/6 to 47/6	35/- to 45/-	15/- to 25/-	25/- to 30/-	25/- to 35/-
	Steam	½d. to ⅞d.	35/- to 50/-	45/- to 50/-	45/- to 60/-	.....	30/-	60/-
1891	Sailing	¼d. to $\frac{7}{16}$d.	26/- to 45/-	35/- to 47/6	27/6 to 40/-	20/- to 30/-	17/6 to 25/-	22/6 to 45/-
	Steam	$\frac{5}{16}$d. to ¾d.	32/6 to 45/-	35/- to 45/-	32/6 to 50/-	30/- to 35/-	.....	32/6 to 60/-
1892	Sailing	⅜d. to $\frac{9}{16}$d.	27/6 to 37/6	37/6 to 42/6	27/6 to 40/-	15/- to 22/6	20/- to 27/6	27/6 to 40/-
	Steam	⅜d. to ¾d.	45/- to 50/-	40/- to 45/-	40/- to 60/-	35/-	32/6 to 40/-	40/- to 60/-
1893	Sailing	$\frac{5}{16}$d. to ½d.	25/- to 40/-	27/6 to 30/-	25/- to 40/-	15/- to 22/6	15/- to 17/6	25/- to 40/-
	Steam	⅜d. to ⅝d.	35/- to 50/-	35/- to 40/-	35/- to 60/-	30/- to 40/-	30/-	40/- to 60/-
1894	Sailing	⅜d. to $\frac{7}{16}$d.	32/6 to 37/6	36/3 to 37/6	32/6 to 40/-	17/6 to 20/-	17/6	25/- to 30/-
	Steam	⅜d. to ½d.	40/- to 50/-	.....	35/- to 50/-	30/-	25/- to 30/-	35/- to 50/-
1895	Sailing	$\frac{5}{16}$d. to ⅜d.	17/6 to 35/-	20/- to 40/-	30/- to 40/-	15/- to 22/6	15/- to 17/6	20/- to 35/-
	Steam	$\frac{5}{16}$d. to ½d.	22/6 to 40/-	.....	35/- to 65/-	25/- to 40/-	20/- to 30/-	30/- to 45/-
1896	Sailing	¼d. to $\frac{5}{16}$d.	12/6 to 25/-	20/- to 22/6	25/- to 30/-	15/- to 17/6	12/6 to 15/-	17/6 to 30/-
	Steam	¼d. to ½d.	12/6 to 35/-	20/- to 40/-	27/6 to 45/-	25/- to 40/-	20/- to 30/-	20/- to 40/-

WOOL (GREASY) SYDNEY TO EUROPE AND UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, 1896.

Vessel.	Europe.			United States of America.	
	France.	Germany.	Belgium.	*Via* London.	*Via* Vancouver.
	Per lb.	Per lb.	Per lb.	Per lb.	Per ton
Steam	¼d. to ½d.	¼d. to ½d.	¼d. to ½d.	$\frac{7}{16}$d. to ⅝d.	[illegible]-

No. 48.—National Shipwreck Relief Society of N.S.W.

National Shipwreck Relief Society of N.S.W.—This Society was established in the year 1877, in order to afford ef in cases of distress to widows, orphans, and aged parents, or others dependent upon seamen belonging to New South les, or to vessels owned in New South Wales, who have lost their lives, or have been seriously injured in the performance heir duty; to relieve crews of vessels and necessitous passengers wrecked in or near New South Wales waters; and to nt the Society's medals or rewards to persons performing acts of bravery in the saving of human life.

BALANCE SHEET FOR YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1897.

RECEIPTS.	£	£	DISBURSEMENTS.	£	£	£
To Balance—30th June, 1896 ...	...	119	By General relief granted—			
Donations	518		Widows and Orphans	99		
Subscriptions, &c.	494		Seamen	147		
Government Grant	250		Donations to Hospitals	7		
Interest on Fixed Deposits...	533				253	
		1,795	Rewards of Merit, Medals, Certificates, &c....		185	
Fixed Deposits—			Salaries, Office Rent, Commission, Printing, Advertising, &c....		356	
Bank of New South Wales	700		General Expenses and Public Demonstrations		92	
Commercial Banking Company of Sydney (Ltd.)	9,000		Fixed Deposits—			886
Government Savings Bank of N.S.W. ...	5,300		Commercial Banking Company of Sydney (Ltd.) ...		9,000	
		15,000	Bank of New South Wales...		700	
			Savings Bank of New South Wales		6,300	
						16,000
			Balance—Commercial Banking Company of Sydney (Ltd.)			28
		16,914				16,914

TRANSACTIONS FOR YEAR 1896–97, AND SINCE ESTABLISHMENT OF SOCIETY.

	During 1896-97.		Since establishment of Society in 1877.	
	No.	Amount. £	No.	Amount. £
Relief granted—				
Families (Widows and orphans or others) dependent on seamen	4	99	167	9,425
Distressed seamen, who have suffered through shipwreck	51	147	413	3,357
Passengers	.....	.....	.....	148
Donations to Hospitals	.....	7	.....	7
Total	.....	253	.....	12,937
		No.		No.
Medals (including Certificates of Merit) awarded for saving life—				
Gold		1		17
Silver		9		103
Bronze		.....		24
Certificates only		1		4
Miscellaneous awards—				
Gold watches		.....		2
[illegible]atches		.....		3
[illegible]ocular Glasses		1		4
[illegible]late		1		1
[illegible]		£30		£189

No. 49.—Distances of Principal Ports from Sydney by Sea.

PLACES ON THE COAST OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

North.

	Miles.		Miles.
Broken Bay	19	Trial Bay	209
Catherine Hill Bay	48	Macleay River Heads	216
Newcastle	62	Nambucca River Heads	223
Port Stephens	83	Bellinger River Heads	230
Seal Rocks	109	Coff's Harbour	240
Cape Hawke	123	Woolgoolga	254
Manning River Heads	144	Clarence River Heads	296
Crowdy Head	147	Richmond River Heads	331
Camden Haven Heads	159	Cape Byron	345
Tacking Point	169	Brunswick River Heads	351
Port Macquarie	174	Tweed River Heads	374
Smoky Cape	205		

South.

	Miles.		Miles.
Botany	12	Jervis Bay	87
Clifton	31	Ulladulla	108
Bulli	36	Bateman's Bay	134
Bellambi	41	Moruya	139
Wollongong	44	Narooma	157
Port Kembla	48	Bermagui	163
Shellharbour	53	Tathra	186
Kiama	59	Merimbula	197
Gerringong	65	Twofold Bay (Eden)	210
Shoalhaven River Heads	69	Green Cape	218
Crookhaven Heads	74	Cape Howe	238

INTERCOLONIAL AND ISLAND PORTS.

	Miles.
Victoria—	
Gabo Island	237
Wilson's Promont'ry	432
Port Phillip Heads	534
Melbourne	576
Cape Otway	682
Queensland—	
Brisbane	500
Maryborough	690
Bundaberg	782
Gladstone	882
Rockhampton	982
Mackay	1,050
Bowen	1,155
Townsville	1,258
Cairns	1,418
Port Douglas	1,453
Cooktown	1,518
Thursday Island	1,958
Queensland—*con.*	
Normanton	2,458
Burketown	2,596
South Australia—	
Cape Northumberland	827
Cape Jervis	1,022
Semaphore (Adelaide, 10 miles inland)	1,074
Cape Borda	1,183
Port Pirie	1,344
Port Augusta	1,379
Port Darwin (via East Coast)	2,540
Western Australia—	
Breaksea Island	2,090
Albany (King George's Sound)	2,100
Fremantle (Perth, 12 miles inland)	2,496
Tasmania—	
Hobart (direct)	648
Low Head	509
Launceston (via Melbourne)	853
New Zealand—	
North Island (via Auckland)—	
Russell	1,172
Auckland	1,280
Tauranga	1,414
Gisborne	1,620
Napier	1,706
Wellington	1,909
South Island (via Wellington)—	
Nelson	1,377
Picton	1,292
Lyttleton (Christchurch, 17 miles inland)	1,414
Akaroa	1,458
New Zealand—*con.*	
Westport	1,537
Greymouth	1,600
Dunedin	1,617
Bluff (Invercargill, 18 miles inland)	1,749
Island Ports—	
Lord Howe Island	436
Norfolk Island	900
Fiji (Suva), direct	1,770
New Caledonia (Noumea)	1,060
New Hebrides	1,260
Tongatabu (Tonga)	2,090
Samoa (Apia)	2,540
New Guinea (Port Moresby), via Cooktown	1,888
Honolulu (via Auckland)	5,181

BRITISH AND FOREIGN PORTS.

	Miles.
Via P. & O. and Orient Co.'s routes.	
Colombo	5,442
Madras	6,052
Bombay	6,317
Calcutta	6,706
Aden	7,535
Suez	8,843
Brindisi	9,860
Naples	10,040
Plymouth	12,255
London	12,500
London (direct)	12,145
Via Cape of Good Hope.	
Table Bay	7,088
Madeira	11,878
London	13,379
Via Cape Horn.	
Cape Horn	4,505
Rio de Janeiro	6,855
Madeira	10,550
London	12,051
Via Torres Straits.	
Batavia	4,195
Aden	8,045
Suez	9,452
Port Said	9,540
London	12,975
Via San Francisco.	
Honolulu	5,181
San Francisco	7,281
New York (inc. 3,286 overland)	10,567
Liverpool	13,627
London (inc. 3,488 overland)	13,829
Via Vancouver.	
Vancouver	6,985
Quebec (inc. 3,078 overland)	10,063
Liverpool	12,723
London (inc. 3,280 overland)	12,925
Belgium—Antwerp	12,735
Germany—Bremen	13,105
Hamburg	13,121
France—Marseilles	10,296
Dunkirk	12,351
Singapore (direct)	4,451
China—Hong Kong	5,888
Shanghai	6,758
Japan—Nagasaki	6,955
Yokohama	7,478

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Port or Station.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
IMPORTS.							
SEAWARD—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	17,792,986	20,176,364	17,055,806	14,924,157	13,564,181	13,778,148	16,821,742
Clarence River (Grafton)	17,994	5,421	8,704	8,213	8,056	5,127	484
Eden	303	2,768	4,987	976	618	1,119	1,271
Newcastle	93,550	877,063	765,083	451,253	424,114	420,138	611,880
Port Macquarie	.....	99	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Richmond River (Ballina)	1,206	4	90	.....	81	1,680	2
Tweed River Heads	1,624	2,474	13,389	24,425	16,237	2,835	460
Wollongong	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total Seaward .. £	17,907,663	21,064,193	17,848,109	15,409,024	14,013,287	14,209,047	17,435,839
OVERLAND—							
Albury	468,979	481,754	408,869	470,565	207,732	184,563	614,779
Barringun	1,116,142	412,861	255,461	152,895	209,261	218,129	227,292
Boggabilla	682,329	56,115	76,626	114,518	51,061	24,890	96,493
Bourke	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,960	1,996	9,089
Cobram	.....	.....	14,626	17,203	9,826	10,596	23,033
Corowa	74,727	100,002	61,537	44,132	41,033	42,884	69,815
Delegate..	.....	.....	.....	.....	85	63	206
Euston	8,131	8,373	7,861	4,882	3,590	3,147	3,729
Genoa	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12
Howlong	13,251	30,645	9,390	6,911	7,088	7,419	6,947
Moama	315,875	390,239	326,151	297,860	260,524	259,261	251,390
Mulwala..	26,120	27,440	24,486	30,203	30,848	27,981	53,530
Mungindi	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	38,762
Silverton	123,318	189,102	88,210	.....	.....	.....	.....
Swan Hill	22,404	9,622	13,120	8,513	9,952	9,684	15,280
Tocumwal	25,392	24,966	17,093	23,567	14,453	19,761	49,383
Tweed River Heads (Live Stock) ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,450	8,706
Wallangarra	256,981	137,721	199,810	109,727	77,846	149,449	217,749
Wentworth	237,021	267,771	167,805	133,567	89,188	48,641	73,501
Wilcannia	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,307	21,034	60,694
Willyama (Broken Hill)	1,336,671*	1,851,108	956,694	829,349	562,966	590,197	928,536
Other Crossing Places (Live Stock)	.....	381,485	300,678	454,119	177,934	159,223	376,745
Total Overland .. £	4,707,341	4,319,204	2,928,417	2,698,011	1,788,654	1,783,368	3,125,671
Total Imports .. .. £	22,615,004	25,383,397	20,776,526	18,107,035	15,801,941	15,992,415	20,561,510

* Includes the trade of Thackaringa station, which was abolished on the 1st July, 1890.

No. 1.—Trade of each Port and Station, 1890–96—*continued.*

Port or Station.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1
			EXPORTS.				
SEAWARD—	£	£	£	£	£	£	
Sydney	12,178,053	15,201,381	14,016,599	14,528,444	13,790,770	15,696,631	16,
Bateman's Bay..	1,739	585	670	1,100	.....	.....	
Clarence River Grafton)	19,000	13,431	3,284	4,553	5,250	5,800	
Eden	23,182	20,458	17,680	10,154	15,201	3,760	
Macleay River	.....	.....	350	.....	196	.....	
Nambucca	1,335	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Newcastle	1,768,379	2,032,522	1,846,929	1,608,510	1,485,475	1,415,826	1,
Port Macquarie	.....	.....	218	.....	142	815	
Port Stephens	.....	.....	840	.....	532	361	
Richmond River (Ballina)	1,674	170	324	.....	520	320	
Tweed River Heads	477	362	407	223	581	537	
Wollongong	25,722	44,863	50,735	61,303	56,917	62,606	
Total Seaward .. £	14,019,561	17,313,772	15,938,036	16,214,287	15,355,584	17,186,656	18,
OVERLAND—							
Albury	1,433,575	1,613,157	991,212	716,966	500,008	417,995	1
Barringun	89,897	75,839	65,718	29,852	29,728	26,366	
Boggabilla	74,656	35,154	38,464	35,005	26,290	30,361	
Bourke	15,231	21,623	11,451	17,688	14,061	7,280	
Brewarrina	.....	.....	.....	33	214	18	
Cobram	.....	.....	36,351	48,552	17,199	38,650	
Corowa	512,660	383,102	175,211	228,392	177,779	197,913	1
Euston	55,903	67,336	53,014	43,642	24,645	53,292	
Howlong	36,669	44,025	26,387	14,765	13,209	16,899	
Moama	932,502	719,657	692,697	577,136	547,027	669,337	6
Mulwale	20,806	58,823	84,829	86,977	95,626	96,255	
Silverton	251,937	242,186	77,389	.....	.....	.....	.
Swan Hill	987,245	937,990	691,868	562,736	535,551	478,314	3
Tocumwal	84,514	116,143	74,030	31,983	24,718	69,000	1
Tweed River Heads (Live Stock) ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.
Wallangarra	134,808	88,582	73,836	356,064	75,658	406,907	1
Wentworth	638,151	651,876	409,739	521,265	609,299	244,236	5
Wilcannia	252	543	140	818	232	145	
Willyama (Broken Hill)	2,757,570*	3,574,212	2,479,665	3,329,013	2,512,104	1,960,944	1,9
Other Crossing Places (Live Stock)	.....	.....	52,210	76,029	18,721	34,017	
Total Overland — — £	8,026,376	8,630,248	6,034,211	6,706,936	5,222,089	4,748,129	4,7
Total Exports — £	22,045,937	25,944,020	21,972,247	22,921,223	20,577,673	21,934,785	23,0

* Includes the trade of Thackaringa Station, which was abolished on the 1st July, 1890.

No. 2.—Direction of Trade, 1891–96.

ınsit Trade.—The returns show the values of goods from the port of shipment only, and not from the country of n or manufacture. In the case of transhipments care has been taken to trace the port of shipment when it has ible to do so.

Country.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
IMPORTS.						
	£	£	£	£	£	£
asian Colonies	11,127,178	9,201,193	8,895,787	7,794,168	7,321,668	9,559,860
Kingdom	10,580,230	8,883,983	7,218,124	5,983,489	6,420,107	7,190,115
ıritish Possessions	766,947	577,707	565,491	608,356	611,021	625,164
ı Countries—						
ıd States	1,277,032	823,522	526,331	542,427	624,268	1,729,871
ce	120,321	77,436	49,436	70,649	76,663	145,972
Iew Caledonia and Tahiti	48,378	18,242	21,417	25,171	28,345	41,263
any, including Possessions in Pacific	773,016	581,402	373,233	350,232	426,004	690,847
um	188,277	227,363	129,114	115,119	150,288	104,293
ı	270,929	217,996	164,481	131,006	133,870	190,545
r Foreign Countries	231,089	167,682	163,621	181,324	200,181	283,580
Total Imports .. .. £	25,383,397	20,776,526	18,107,035	15,801,941	15,992,415	20,561,510
EXPORTS.						
	£	£	£	£	£	£
asian Colonies	11,603,170	8,917,677	9,881,038	8,243,954	7,590,985	8,374,826
Kingdom	8,855,465	7,653,915	8,269,507	7,956,377	9,371,418	8,375,883
ıritish Possessions	607,971	481,553	419,264	395,871	360,703	520,328
ı Countries—						
ıd States	2,313,671	1,529,980	626,566	374,541	683,606	2,064,964
ce	480,599	806,693	1,134,072	1,067,440	1,436,122	1,472,909
Iew Caledonia and Tahiti	185,768	184,942	89,791	73,451	71,350	110,880
any, including Possessions in Pacific	441,042	1,035,815	999,910	937,311	1,158,265	789,515
um	1,039,338	951,570	1,121,606	1,121,822	780,826	877,880
ı	12,164	9,810	5,609	7,581	7,943	7,877
r Foreign Countries	404,837	400,292	373,860	399,325	473,567	415,287
Total Exports .. .. £	25,944,020	21,972,247	22,921,223	20,577,673	21,934,785	23,010,349
TOTAL TRADE.						
	£	£	£	£	£	£
asian Colonies	22,730,348	18,118,870	18,776,825	16,038,122	14,912,653	17,934,686
Kingdom	19,435,695	16,537,898	15,487,631	13,939,866	15,791,525	15,565,998
ıritish Possessions	1,374,918	1,059,260	984,755	1,004,227	971,724	1,145,492
ı Countries—						
ıd States	3,590,703	2,353,502	1,152,897	916,968	1,307,874	3,794,835
ce	600,920	884,129	1,183,508	1,138,089	1,512,785	1,618,881
Iew Caledonia and Tahiti	234,146	203,184	111,208	98,622	99,695	152,143
any, including Possessions in Pacific	1,214,058	1,617,217	1,373,143	1,287,543	1,584,269	1,480,362
um	1,227,610	1,178,933	1,250,720	1,236,941	931,114	982,173
ı	283,093	227,806	170,090	138,587	141,813	198,422
r Foreign Countries	635,926	567,974	537,481	580,649	673,748	698,867
Total .. .. .. £	51,327,417	42,748,773	41,028,258	36,379,614	37,927,200	43,571,859

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No. 3.—Trade with Principal Countries, 1891–96.

Country.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	18
AUSTRALASIA.						
	£	£	£	£	£	
IMPORTS FROM :—						
Victoria	2,818,935	2,432,399	2,020,421	1,583,206	1,499,592	2,11
Queensland...	4,303,520	4,122,822	4,746,152	4,506,490	4,011,776	4,67
South Australia	2,746,788	1,461,815	1,007,280	854,190	911,170	1,43
Western Australia... ...	9,339	13,251	8,879	23,310	32,332	2
Tasmania	377,174	453,597	356,622	342,522	303,270	59
New Zealand	871,422	717,309	756,433	484,450	563,528	70
Total ... ... £	11,127,178	9,201,193	8,895,787	7,794,168	7,321,668	9,55
EXPORTS TO :—						
Victoria	5,443,663	4,278,907	3,620,302	3,129,663	3,078,017	3,29
Queensland...	1,063,780	1,105,173	1,599,898	970,926	1,416,257	1,22
South Australia	4,527,987	2,988,448	3,889,491	3,108,600	2,314,682	2,72
Western Australia... ...	35,345	32,226	28,539	83,790	143,405	53
Tasmania	252,356	226,864	209,546	180,583	152,451	16
New Zealand	280,039	286,059	533,262	770,392	486,173	42
Total ... ... £	11,603,170	8,917,677	9,881,038	8,243,954	7,590,985	8,37
TOTAL TRADE WITH :—						
Victoria	8,262,598	6,711,306	5,640,723	4,712,869	4,577,609	5,41
Queensland	5,367,300	5,227,995	6,346,050	5,477,416	5,428,033	5,90
South Australia	7,274,775	4,450,263	4,896,771	3,962,790	3,225,852	4,15
Western Australia... ...	44,684	45,477	37,418	107,100	175,737	55
Tasmania	629,530	680,461	566,168	523,105	455,721	76
New Zealand	1,151,461	1,003,368	1,289,695	1,254,842	1,049,701	1,13
Total Trade ... £	22,730,348	18,118,870	18,776,825	16,038,122	14,912,653	17,93
UNITED KINGDOM.						
	£	£	£	£	£	
Imports from	10,580,230	8,883,983	7,218,124	5,983,489	6,420,107	7,19
Exports to	8,855,465	7,653,915	8,269,507	7,956,377	9,371,418	8,37
Total Trade ... £	19,435,695	16,537,898	15,487,631	13,939,866	15,791,525	15,56

No. 3.—Trade with Principal Countries, 1891–96—*continued.*

Country.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
			OTHER BRITISH POSSESSIONS.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£
FROM :—						
an Dominion ...	32,864	10,655	33,316	52,740	1 742	83,810
... ...	89,859	70,121	56,012	45,039	27,890	36,058
Kong	273,383	239,606	191,477	182,496	181,529	75,860
... ...	260,307	180,499	184,261	201,805	212,337	203,176
... ...	55,544	50,725	70,991	81,146	94,595	113,352
ius	4,014	4,809	9,873	25,284	12,950	73,635
Settlements ...	44,076	14,213	8,669	12,625	14,074	19,877
British Possessions ...	6,900	7,079	10,892	7,221	5,904	19,396
l ... ... £	766,947	577,707	565,491	608,356	611,021	625,164
TO :—						
an Dominion ...	40	37	8,374	14,523	16,804	11,555
... ...	103,773	100,089	131,403	117,840	86,420	107,724
Kong	282,309	254,615	182,502	162,167	141,976	185,601
... ...	127,388	50,923	37,173	36,991	54,407	126,203
... ...	631	8,975	2,052	2,822	2,055	6,785
ius	31,761	17,068	26,834	32,508	24,155	19,608
Settlements ...	54,646	43,902	23,924	16,890	24,507	19,113
British Possessions ...	7,423	5,944	7,002	12,130	10,379	43,739
Exports ... £	607,971	481,553	419,264	395,871	360,703	520,328
RADE WITH :—						
an Dominion ...	32,904	10,692	41,690	67,263	78,546	95,365
... ...	193,632	170,210	187,415	162,879	114,310	143,782
Kong	555,692	494,221	373,979	344,663	323,505	261,461
... ...	387,695	231,422	221,434	238,796	266,744	329,379
... ...	56,175	59,700	73,043	83,968	96,650	120,137
ius	35,775	21,877	36,707	57,792	37,105	93,243
Settlements ...	98,722	58,115	32,593	29,515	38,581	38,990
British Possessions ...	14,323	13,023	17,894	19,351	16,283	63,135
... £	1,374,918	1,059,260	984,755	1,004,227	971,724	1,145,492

No. 3.—Trade with Principal Countries, 1891–96

Country.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.
		FOREIGN COUNTRIES.		
EXPORTS FROM:—	£	£	£	£
Belgium	188,277	227,363	129,114	115,1
Chili	320	.....	.....	
China	270,929	217,996	164,481	131,0
Egypt	18,422	9,094	3,427	4,7
France	120,321	77,436	49,436	70,6
New Caledonia	48,378	18,242	21,417	25,1
Germany	773,016	581,402	373,233	345,3
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hawaiian Islands	171	2,580	413	.....
Italy	30,243	27,353	16,981	24,1
Japan	16,385	23,244	8,913	27,4
Netherlands	149	.....	696	.....
Java...	5,375	13,380	31,615	40,5
Sweden	18,820	11,061	7,122	.....
Norway	77,669	22,007	28,106	29,
Peru...	.....	1,530	4,250	.....
Philippine Islands... ...	4,900	12,014	8,510	7
South Sea Islands (including New Hebrides) ...	42,902	32,159	46,725	3
United States	1,277,032	823,522	526,331	5
Other Foreign Countries ...	15,733	13,260	6,863	
Total... ... £	2,909,042	2,113,643	1,427,633	1
EXPORTS TO:—				
Belgium	1,039,333	951,570	1,121,606	
Chili	134,203	125,325	120,817	
China	12,164	9,810	5,609	
Egypt	400	50	5,187	
France	480,599	806,693	1,134,072	
New Caledonia	185,768	184,128	89,791	
Germany	437,522	1,017,456	979,89	
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	3,520	58	2,5	
Hawaiian Islands	22,334	20,675	20,0	
Italy	21,786	20,898	47,	
Japan	13,138	4,377	7,	
Netherlands	26,088	94,425	50	
Java...	33,032	10,799	20	
...	731	3	....	

No. 3.—Trade with Principal Countries, 1891–96—*continued.*

Country.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
Foreign Countries.						
Imports from:—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Belgium	188,277	227,363	129,114	115,119	150,288	104,29
Chili	320	.....	.....	38	3,845	2,89
China	270,929	217,996	164,481	131,006	133,870	190,54
Egypt	18,422	9,094	3,427	4,744	6,937	7,62
France	120,321	77,436	49,436	70,649	76,663	145,97
New Caledonia	48,378	18,242	21,417	25,171	28,345	41,26
Germany	773,016	581,402	373,233	345,364	425,697	690,84
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hawaiian Islands	171	2,580	413	.....	.....	.....
Italy	30,243	27,353	16,981	24,124	39,563	48,92
Japan	16,385	23,244	8,913	27,468	28,179	40,85
Netherlands	149	.....	696	.....	230	1,48
Java...	5,375	13,380	31,615	40,546	2,749	7,27
Sweden	18,820	11,061	7,122	.....	435	1,16
Norway	77,669	22,007	28,106	29,193	25,353	34,22
Peru...	.....	1,530	4,250	.....	.....	.....
Philippine Islands... ...	4,900	12,014	8,510	7,982	15,211	18,00
South Sea Islands (including New Hebrides) ...	42,902	32,159	46,725	38,885	54,436	75,47
United States	1,277,032	823,522	526,331	542,427	624,268	1,729,87
Other Foreign Countries ...	15,733	13,260	6,863	13,212	23,550	45,65
Total... ... £	2,909,042	2,113,643	1,427,633	1,415,928	1,639,619	3,186,37
Exports to:—						
Belgium	1,039,333	951,570	1,121,606	1,121,822	780,826	877,88
Chili	134,203	125,325	120,817	148,355	158,486	137,24
China	12,164	9,810	5,609	7,581	7,943	7,87
Egypt	400	50	5,187	611	3,370	3,65
France	480,599	806,693	1,134,072	1,067,440	1,436,122	1,472,90
New Caledonia	185,768	184,128	89,791	72,732	71,344	110,33
Germany	437,522	1,017,456	979,898	917,310	1,141,661	771,38
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	3,520	58	2,534	2,960	1,676	11
Hawaiian Islands	22,334	20,675	20,020	22,392	19,415	23,33
Italy	21,786	20,898	47,236	27,648	63,509	40,68
Japan	13,138	4,377	7,137	15,302	54,242	35,5
Netherlands	26,088	94,425	50,841	35,577	27,331	9,6
Java...	33,032	10,799	20,644	12,915	11,417	
Sumatra	731	3	.....	.....	.....	

No. 3.—Trade with Principal Countries, 1891–96—*continued.*

Country.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
Foreign Countries—*continued.*						
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Exports to—*continued.*						
Sweden	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,627	804
Norway	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,747	.....
Peru	16,497	17,568	9,329	15,290	12,422	19,644
Philippine Islands... ...	29,866	24,949	16,905	34,663	18,603	25,883
South Sea Islands (including New Hebrides)	69,407	47,875	55,421	69,893	68,713	80,516
United States	2,313,671	1,529,980	626,566	374,541	683,606	2,064,964
Other Foreign Countries ...	37,355	52,463	37,801	34,439	43,619	37,328
Total... ... £	4,877,414	4,919,102	4,351,414	3,981,471	4,611,679	5,739,312
Total Trade with:—						
Belgium	1,227,610	1,178,933	1,250,720	1,236,941	931,114	982,173
Chili	134,523	125,325	120,817	148,393	162,331	140,136
China	283,093	227,806	170,090	138,587	141,813	198,422
Egypt	18,822	9,144	8,614	5,355	10,307	11,318
France	600,920	884,129	1,183,508	1,138,089	1,512,785	1,618,881
New Caledonia	234,146	202,370	111,208	97,903	99,689	151,598
Germany	1,210,538	1,598,858	1,353,131	1,262,674	1,567,358	1,462,232
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	3,520	58	2,534	2,960	1,676	119
Hawaiian Islands	22,505	23,255	20,433	22,392	19,415	23,333
Italy	52,029	48,251	64,217	51,772	103,072	89,605
Japan	29,523	27,621	16,050	42,770	82,421	76,380
Netherlands	26,237	94,425	51,537	35,577	27,561	11,135
Java...	38,407	24,179	52,259	53,461	14,166	26,818
Sumatra	731	3	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sweden	18,820	11,061	7,122	.....	5,062	1,967
Norway	77,669	22,007	28,106	29,193	28,100	34,227
Peru	16,497	19,098	13,579	15,290	12,422	19,644
Philippine Islands... ...	34,766	36,963	25,415	42,645	33,814	43,887
South Sea Islands (including New Hebrides)	112,309	80,034	102,146	108,778	123,149	155,986
United States	3,590,703	2,353,502	1,152,897	916,968	1,307,874	3,794,835
Other Foreign Countries ...	53,088	65,723	44,664	47,651	67,169	82,987
Total Trade ... £	7,786,456	7,032,745	5,779,047	5,397,399	6,251,298	8,925,683

No. 4.—Trade Seaward and Overland, 1887–96.

Adjustment of Returns.—From 1887 to 1893 the figures now given do not agree with those originally published in the "Register" for the years in question. The differences have been caused by the adjustment of the returns relating to gold and live stock. As New South Wales is a gold-producing country, it has been adopted as a rule to treat as domestic produce any excess of export over import of gold, and when the import is the greater to class as foreign produce the whole export. In the case of live stock the returns published by the Chief Inspector of Stock, Queensland, of the border traffic between the two colonies, have been accepted in lieu of those of the New South Wales Customs Department.

IMPORTS.

Year.	Seaward.	Overland.	Total Imports.	Imports for Home Consumption.	Year.	Seaward.	Overland.	Total Imports.	Imports for Home Consumption.
	£	£	£	£		£	£	£	£
1887	16,004,744	3,166,573	19,171,317	13,598,863	1892	17,848,109	2,928,417	20,776,526	16,499,895
1888	18,189,267	3,040,010	21,229,277	14,302,802	1893	15,409,024	2,698,011	18,107,035	12,280,025
1889	19,712,359	3,150,698	22,863,057	17,268,516	1894	14,013,287	1,788,654	15,801,941	11,129,229
1890	17,907,663	4,707,341	22,615,004	17,664,623	1895	14,209,047	1,783,368	15,992,415	10,493,840
1891	21,064,193	4,319,204	25,383,397	21,714,322	1896	17,435,839	3,125,671	20,561,510	14,293,852

EXPORTS.

Year.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.			Other Produce or Manufacture.			Total.		
	Seaward.	Overland.	Total.	Seaward.	Overland.	Total.	Seaward.	Overland.	Exports.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1887	9,170,112	5,070,200	14,240,312	4,120,184	161,254	4,281,438	13,290,296	5,231,454	18,521,750
1888	10,675,697	5,006,695	15,682,392	4,684,752	552,986	5,237,738	15,360,449	5,559,681	20,920,130
1889	11,153,155	6,547,238	17,700,393	5,222,288	372,253	5,594,541	16,375,443	6,919,491	23,294,934
1890	9,392,955	7,839,770	17,232,725	4,626,606	186,606	4,813,212	14,019,561	8,026,376	22,045,937
1891	12,746,013	8,339,699	21,085,712	4,567,759	290,549	4,858,308	17,313,772	8,630,248	25,944,020
1892	11,792,124	5,914,978	17,707,102	4,145,912	119,233	4,265,145	15,938,036	6,034,211	21,972,247
1893	11,023,038	6,071,175	17,094,213	5,191,249	635,761	5,827,010	16,214,287	6,706,936	22,921,223
1894	10,837,079	5,067,882	15,904,961	4,518,505	154,207	4,672,712	15,355,584	5,222,089	20,577,673
1895	12,139,033	4,297,177	16,436,210	5,047,623	450,952	5,498,575	17,186,656	4,748,129	21,934,785
1896	12,210,070	4,532,621	16,742,691	6,030,541	237,117	6,267,658	18,240,611	4,769,738	23,010,349

No. 5.—Average Value of Imports, Exports, and Total Trade per head of Population, 1887–96.

Year.	Imports.		Exports.			Total Trade.
	For Home Consumption.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1887	13 10 8	19 1 7	14 3 5	4 5 3	18 8 8	37 10 3
1888	13 16 2	20 9 11	15 2 10	5 1 2	20 4 0	40 13 11
1889	16 3 10	21 8 9	16 11 11	5 4 11	21 16 10	43 5 7
1890	16 0 8	20 10 6	15 12 10	4 7 4	20 0 2	40 10 8
1891	18 19 9	22 3 11	18 8 9	4 5 0	22 13 9	44 17 [illegible]
1892	13 19 2	17 11 7	14 19 9	3 12 2	18 11 11	36 [illegible]
1893	10 2 11	14 19 2	14 2 5	4 16 4	18 18 9	33 [illegible]
1894	8 19 11	12 15 5	12 17 1	3 15 6	16 12 7	29 [illegible]
1895	8 6 0	12 12 11	13 0 0	4 6 11	17 6 11	30 [illegible]
1896	11 2 0	15 19 4	13 0 0	4 17 4	17 17 [illegible]	[illegible]

No. 6.—Trade in Principal Articles per head of Population, 1887–96.

Article.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
IMPORTS FOR HOME CONSUMPTION.										
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
and Beer	6 8	6 9	7 6	6 3	6 1	5 7	4 5	3 11	3 4	3 9
nals (Live)—										
Horses	3 1	1 11	2 3	2 8	2 10	2 9	1 10	1 9	1 3	1 3
Cattle	18 6	14 4	14 8	32 11	13 3	8 6	8 0	4 9	4 2	7 8
Sheep	7 10	3 10	7 7	5 10	5 7	3 10	5 0	3 2	2 3	4 8
arel—Wearing, and Gloves	18 7	21 4	20 1	19 1	24 4	20 5	12 9	12 10	13 9	15 1
s and Shoes	9 0	9 4	9 8	8 8	10 2	7 3	5 7	4 4	4 3	5 4
nery (including Furs and Millinery) ..	37 4	45 9	37 8	37 1	46 9	32 7	25 1	23 9	28 0	28 0
n, Pulse, &c.—										
Flour	9 9	9 5	11 6	6 11	10 5	8 3	3 8	3 4	2 3	7 7
ats	3 1	2 6	2 5	2 8	2 6	2 5	2 6	1 1	1 2	1 6
Wheat	0 10	5 6	11 10	0 11	3 3	3 2	1 3	0 5	0 11	7 11
dware and Ironmongery (including Hollow-ware)	5 4	6 4	7 7	10 2	10 9	9 11	5 1	2 4	2 8	3 4
and Steel—										
Manufactured Wrought	4 3	4 8	4 5	4 11	6 0	4 2	2 10	2 5	3 3	4 1
Wire (Black and Galvanised)	1 4	2 11	1 8	2 4	3 1	3 5	1 7	1 5	1 2	1 11
Galvanised Sheets and Bars	4 0	5 6	3 7	4 0	5 11	3 11	2 7	2 10	2 0	2 5
hinery	5 10	5 9	7 1	7 9	8 1	4 2	2 4	2 0	2 5	6 1
er, Books, &c.	6 2	7 0	5 10	6 2	6 11	6 5	5 5	5 0	5 7	4 9
ts	8 0	6 11	8 3	7 4	8 6	6 2	5 7	4 8	4 7	4 8
ar	7 5	8 2	15 0	12 6	9 10	7 4	5 9	8 5	6 5	7 2
.. ..	7 1	7 3	6 7	6 7	7 7	5 11	4 10	5 1	4 6	3 4
ber (Rough and Dressed)	7 2	9 7	7 7	7 1	12 8	7 3	5 2	4 6	4 7	4 11
cco, Cigars, and Cigarettes	2 7	2 8	2 9	2 10	3 8	3 2	2 3	1 10	2 8	2 6
EXPORTS—DOMESTIC PRODUCE OR MANUFACTURE.										
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
nals (Live)—										
Horses	3 4	2 0	9 1	3 6	2 10	3 4	1 8	1 6	1 6	1 11
Cattle	11 4	13 9	8 11	14 0	11 5	2 11	3 3	1 9	1 10	2 4
Sheep	13 5	18 11	9 1	21 5	11 5	8 4	4 9	4 9	4 6	3 9
er	0 5	0 4	0 4	0 8	0 5	1 3	2 1	2 5	0 11	1 7
and Coke	19 3	21 0	25 0	18 0	23 0	17 5	13 7	13 2	12 4	14 0
er	3 11	5 4	3 11	3 2	3 7	3 2	1 0	1 2	2 3	3 1
(Fresh)	2 11	2 6	2 8	2 6	2 3	1 10	2 3	1 8	1 1	1 7
Coin and Gold Bullion	0 8	3 2	6 1	2 6	22 8	0 6	0 5	5 3	16 10	26 5
n, Pulse, &c.—										
Flour	0 5	0 11	1 5	1 0	0 7	0 3	0 3	0 1	0 2	3 0
alze	1 1	0 11	1 0	0 1	0 1	0 1	..	..	0 1	0 1
Wheat	0 4	0 5	0 5	0 6	0 10	..	..	..	..	1 1
ther	1 10	2 3	2 11	2 3	2 5	3 0	3 3	3 9	4 5	5 1
.. ..	3 10	2 6	1 10	2 11	3 6	4 10	5 2	6 10	11 2	9 4
e (Kerosene)	1 3	1 0	1 1	1 11	1 9	2 2	1 4	0 10	1 3	0 6
r, Silver Lead, and Ore	11 5	22 1	37 0	50 2	63 4	41 10	50 1	36 8	26 1	27 9
s and Hides	5 9	6 0	7 2	5 4	8 6	11 8	10 2	6 7	9 8	5 3
w	4 10	4 0	3 8	4 10	5 4	7 4	12 3	14 5	12 3	5 6
ber (Rough and Dressed)	1 7	2 2	1 11	1 6	0 10	0 10	0 7	0 5	0 8	0 8
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nals (Live)	1 2	2 4	1 1	1 2	1 6	0 9	1 0	0 11	0 6	1 5
arel—Wearing, and Gloves	0 5	0 7	0 5	0 9	0 7	0 8	0 7	0 7	0 9	0 6
s and Shoes	1 8	1 2	1 4	1 4	1 0	0 5	0 4	0 3	0 5	0 7
er	1 4	2 7	1 9	1 1	0 10	0 6	0 7	0 3	0 3	0 1
s	0 6	0 10	0 10	1 2	0 11	0 7	1 1	0 9	1 0	1 0
ery	6 0	6 11	5 6	4 5	4 6	2 9	2 4	1 8	1 8	3 2
r	3 10	2 9	2 4	2 9	1 10	0 4	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 9
Coin and Gold Bullion	25 5	37 7	54 0	39 1	42 11	37 10	49 1	32 0	32 11	34 0
dware and Ironmongery (including Hollow-ware)	1 11	1 11	1 4	1 1	0 10	0 10	0 8	0 7	0 6	0 9
and Steel—										
anufactured Wrought	0 7	0 8	0 10	0 8	0 5	0 5	0 4	0 7	0 9	1 0
ire—Black and Galvanised	0 4	0 4	0 5	0 5	0 4	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 4	0 3
alvanised Sheets and Bars	1 0	1 2	0 9	0 7	0 5	0 7	0 6	0 5	0 7	0 10
hinery	1 1	1 5	1 7	1 6	1 5	1 0	1 4	1 1	1 4	1 6
r, Books, &c.	1 0	1 1	1 1	1 0	0 10	0 8	0 6	0 6	0 8	0 9
ts	1 6	1 5	1 0	1 2	0 9	0 9	0 6	0 6	0 7	0 9
r	2 2	0 10	1 8	1 7	1 10	1 5	3 2	2 3	1 3	1 2
.. ..	0 6	0 7	0 8	0 8	0 9	1 5	0 10	0 11	1 3	1 2
.. ..	6 0	4 6	0 10	2 1	1 7	1 4	1 11	1 5	1 2	1 1
cco, Cigars, and Cigarettes	1 3	1 4	1 5	1 2	1 0	1 0	0 9	0 9	0 10	1 1

No. 7.—Domestic Exports of Pastoral and Dairy Produce, other than W
1889–96.

Article.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	
QUANTITY.								
Animals (Live)—								
Horses .. .. No.	3,342	4,698	4,210	4,530	3,350	4,588	5,186	
Cattle .. .. "	76,252	146,427	129,323	75,315	47,514	34,521	37,897	
Sheep .. .. "	1,212,625	2,973,232	1,596,916	1,567,626	924,667	860,825	966,031	
Pigs .. .. "	6,628	6,037	4,227	2,694	873	1,427	832	
Butter .. .. lb.	457,968	1,008,582	533,869	1,713,466	3,161,792	4,590,606	2,028,349	2,
Cheese .. .. "	35,862	230,869	86,218	77,822	123,204	229,203	158,096	
Eggs .. .. .. doz.	10,369	2,376	3,592	847	474	1,115	1,516	
Glue-pieces .. .. cwt.	9,541	11,699	8,772	10,414	13,673	12,144	6,901	
Hair .. .. .. lb.	68,284	53,364	53,888	89,516	96,377	59,686	82,449	
Leather .. .. pkg.	6,592	5,300	5,695	7,301	8,279	11,500	12,678	
Manure—Bone-dust cwt.	48,000	49,140	47,940	81,483	67,358	151,461	197,769	
Meat—								
Extract .. .. lb.	12,864	22,602	24,288	4,671	17,819	92,464	121,693	
Frozen Beef .. qr.							88,719 or	
" .. cwt.							152,144	
Frozen Mutton, carcases	37,868	72,304	105,013	223,074	220,584	339,404	1,021,006 or	1,
" .. cwt.							455,674	
Preserved .. lb.	2,877,303	4,655,523	6,581,713	8,620,747	13,092,942	16,382,577	22,384,285	16,
Salt Beef .. cwt.	1,820	2,598	1,620	3,348	4,114	6,397	7,855	
Tallow, Grease, and Soap-stock .. .. cwt.	186,335	277,161	312,786	430,563	665,637	860,156	806,456	
VALUE.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
Animals (Live)—								
Horses	137,933	191,681	162,110	198,347	103,805	94,834	94,075	
Cattle	476,504	770,521	654,725	374,999	195,006	108,753	117,437	
Sheep	487,224	1,180,016	651,232	494,054	285,979	293,289	284,477	
Pigs	11,433	11,827	8,206	4,362	1,118	1,354	790	
Butter	17,562	35,926	22,622	73,205	124,936	150,263	57,575	
Cheese	1,012	4,466	1,861	1,710	2,167	3,513	2,798	
Eggs	510	108	217	38	23	47	93	
Glue-pieces	4,550	4,541	3,793	4,315	5,545	4,092	2,539	
Hair	3,691	3,029	2,759	3,773	4,133	2,676	4,630	
Hoofs, Bones, and Horns..	15,161	10,931	12,338	13,177	9,689	17,558	20,114	
Leather	154,744	126,456	137,293	178,215	195,173	230,917	279,281	
Manure—Bone-dust ..	13,249	13,390	12,308	21,049	14,824	25,411	32,656	
Meat—								
Extract	2,503	4,537	4,869	966	3,183	14,609	12,184	
Frozen Beef	33,426	71,534	101,828	169,425	141,640	193,760	104,605	
Frozen Mutton.. ..							275,502	
Preserved	52,321	74,329	87,632	105,922	164,592	206,054	302,828	
Salt Beef	2,281	3,232	1,817	3,346	3,945	5,649	6,526	
Other (Bacon and Ham, Fresh, Rabbits, &c.)..	8,216	5,726	3,017	4,353	2,069	2,715	4,092	
Skins and Hides	381,589	294,634	487,177	691,261	615,365	407,122	611,504	
Tallow, Grease, and Soap-stock	200,761	270,163	310,440	437,851	750,452	901,761	783,316	

No. 8.—Export of New South Wales Wool, 1887–96.

Year.	Domestic Exports.				Total New South Wales Wool exported. (According to Customs Returns.)		
	Seaward.		Overland.			Value.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Total.	Proportion to Total Domestic Exports.
	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	Per cent.
1887	151,025,408	5,879,991	65,424,934	3,031,164	216,450,342	8,911,155	62·58
1888	182,714,736	7,050,795	53,134,208	2,038,981	235,848,944	9,089,776	57·96
1889	172,619,769	7,454,851	89,233,715	3,165,785	261,853,484	10,620,636	60·00
1890	163,400,611	6,102,714	72,922,217	2,888,682	236,322,828	8,991,396	52·18
1891	251,498,342	8,101,496	80,389,378	2,934,522	331,887,720	11,036,018	52·34
1892	238,210,340	7,828,697	74,014,953	2,382,759	312,225,293	10,211,456	57·67
1893	242,382,301	7,427,345	76,400,557	2,247,716	318,782,858	9,675,061	56·60
1894	254,529,504	6,897,910	77,244,920	2,113,880	331,774,424	9,011,790	56·66
1895	232,609,906	7,004,940	64,838,198	1,953,750	297,448,104	8,958,690	54·51
1896	201,455,473	6,734,084	70,577,789	2,042,445	272,033,262	8,776,529	52·42

NOTE :—The above table shows the export of greasy and washed wool during the calendar year. The wool year ends the 30th June.

No. 9.—Export of Minerals raised in New South Wales, 1889–96.

Description.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
QUANTITY.								
Chrome Ore .. .. cwt.	....	....	....	....	258	60,686	84,589	77,035
Coal .. .. ton.	2,387,702	1,821,874	2,514,368	2,191,705	1,835,090	2,125,125	2,166,230	2,474,907
Copper—								
Ingots and contained in Matte .. cwt.	81,296	63,300	77,203	70,700	22,025	36,819	55,863	89,060
Ore and Regulus .. .. .. "	3,964	11,600	13,308	25,980	20,320	5,918	21,160	297
Gold—								
Bars and Dust, and contained in Matte .. .. oz.	10,966	34,852	31,682	Nil	6,717	89,676	116,637	82,707
Kerosene Shale .. .. ton.	21,386	38,463	34,652	44,796	27,745	18,859	34,549	14,220
Silver—								
Ingots and contained in Matte .. oz.	416,895	496,552	729,590	350,661	531,972	846,822	705,887	202,789
Lead .. .. cwt.	691,597	826,398	1,107,923	917,004	1,168,023	850,262	593,747	391,464
Ore .. .. "	939,309	1,794,395	1,847,671	1,750,095	3,117,181	2,756,268	3,803,859	5,347,261
Tin—								
Ingots .. .. "	88,173	68,191	58,825	65,060	52,737	52,225	48,991	34,204
Ore .. .. "	4,687	5,184	4,065	4,782	2,961	3,807	1,544	1,939
VALUE.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Chrome Ore	....	....	....	....	50	12,326	13,048	11,280
Coal	1,319,271	987,173	1,306,630	1,028,395	814,929	804,769	773,954	900,264
Copper—								
Ingots and contained in Matte	207,009	163,587	191,878	160,473	46,535	72,071	119,290	200,236
Ore and Regulus	3,322	9,774	13,215	27,233	14,191	1,410	21,576	75
Gold—								
Bars and Dust, and contained in Matte..	44,649	137,169	124,964	Nil	25,885	325,302	419,082	283,093
Quartz and Concentrates	2,933	623	7,699	34,826	15,742	45,463	189,057	97,685
Kerosene Shale	59,835	103,608	101,288	131,773	79,919	49,187	77,934	32,846
Silver—								
Ingots and contained in Matte	72,001	95,410	134,850	56,884	78,131	94,150	87,290	26,518
Lead	1,565,290	1,872,657	2,523,970	1,829,296	2,016,651	1,543,213	959,736	794,610
Ore	333,907	794,487	960,769	591,656	936,938	652,126	601,077	964,323
Tin—								
Ingots	403,182	317,117	261,769	301,541	223,139	179,445	136,080	99,212
Ore	11,805	12,724	9,643	12,573	6,604	7,752	2,543	2,905
Other Minerals	4,575	28,187	30,867	30,553	41,159	28,214	19,871	25,558

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The Collector of Customs has authority under various Acts to administer affairs relating to Customs; the body of e law, however, is contained in the "Customs Regulation Act of 1879" (42 Vic. No. 19) and the "Customs Duties Act of 95" (59 Vic. No. 18). Under the provisions of the first-mentioned Act a Board of Commissioners of Customs is established, hich consists of three persons. The functions of the Board are to hear and determine disputes between officers of the astoms and the general public in matters relating to the Department. The decisions, are, however, subject to disallowance r the Governor and the rulings of the Supreme Court and Privy Council. In the exercise of their duties the Commissioners ave power to frame rules, orders, and forms for the general conduct of business in relation to matters submitted to them, t have no administrative powers whatever in the working of the Customs Department.

Transhipments.—Entries under this head contain only the description of the packages, as particulars relating to antity and value are not obtained. Transhipment transactions are chiefly confined to the port of Sydney. Goods anshipped at the ports of New South Wales are not included in the Import or Export returns. It is the practice, however, some Colonies to enter such articles as imports from or exports to New South Wales. To this practice is due the dis-spancy between the returns of New South Wales, as given in the Statistical Register, and those published by the other Colonies, in respect to many articles, such as fruit and minerals, in which a considerable transhipment trade is done between ew South Wales and the other Australasian Colonies.

Domestic Exports.—Exported articles which were partly or entirely manufactured from imported materials have een shown as domestic produce.

Country.	Imports.	Exports.			Excess of—	
		Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
Australasia—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Victoria	2,115,721	2,767,303	529,148	3,296,451	.....	1,180,730
Queensland	4,679,456	414,808	812,946	1,227,754	3,451,702	.....
South Australia	1,436,927	2,454,850	265,524	2,720,374	.....	1,283,447
Western Australia ...	25,351	217,223	316,042	533,265	.....	507,914
Tasmania	597,706	45,774	121,625	167,399	430,307	.....
New Zealand	704,699	153,853	275,730	429,583	275,116	.....
Total, Australasia £	9,559,860	6,053,811	2,321,015	8,374,826	1,185,034	.....
United Kingdom ... £	7,190,115	6,486,907	1,888,976	8,375,883	.....	1,185,768
Other British Possessions—						
Aden	1,632	9	.....	9	1,623	.....
Burma	.....	7	.....	7	.....	7
Canadian Dominion ...	83,810	8,436	3,119	11,555	72,255	.....
Cape Colony	1,524	14,662	4,309	18,971	.....	17,447
Fiji	36,058	35,194	72,530	107,724	.....	71,666
Gibraltar	.....	1,965	.....	1,965	.....	1,965
Hong Kong	75,860	19,216	166,385	185,601	.....	109,741
India	203,176	125,059	1,144	126,203	76,973	.....
Ceylon	113,352	6,516	269	6,785	106,567	.....
Malta	749	4,749	160	4,909	.....	4,160
Mauritius	73,635	19,530	78	19,608	54,027	.....
Newfoundland	37	.....	.....	.....	37	.....
New Guinea	14,176	3,357	10,826	14,183	.....	7
Norfolk Island	1,073	705	2,990	3,695	.....	2,622
Seychelles Islands ...	20	.....	.....	.....	20	.....
St. Helena...	185	.....	.....	.....	185	.....
Straits Settlements ...	19,877	18,598	515	19,113	764	.....
Total, Other British Possessions	625,164	258,003	262,325	520,328	104,836	.....
Total, British Countries £	17,375,139	12,798,721	4,472,316	17,271,037	104,102	.....

No. 11.—Trade with each Country during 1896—*continued.*

Country.	Imports.	Exports. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Exports. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Exports. Total.	Exces Imports.
FOREIGN COUNTRIES—	£	£	£	£	£
Argentine Republic ...	78	.....	.....	.....	78
Austria	3,815	727	50	777	3,038
Belgium	104,293	694,648	183,232	877,880	.....
Brazil	2,594	.....	.....	.....	2,594
Chili	2,890	128,836	8,410	137,246	.....
China	190,545	6,442	1,435	7,877	182,668
Denmark	.....	142	.....	142	.....
Ecuador	.....	960	.....	960	.....
Egypt	7,622	3,420	276	3,696	3,926
France	145,972	1,214,374	258,535	1,472,909	.....
Cochin China	.....	486	32	518	.....
New Caledonia	41,263	40,179	70,156	110,335	.....
Tahiti	.....	545	.....	545	.....
Germany	690,843	639,038	132,351	771,389	.....
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land...	.....	.....	119	119	.....
Marshall Islands ...	.....	1,918	4,672	6,590	.....
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	4	3,380	8,037	11,417	.....
Greece	10,321	.....	.....	.....	10,321
Hawaiian Islands... ...	.....	21,181	2,152	23,333	.....
Italy	48,925	22,289	18,391	40,680	8,245
Japan	40,857	29,810	5,713	35,523	5,334
Macao	4,155	.....	.....	.....	4,155
Mexico	.....	5,680	12	5,692	.....
Netherlands	1,489	9,637	9	9,646	.....
Celebes	.....	1,370	.....	1,370	.....
Java	7,278	19,080	460	19,540	.....
Timor	.....	30	.....	30	.....
Norway	34,227	.....	.....	.....	34,227
Sweden	1,163	.....	804	804	359
Panama	.....	8,319	.....	8,319	.....
Persia	20	.....	.....	.....	20
Peru	.....	19,601	43	19,644	.....
Portugal	188	.....	.....	.....	188
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Russia	.....	5	.....	5	.....
Kamtschatka	.....	.....	14	14	.....
South Sea Islands ...	46,594	18,497	62,019	80,516	.....
New Hebrides	28,876				
Spain	8,842	.....	.....	.....	8,842
Cuba	590	.....	.....	.....	590
Guam	.....	.....	4	4	.....
Caroline Islands	.....	357	495	852	.....
Philippine Islands ...	18,004	25,847	36	25,883	.....
Switzerland	2,020	.....	.....	.....	2,020
Transvaal	.....	76	.....	76	.....
Turkey	12,969	.....	.....	.....	12,969
United States	1,729,871	1,027,096	1,037,868	2,064,964	.....
Uruguay	63	.....	.....	.....	63
Total, Foreign Countries £	3,186,371	3,943,970	1,795,342	5,739,312	.....
Total Trade with all Countries ... £	20,561,510	16,742,691	6,267,658	23,010,349	.....

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	£	£	£	£	£
Australasia	2,467,379	5,132	311,027	316,159	
United Kingdom	3,605	932,290	762,294	1,694,[illegible]	
Other British Possessions ...	10,547	67,127	135,225	2[illegible]	
Foreign Countries	878	695,000	992,642	[illegible]	
Total ... ... £	2,482,409	1,699,549	2,201,1[illegible]		

No. 12.—Trade Seaward and Overland, at each Port and Station, 1896.

Port or Station.	Imports.	Exports. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Exports. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Exports. Total.	Total Trade.
TRADE WITH VICTORIA.					
AWARD—	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	944,211	335,926	449,607	785,533	1,729,744
Eden	109	15	4	19	128
Newcastle	65,966	271,289	3,346	274,635	340,601
Wollongong	.....	45,879	.....	45,879	45,879
Total, Seaward .. £	1,010,286	653,109	452,957	1,106,066	2,116,352
TERLAND—					
Albury	614,779	483,139	59,086	542,225	1,157,004
Cobram	23,033	40,304	1,381	41,685	64,718
Corowa	69,815	200,967	2,491	203,458	273,273
Delegate	206	.....	.....	.....	206
Euston	2,941	44,042	4	44,046	46,987
Genoa	12	.....	.....	.....	12
Howlong	6,947	14,492	162	14,654	21,601
Moama	251,390	603,173	4,257	607,430	858,820
Mulwala	53,530	97,898	63	97,961	151,491
Swan Hill	15,280	358,794	76	358,870	374,150
Tocumwal	49,383	138,063	8,244	146,307	195,690
Wentworth	8,949	133,322	427	133,749	142,698
Wilcannia	9,170	.....	.....	.....	9,170
Total, Overland.. £	1,105,435	2,114,194	76,191	2,190,385	3,295,820
Total .. £	2,115,721	2,767,303	529,148	3,296,451	5,412,172
TRADE WITH QUEENSLAND.					
AWARD—	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	3,648,653	282,836	707,936	990,272	4,638,925
Grafton	.....	340	.....	340	340
Newcastle	9,511	12,887	4,542	17,429	26,940
Port Macquarie	.....	1,168	.....	1,168	1,168
Richmond River (Ballina)	2	.....	17	17	19
Tweed River	460	32	1,535	1,567	2,027
Total, Seaward .. £	3,658,626	296,763	714,030	1,010,793	4,669,419
TERLAND—					
Barringun	227,292	10,184	8,519	18,703	245,995
Boggabilla	96,493	24,315	.....	24,315	120,808
Bourke	.....	49	4,436	4,485	4,485
Brewarrina	.....	.....	42	42	42
Mungindi	38,762	.....	.....	.....	38,762
Tweed Heads—Live Stock	8,706	.....	.....	.....	8,706
Wallangarra	217,749	44,308	85,172	129,480	347,229
Wilcannia	.....	.....	161	161	161
Willyama (Broken Hill)	55,083	.....	586	586	55,669
Other Crossing Places—Live Stock	376,745	39,189	.....	39,189	415,934
Total, Overland.. £	1,020,830	118,045	98,916	216,961	1,237,791
Total .. £	4,679,456	414,808	812,946	1,227,754	5,907,210
TRADE WITH SOUTH AUSTRALIA.					
AWARD—	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	379,883	46,571	203,510	250,081	629,964
Newcastle	57,638	85,244	4	85,248	142,886
Wollongong	.....	22,653	.....	22,653	22,653
Total, Seaward .. £	437,521	154,468	203,514	357,982	795,503
TERLAND—					
Bourke	9,089	.....	.....	.....	9,089
[illegible]	788	.....	.....	.....	788
[illegible]	64,552	394,835	900	395,735	460,287
[illegible]	51,524	.....	15	15	51,539
[illegible] (Broken Hill)	873,453	1,905,547	61,095	1,966,642	2,840,095
[illegible] .. £	999,406	2,300,382	62,010	2,362,392	3,361,798
£	1,436,927	2,454,850	265,524	2,720,374	4,157,301

No. 12.—Trade Seaward and Overland, 1896—*continued.*

Port or Station.	Imports.	Exports. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Exports. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Exports. Total.	Total Trade.
TRADE WITH WESTERN AUSTRALIA.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	25,238	128,812	314,302	443,114	468,352
Newcastle	113	76,992	1,740	78,732	78,845
Wollongong	.....	11,419	.....	11,419	11,419
Total .. .. £	25,351	217,223	316,042	533,265	558,616
TRADE WITH TASMANIA.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	591,097	25,216	121,500	146,716	737,813
Eden	1,162	1,250	.....	1,250	2,412
Grafton	4	.....	.....	.....	4
Newcastle	5,443	16,716	125	16,841	22,284
Wollongong	.....	2,592	.....	2,592	2,592
Total .. .. £	597,706	45,774	121,625	167,399	765,105
TRADE WITH NEW ZEALAND.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	654,162	101,698	274,438	376,136	1,030,298
Grafton	480	5,791	.....	5,791	6,271
Newcastle	50,057	45,498	1,292	46,790	96,847
Wollongong	.....	866	.....	866	866
Total .. .. £	704,699	153,853	275,730	429,583	1,134,282
TRADE WITH OTHER COUNTRIES.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	10,578,498	9,701,168	3,945,827	13,646,995	24,225,493
Newcastle	423,152	976,196	816	977,012	1,400,164
Wollongong	.....	11,516	.....	11,516	11,516
Total .. .. £	11,001,650	10,688,880	3,946,643	14,635,523	25,637,173
SUMMARY.					
	£	£	£	£	£
SEAWARD—					
Merchandise	15,434,200	10,515,653	3,912,691	14,428,344	29,862,544
Specie and Gold Bullion	2,001,639	1,694,417	2,117,850	3,812,267	5,813,906
Total Seaward .. .. £	17,435,839	12,210,070	6,030,541	18,240,611	35,676,[illegible]
OVERLAND—					
Merchandise	2,644,901	4,527,480	153,779	4,681,268	
Specie and Gold Bullion	480,770	5,132	83,338	88,47[illegible]	
Total Overland	3,125,671	4,532,621	237,117	4[illegible]	
Total Trade	20,561,510	16,742,691	[illegible]		

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1896.

ollection of Trade Returns.—The quantities and values of the imports and exports are in nearly every instance rnished by importers and exporters or their authorised agents. In the case of the imports, the particulars are l under declaration; but this procedure is not generally adopted for the export returns, although the Collector of has power to demand particulars of goods, under declaration if necessary. No official valuations are made, but ies are, nevertheless, checked and amended if necessary by competent officials of the Customs Department.

aluation of Imports.—*Articles Free or subject to Specific Duties.*—The values given are understood to represent ies at the port of shipment, with the cost of freight, insurance, packing, and porterage added. *Articles subject to rem Duties.*—The values given are supposed to represent the market values of the goods (less cost of packing and t the time and place of exportation, in addition to 10 per cent. thereon. No *ad valorem* duties were in force he year 1896. The values of goods, *both specific and ad valorem*, are in every instance *exclusive of Duty.*

ost Office—Parcels, &c.—The quantities and values of goods transmitted through the Post Office have been included returns.

le and Countries nce Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Acetic.			
ralasia—	gal.	£	
ctoria ...	1,348	324	
uth Australia..	366	150	
ed Kingdom...	4,193	966	
on	83	20	
nany	19,282	3,200	
... ...	200	25	
	25,472	4,685	Free.
ulphuric.			
ralasia—	cwt.		
ctoria ...	64	55	
uth Australia..	347	528	
ed Kingdom...	4	5	
	415	588	Free.
Tartaric.			
ralasia—	lb.		
ctoria ...	9,418	514	
ueensland ...	3,920	240	
uth Australia..	11,192	720	
ed Kingdom...	144,274	8,294	
ium	14,231	727	
ce	64,574	3,367	
nany	26,096	1,344	
	273,705	15,206	Free.
Other.			
ralasia—	pkg.		
ctoria ...	197	752	
uth Australia..	219	435	
d Kingdom...	1,893	3,981	
dian Dominion	9	48	
... ...	30	19	
... ...	5	35	
...	630	1,816	
...	8	41	
	2,991	7,127	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Aerated and Mineral Waters.			
Australasia—	doz. bott.	£	
Victoria ...	8,180	849	
Queensland ...	4,847	1,138	
South Australia..	996	159	
Tasmania ...	16	5	
New Zealand ...	210	46	
United Kingdom...	4,066	1,140	
Belgium	698	160	
France	786	276	
Germany	3,540	666	
Japan	216	59	
Spain	208	80	
United States ...	129	39	
	23,892	4,617	Free.
Agricultural Implements.			
Ploughs.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	824	11,836	
Queensland ...	58	456	
South Australia..	82	368	
New Zealand ...	172	388	
United Kingdom...	170	1,683	
United States ...	345	1,955	
	1,651	16,686	Free.
Plough Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	2,352	5,058	
Queensland ...	7	22	
South Australia..	461	674	
New Zealand ...	63	156	
United Kingdom...	893	5,546	
United States ...	234	1,400	
	4,010	12,856	Free.
Reapers and Binders.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	478	6,063	
Queensland ...	28	320	
South Australia..	5	103	
New Zealand ...	118	645	
United Kingdom...	66	565	
United States ...	685	2,863	
	1,380	10,559	Free.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Agricultural Implements—*continued.*			
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	1,400	21,261	
Queensland ...	25	76	
South Australia..	198	786	
New Zealand ...	21	145	
United Kingdom...	218	1,539	
Germany	5	8	
United States ...	1,805	7,059	
	3,672	30,874	Free.
Ale and Beer.			
In Wood.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	66,760	5,586	
Queensland ...	1,310	496	
South Australia..	40,886	3,450	
Tasmania ...	1,330	131	
New Zealand ...	2,198	196	
United Kingdom...	729,196	74,252	
Germany	776	93	
United States ...	1,220	127	
	843,676	84,331	6d. ℔ gal.
In Bottle.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	50,731	9,289	
Queensland ...	7,850	1,323	
South Australia..	43,386	9,159	
Tasmania ...	85	13	
New Zealand ...	50	6	
United Kingdom...	723,142	138,004	
Belgium	2,360	433	
Germany	108,679	17,809	
United States ...	1,887	297	
	938,170	176,333	9d. ℔ gal.
Alkalies.			
Bicarbonate of Soda.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	29,014	165	
South Australia..	40,727	274	
New Zealand ...	1,300	7	
United Kingdom...	1,276,337	4,569	
	1,347,378	5,016	Free.
Caustic Soda.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	497	354	
Queensland ...	6	4	
South Australia.	829	588	
New Zealand ...	11	14	
United Kingdom...	18,507	8,701	
Germany	50	32	
	19,900	9,693	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Alkalies—*continued.*			
Silicate of Soda.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	10	4	
South Australia..	226	119	
United Kingdom...	4,962	1,039	
Germany	576	152	
	5,774	1,314	Free.
Soda Ash.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	17	14	
South Australia..	16,178	7,691	
United Kingdom...	17,557	4,203	
Belgium	206	45	
Germany	490	107	
	34,448	12,060	Free.
Soda Crystals.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	561	241	
Queensland ...	4	3	
South Australia..	4,924	2,293	
New Zealand ...	20	3	
United Kingdom...	9,105	1,100	
Germany	60	21	
	14,674	3,661	Free.
Alum.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	36	10	
South Australia..	177	14	
United Kingdom...	960	316	
United States ...	32	25	
	1,205	365	Free.
Ammunition.			
(See Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives.)			
Anchors.			
Australasia—	No.		
New Zealand ...	3	100	
United Kingdom...	1,107	843	
	1,110	943	Free.
Animals (Live).			
Horses.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	2,397	49,907	
Queensland ...	*4,071	*21,648	
South Australia	315	2,663	
Tasmania ...	63	555	
New Zealand ...	57	1,737	
United Kingdom...	11	5,750	
Germany	2	420	
New Caledonia ...	1	10	
United States ...	1	[illegible]	
	6,91[illegible]		

* The Statistics have been adjusted in accordance with the O[illegible]

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries ice Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
ls (Live)—*continued.*			
Cattle.			
ralasia—	No.	£	
ctoria ...	10,552	32,328	
ieensland ...	*256,666	*523,408	
uth Australia..	1,193	7,387	
w Zealand ...	12	465	
ed Kingdom...	5	1,000	
	268,428	564,588	Free.
Sheep.			
ralasia—	No.		
ctoria ...	95,043	38,558	
ieensland ...	*899,555	*250,791	
uth Australia..	12,435	9,961	
smania ...	2,528	14,647	
w Zealand ...	547	1,954	
ed Kingdom...	14	497	
ritius... ..	2	1	
many	19	500	
ed States ...	33	1,000	
	1,010,176	317,909	Free.
Pigs.			
ralasia—	No.		
ctoria ...	4,308	5,801	
ieensland ...	1,845	2,616	
uth Australia..	1,138	825	
	7,291	9,242	Free.
Dogs.			
ralasia—	No.		
ctoria ...	76	332	
ieensland ...	41	270	
uth Australia..	4	4	
smania ...	10	20	
w Zealand ...	6	23	
ed Kingdom...	6	197	
	143	846	Free.
Mules.			
ralasia—	No.		
ieensland ...	7	59	Free.
Other.			
ralasia—	pkg.		
ctoria ...	26	39	
ieensland ...	15	31	
smania ...	11	410	
ed Kingdom...	1	10	
...	2	4	
	55	494	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Antimony.			
Metal.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	48	90	
United Kingdom...	30	49	
	78	139	Free.
Apparel (Wearing).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	5,450	70,267	
Queensland ...	546	6,378	
South Australia..	1,737	30,865	
West'n Australia	9	106	
Tasmania ...	45	458	
New Zealand ...	250	3,698	
United Kingdom...	27,099	756,120	
Canadian Dominion	54	333	
Fiji	7	52	
Hong Kong ...	36	359	
India	19	221	
Ceylon	5	85	
Straits Settlements	16	10	
Belgium	31	1,358	
China	73	768	
France	55	1,762	
New Caledonia ...	5	35	
Germany	1,126	31,335	
Italy	10	189	
Japan	5	138	
South Sea Islands	14	112	
United States ...	684	6,017	
	37,276	910,666	Free.
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives.			
Guns, Rifles, and Pistols.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	146	788	
Queensland ...	10	164	
South Australia..	15	95	
New Zealand ...	57	704	
United Kingdom...	126	3,318	
Canadian Dominion	1	12	
Belgium	70	1,542	
France	19	85	
Germany	108	1,727	
Japan	1	3	
United States ...	291	4,673	
	844	13,111	Free.
Gun-caps.			
Australasia— ...	pkg.		
Victoria ...	6	8	
South Australia..	4	8	
United Kingdom...	21	310	
Germany	5	50	
United States ...	3	20	
	39	396	Free.

e been adjusted in accordance with the Overland Stock Return of Queensland.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives.—*contd.*			
Shot.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	230	248	
South Australia..	198	247	
United Kingdom...	3,705	3,318	
Belgium	120	80	
France	58	50	5s. ⅌ cwt. to 30 June, '96; free from 1 July, 1896.
Germany	189	197	
Italy	90	70	
	4,590	4,210	
Cartridges and Cartridge Cases.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	246	756	
South Australia..	114	506	
New Zealand ...	2	8	
United Kingdom...	2,732	9,363	
Belgium	8	118	
France	4	60	
Germany	20	148	
United States ...	2,200	8,458	
	5,326	19,417	Free.
Powder, (Sporting.)			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	4,673	502	
South Australia..	1,439	215	
United Kingdom...	117,854	9,013	3d. ⅌ lb. to 30 June, '96; free from 1 July, 1896.
France	625	125	
United States ...	2,562	196	
	127,153	10,051	
Powder, (Blasting.)			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	89,974	1,723	
South Australia..	204,324	5,305	
United Kingdom...	835,450	16,044	
United States ...	30,500	546	
	1,160,248	23,618	Free.
Fuse.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	60	441	
South Australia..	153	1,400	
United Kingdom...	903	7,165	
Germany	2	30	
Sweden	2	5	
	1,120	9,041	Free.
Dynamite and Lithofracteur.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	71,673	3,641	
South Australia..	225,175	19,652	
United Kingdom...	297,750	17,167	
Germany	105,640	5,525	
United States ..	100,000	2,568	
	800,238	48,553	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives.—*contd.*			
Other Explosives.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	8	109	
Queensland ...	1	16	
South Australia..	75	717	
United Kingdom...	1,727	7,081	
Germany	440	2,348	
United States ...	32	115	
	2,283	10,386	Free.
Arrowroot.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	14,243	176	
Queensland ...	220,738	2,378	
South Australia..	1,368	27	
United Kingdom...	224	3	
Hong Kong ...	160	2	
New Hebrides ...	336	9	
South Sea Islands..	7,616	100	
United States ...	2,016	40	
	246,701	2,735	Free.
Asbestos.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	8	29	
South Australia..	1	6	
United Kingdom...	13	62	
Hong Kong ...	18	34	
Italy	17	7	
United States ...	54	85	
	111	223	Free.
Asphalt.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
South Australia..	46	33	
United Kingdom...	300	49	
Germany	620	111	
	966	193	Free.
Bags and Sacks (other than paper).			
Bran.			
Australasia—	doz.		
Victoria ...	22,724	4,523	
South Australia..	8,648	1,098	
India	93,791	15,835	
	125,163	21,456	Free.
Calico (Plain).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	7	118	
South Australia..	3	3	
United Kingdom...	43	1,1[illegible]	
	[illegible]		

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries e Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
d Sacks (other than paper)—*contd.*			
rnsacks.			
alasia—	doz.	£	
toria ...	118,632	28,662	
eensland ...	73	5	
th Australia..	500	109	
w Zealand ...	84	8	
... ...	145,833	28,380	
	265,122	57,164	Free.
y and Ore.			
alasia—	doz.		
toria ...	1,674	148	
eensland ...	258	16	
th Australia..	73,629	5,825	
w Zealand ...	2,235	252	
... ...	160,162	14,188	
... ...	41	4	
Caledonia ...	257	41	
	238,256	20,474	Free.
Other.			
alasia—	pkg.		
toria ...	350	465	
eensland ...	9	56	
w Zealand ...	27	13	
d Kingdom...	189	1,449	
... ...	192	1,063	
d States ...	4	80	
	771	3,126	Free.
(Non-medicinal).			
Wattle.			
alasia—	cwt.		
toria ...	9,052	2,207	
eensland ...	255	58	
th Australia..	12,725	3,272	
mania ...	71,517	17,748	
	93,549	23,285	Free.
Other.	cwt.		
d Kingdom...	146	97	Free.
s and Basket-ware.			
alasia—	pkg.		
toria ..	124	191	
eensland ...	4	8	
th Australia..	87	254	
w Zealand ...	3	6	
d Kingdom...	171	1,228	
n	9	51	
um	1	11	
... ...	78	111	
any	118	976	
... ...	2	12	
...	168	478	
	765	3,326	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Bêche-de-mer.	cwt.	£	
Fiji	94	246	
New Caledonia ...	81	132	
New Hebrides ...	36	45	
South Sea Islands...	677	1,113	
	888	1,536	Free.
Bedsteads.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	332	626	
Queensland ...	18	141	
South Australia	162	483	
Tasmania ...	4	22	
New Zealand ...	1	12	
United Kingdom...	2,456	22,886	
United States ...	2	9	
	2,975	24,179	Free.
Beer.			
(See Ale and Beer.)			
Bees.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
New Zealand ...	2	3	Free.
Bee-keepers' Material.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Queensland ...	3	2	
United States ...	955	627	
	958	629	Free.
Belting (Leather and other).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	114	1,299	
Queensland ...	14	178	
South Australia	28	299	
United Kingdom...	73	2,676	
	229	4,452	Free.
Bicycles, Tricycles, and parts thereof.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,042	23,315	
Queensland ...	50	951	
South Australia	245	5,248	
West'n Australia	5	105	
Tasmania ...	11	206	
New Zealand ...	11	178	
United Kingdom...	1,996	103,559	
Canadian Dominion	494	16,460	
France	20	843	
New Caledonia ...	3	36	
Germany	135	3,666	
Italy	2	174	
United States ...	2,146	50,758	
	6,160	205,499	Free.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Billiard Tables and Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	84	1,413	
Queensland ...	1	16	
South Australia..	43	303	
United Kingdom...	54	724	
Belgium	2	32	
Germany	2	98	
	186	2,586	Free.
Birds.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	65	78	
Queensland ...	125	434	
South Australia..	58	67	
United Kingdom...	7	110	
Egypt	9	50	
	264	739	Free.
Biscuits.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	38,195	1,036	1d. per lb. to 30 June, 1898; 6d. per lb. from 1 July, 1898; free from 1 July, 1907.
Queensland ...	6,217	83	
South Australia..	20,960	735	
New Zealand ...	262	5	
United Kingdom...	14,157	624	
China	504	3	
United States ...	432	10	
	80,727	2,496	
Blacking and Boot Polish.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	870	1,772	
Queensland ...	60	111	
South Australia..	206	412	
New Zealand ...	3	5	
United Kingdom...	1,567	3,839	
Belgium	105	134	
France	25	65	
Germany	20	48	
Italy	23	58	
United States ...	1,758	2,882	
	4,637	9,326	Free.
Blankets.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	179	1,523	
Queensland ...	11	64	
South Australia..	93	1,217	
Tasmania ...	17	183	
New Zealand ...	37	794	
United Kingdom...	2,742	43,389	
Canadian Dominion	1	5	
France	1	22	
Italy	3	26	
	3,084	47,223	Free.
Blue.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	20,761	466	
Queensland ...	340	14	
South Australia..	10,947	381	
United Kingdom...	496,202	11,737	
	528,250	12,595	Free.
Boats.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	16	343	
Queensland ...	2	36	
South Australia..	2	14	
New Zealand ...	1	50	
United Kingdom...	1	124	
Cape Colony ...	1	15	
South Sea Island...	1	10	
United States ...	1	181	
	25	773	Free.
Bones.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	14,847	3,046	
Tasmania ...	48	11	
New Zealand ...	407	58	
New Caledonia ...	3,672	339	
	18,974	3,454	Free.
Books. (See Paper, Books, &c.)			
Boots and Shoes.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	2,285	27,446	
Queensland ...	569	7,370	
South Australia..	535	7,465	
West'n Australia	22	279	
Tasmania ...	27	348	
New Zealand ...	83	983	
United Kingdom...	18,103	268,439	
Canadian Dominion	192	1,332	
Fiji	3	6	
Hong Kong ...	36	151	
Seychelles Islands..	1	4	
Austria	146	2,318	
China	77	391	
France	27	1,412	
New Caledonia ...	14	107	
Germany	1,319	21,612	
Italy	1	12	
Japan	1	19	
United States ...	2,982	41,539	
	26,423	381,233	Free.
Boot Uppers.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	4	130	
Queensland ...	1	25	
South Australia	4	13	
United Kingdom...	136	8,700	
Germany	5		

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rticle and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
rdage (Old).			
ustralasia—	cwt.	£	
Queensland ...	140	14	
Tasmania ...	130	100	
ew Caledonia ...	7	25	
	277	139	Free.
als (not containing spirit).			
ralasia—	doz. bottles.		
ctoria... ...	2,067	745	
teensland ...	21	10	
uth Australia .	904	456	
ed Kingdom...	5,248	2,195	
erlands ...	32	20	
	8,272	3,426	Free.
nd Bungs.			
lasia—	pkg.		
oria... ...	118	379	
ensland ...	3	30	
h Australia..	80	456	
Zealand ...	2	16	
l Kingdom...	1,045	7,356	
um	129	908	
ce	118	947	
any	159	1,108	
... ...	970	7,577	
d States ...	1	3	
	2,625	18,840	Free.
w.			
sia—	pkg.		
ia... ...	24	142	
Dominion	2	88	
Islands ..	83	80	
ates ...	14	520	
	123	830	Free.
k.			
a—	pkg.		
... ...	6	19	
a ...	4	23	
ngdom...	113	2,190	
tes ...	7	41	
	130	2,273	Free.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Canes, Willows, and Rattans.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	587	271	
Queensland ...	12	6	
South Australia	8	11	
Tasmania ...	1,879	604	
New Zealand ...	238	50	
United Kingdom...	137	69	
Hong Kong ...	215	202	
India	7,086	693	
Straits Settlements.	12,604	1,129	
China	234	460	
Germany	33	29	
Japan	12	8	
South Sea Islands	203	15	
Turkey	10	30	
	23,258	3,577	Free.
Canvas.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	236	2,290	
Queensland ...	37	396	
South Australia..	155	1,331	
Tasmania ...	1	50	
New Zealand ...	5	17	
United Kingdom...	1,854	35,720	
Germany	1,001	401	
United States ...	41	377	
	3,330	40,582	Free.
Carpeting and Druggeting.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	181	1,517	
Queensland ...	28	83	
South Australia..	34	327	
New Zealand ...	2	27	
United Kingdom...	1,638	35,802	
India	7	79	
Belgium	40	153	
China	6	40	
France	1	16	
Germany	39	716	
Japan	31	197	
	2,007	38,957	Free.
Carriages (complete), Carts, &c.			
Carriages.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	135	2,767	
Queensland ...	12	397	
South Australia..	35	892	
Tasmania ...	4	245	
United Kingdom...	6	936	
Canadian Dominion	1	20	
United States ...	59	1,315	
	252	6,572	Free
Carriages (complete), Carts, &c.—*continued.*			
Carts and Waggons.			
Australasia—	No.	£	
Victoria ...	340	4,129	
Queensland ...	2	17	
South Australia..	24	531	
Tasmania ...	1	20	
New Zealand ...	1	20	
United Kingdom...	6	191	
Canadian Dominion	4	120	
India	1	8	
United States ...	24	272	
	403	5,308	Free.
Carriage Makers' Materials. (Exclusive of Tools.)			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	2,648	3,459	
Queensland ...	15	46	
South Australia..	1,283	1,001	
Tasmania ...	124	98	
New Zealand ...	126	134	
United Kingdom...	8,692	10,319	
Canadian Dominion	23	481	
France	6	28	
Germany	377	651	
United States ...	6,178	22,294	
	19,472	38,511	Free.
Cement.			
Australasia—	barrels.		
Victoria ...	1,738	1,138	
Queensland ...	512	239	
South Australia..	2,089	1,661	
United Kingdom...	30,895	11,925	2s. 9[illegible] barrel [illegible] 30 June 1896; fr[illegible] from 1 July 1896.
Belgium	5,300	1,695	
France	50	16	
Germany	85,658	31,131	
	126,242	47,805	
Chaff. (See Hay and Chaff.)			
Chalk. (See Whiting and Chalk.)			
Charcoal.			
Wood.			
Australasia—	tons.		
Victoria ...	357	692	
Queensland ...	144	278	
South Australia..	6	25	
	507	995	Free.
Animal.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	10,020		
Queensland ...	[illegible]		

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries ce Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
alasia—	lb.	£	
toria ...	52,983	1,286	
ensland ...	8,989	184	
th Australia..	454,804	1,206	
r Zealand ...	622,682	11,375	
l Kingdom...	18,596	748	
a	200	3	
am	10,289	258	
e	4,613	182	
any	22,136	858	
... ...	2,061	102	
rlands ...	15,352	538	2d. ⅌ lb. to 30 June, 1896; free from 1 July, 1896.
Hebrides ...	980	40	
l States ...	821	31	
	1,214,506	16,811	
l Products (not otherwise enumerated).*			
alasia—	pkg.		
oria... ...	1,978	5,069	
ensland ...	1,194	1,363	
h Australia..	447	1,852	
Zealand ...	133	280	
l Kingdom...	11,847	21,580	
Kong ...	48	72	
m	163	941	
... ...	47	250	
ny	2,458	4,188	
a	115	560	
States ...	947	4,011	
	19,377	40,166	Free.
Raw.			
asia—	lb.		
oria ...	28,347	163	
Zealand ...	3,058	50	
Kingdom...	60,480	569	
n	1,120	8	
ay	160,986	740	
	253,991	1,530	Free.
pared.			
asia—	lb.		
oria ...	296	8	
a Australia..	6,216	90	
Kingdom...	17,024	197	
...	560	5	
	11,200	83	6d. ⅌ lb. to 30 June, 1896; free from 1 July, 1896.
	5,296	383	

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Chinaware and Porcelain. (See also Earthenware.)		£	
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	86	531	
Queensland ...	1	3	
South Australia..	74	507	
New Zealand ...	6	78	
United Kingdom...	945	9,000	
Hong Kong ...	40	69	
Straits Settlements	18	105	
China	95	155	
France	12	133	
Germany	400	2,570	
Italy	8	38	
Japan	38	180	
United States ...	1	12	
	1,724	13,381	Free.
Chinese Goods (Fancy Goods).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1	1	
Hong Kong ...	541	501	
China	993	950	
	1,535	1,452	Free.
Chinese Provisions.	pkg.		
Hong Kong ...	361	317	
China	405	485	
	766	802	Free.
Chocolate. (See Cocoa and Chocolate.)			
Chrome Ore.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	3	7	
New Caledonia ...	108,867	18,497	
New Hebrides ...	19,840	3,480	
	128,710	21,984	Free.
Cider and Perry.			
Australasia—	gal.		
South Australia..	96	114	
Tasmania ...	164	25	
New Zealand ...	154	37	
United Kingdom...	867	129	
	1,281	305	6d. ⅌ gal. in wood. 9d. ⅌ gal. in bottle.
Clocks. (See Watches and Clocks.)			
Coal.			
Australasia—	tons.		
Victoria ...	110	112	
Queensland ...	2	1	
South Australia..	658	853	
United Kingdom...	25	8	
	795	974	Free.

* Exclusive of Medicines.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Cobalt Ore.	cwt.	£	
New Caledonia ...	5,555	1,818	Free.
Cocoa (Prepared) and Chocolate.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	25,174	1,694	
Queensland ...	5,767	265	
South Australia..	27,628	1,582	
Tasmania ...	112	4	
New Zealand ...	1,725	103	
United Kingdom...	587,298	36,991	
Belgium	1,275	209	
France	1,358	118	4d. ℔ lb. to 30 June, 1896; free from 1 July, 1896.
Germany	14,555	2,266	
United States ...	2,304	78	
	667,196	43,310	
Cocoa (Raw).			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	1,501	47	
United Kingdom...	30,573	789	
Ceylon	2,240	54	
United States ...	3,189	82	
	37,503	972	Free.
Coffee.			
Raw.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	22,447	956	
Queensland ...	61,084	2,540	
South Australia..	3,432	203	
New Zealand ...	12,475	494	
United Kingdom...	6,327	223	
Aden	36,748	1,478	
India	18,839	800	
Ceylon	149,026	6,467	
France	50	3	
New Caledonia ...	37,911	1,013	
New Hebrides ...	193,883	5,131	
United States ...	107,237	4,640	
	649,459	23,948	Free.
Prepared.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	16,211	821	
South Australia..	13,033	637	
United Kingdom...	168	7	6d. ℔ lb. to 30 June, 1896; free from 1 July, 1896.
	29,412	1,465	
Coin.			
Gold.			
Australasia—	boxes.		
Victoria ...	97	441,645	
Queensland ...	1	360	
South Australia..	15	37,000	
New Zealand ...	6	2,217	
New Caledonia ...	1	198	
	120	481,420	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Coin—*continued.*			
Silver.			
Australasia—	boxes.	£	
Victoria ...	32	4,180	
Queensland ...	2	500	
South Australia..	5	3,325	
United Kingdom...	3	1,100	
Fiji	1	15	
Germany	1	500	
New Hebrides ...	1	80	
South Sea Islands	1	100	
	46	9,800	Fr
Bronze.			
Australasia—	boxes.		
Victoria ...	1	5	
South Australia..	4	65	
United Kingdom...	251	2,505	
	256	2,575	Fr
Coke.			
Australasia—	tons.		
Victoria ...	18	26	
South Australia..	43,017	134,831	
Germany	99	250	
	43,134	135,107	Fr
Confectionery.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	43,750	1,537	
Queensland ...	7,320	177	
South Australia..	16,096	563	
New Zealand ...	666	36	
United Kingdom...	495,149	15,201	
Hong Kong ...	1,443	18	
Belgium	2,821	38	
China	12,084	295	
France	5,963	239	
Germany	2,585	97	
Italy	6,415	210	
United States ...	57,432	1,785	
	651,724	20,196	9d. ℔ lb. to 30th June, 1898; [illegible]
Copper.			
Ingots.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
South Australia..	93	217	Fr
Rod and Bar.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	33	48	
South Australia..	17	40	
United Kingdom...	185	1,827	
	235	1,915	F

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries ice Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
—*continued.*			
Sheet.			
alasia—	pkg.	£	
toria ...	61	405	
ith Australia..	16	50	
w Zealand ...	3	69	
d Kingdom...	138	3,120	
any	1	20	
	219	3,664	Free.
Wire.			
alasia—	pkg.		
toria ...	6	47	
ith Australia..	2	7	
d Kingdom ..	65	844	
um	109	2,085	
any	124	2,303	
d States ...	4	225	
	310	5,511	Free.
ned in Matte.			
alasia—	cwt.		
eensland ...	1,842	3,876	Free.
Ore.			
alasia—	cwt.		
eensland ...	376	190	
ith Australia..	4,336	1,735	
smania ...	1,490	670	
	6,202	2,595	Free.
alasia—	cwt.		
toria ...	60	30	
eensland ...	1,874	884	
w Zealand ...	3,804	1,813	
... ...	29,671	13,746	
Guinea ...	4,451	2,173	
Caledonia ...	18,280	8,799	
Hebrides ...	22,920	10,727	
Sea Islands...	63,820	29,864	
	144,880	68,036	Free.
e and Rope (exclusive of wire rope).			
alasia—	cwt.		
toria ...	2,583	7,162	
eensland ...	489	871	
ith Australia..	811	1,975	
smania ...	4	12	
w Zealand ...	2,012	2,805	
d Kingdom...	9,468	25,044	
Kong ...	1,230	1,581	
... ..	320	355	
s Settlements	120	136	
...	1,060	1,819	
	67	255	
	62	30	
	[illegible]	167	
			Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Cordage (Old).			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Queensland ...	140	14	
Tasmania ...	130	100	
New Caledonia ...	7	25	
	277	139	Free.
Cordials (not containing spirit).			
Australasia—	doz. bottles.		
Victoria... ...	2,067	745	
Queensland ...	21	10	
South Australia .	904	456	
United Kingdom...	5,248	2,195	
Netherlands ...	32	20	
	8,272	3,426	Free.
Corks and Bungs.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	118	379	
Queensland ...	3	30	
South Australia..	80	456	
New Zealand ...	2	16	
United Kingdom...	1,045	7,356	
Belgium	129	908	
France	118	947	
Germany	159	1,168	
Spain	970	7,577	
United States ...	1	3	
	2,625	18,840	Free.
Cotton.			
Raw.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	24	142	
Canadian Dominion	2	88	
South Sea Islands ..	83	80	
United States ...	14	520	
	123	830	Free.
Wick.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	6	19	
Tasmania ...	4	23	
United Kingdom...	113	2,190	
United States ...	7	41	
	130	2,273	Free.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Fibre.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	38	115	
Queensland ...	20	35	
United Kingdom...	24	274	
India	587	1,447	
Ceylon	23,892	1,536	
Straits Settlements.	10	15	
Germany	71	178	
	24,642	3,600	Free.
Fireclay.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	140	2	
Queensland ...	60	6	
South Australia..	2,840	234	
United Kingdom...	3,180	821	
	6,220	1,063	Free.
Firewood.			
Australasia—	tons.		
Victoria ...	1,522	913	Free.
Fireworks.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	48	304	
South Australia..	4	10	
Tasmania ...	2	1	
New Zealand ...	1	15	
United Kingdom...	77	458	
Hong Kong ...	1,602	1,300	
China	1,172	916	
Japan	1	5	
	2,907	3,009	Free.
Fish.			
Fresh.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	476	355	
Queensland ...	58	35	
South Australia..	1,317	1,297	
Tasmania ...	5	27	
New Zealand ...	2,325	1,428	
	4,181	3,142	Free.
Frozen.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
New Zealand ...	944	801	
United Kingdom...	334	155	
Canadian Dominion	166	744	
United States ...	60	160	
	1,504	1,860	Free.
Fish—*continued.*			
Dried and Preserved.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	226,080	5,697	
Queensland ...	2,217	61	
South Australia..	196,795	5,371	
Tasmania ...	637	21	
New Zealand ...	20,727	473	
United Kingdom...	2,012,342	42,345	
Canadian Dominion	241,587	3,691	
Ceylon	288	17	
Hong Kong ...	31,568	760	
Norfolk Island ...	924	12	
Belgium	2,080	108	
China	60,354	1,373	
France	48,281	1,726	1d. per lb. to 30 June, 1896; free from 1 July, 1896.
New Caledonia ...	500	6	
Germany	9,714	611	
Italy	1,549	60	
Norway	1,185	122	
Spain	23,447	640	
United States ...	1,877,714	35,527	
	4,757,989	98,621	
Flax and Hemp (exclusive of Phormium Tenax).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	5	69	
Tasmania ...	4	10	
New Zealand ...	464	858	
United Kingdom...	15	136	
Hong Kong ...	3,250	9,325	
China	600	1,600	
Philippine Islands..	620	2,050	
	4,958	14,048	Free.
Phormium Tenax.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
New Zealand ...	2,691	6,737	Free.
Floorcloth and Oilcloth.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	281	1,398	
South Australia..	658	2,587	
United Kingdom...	5,752	47,674	
Belgium	385	2,867	
Germany	71	470	
Japan	3	21	
United States ...	4	21	
	7,154	55,038	Free.
Fruit Salts.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	1,610		
Queensland ...	144		
South Australia..			
United Kingdom...			

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

le and Countries nce Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
and Dye Ware.			
tralasia—	pkg.	£	
ictoria ...	471	1,298	
ueensland ...	5	18	
ew Zealand ...	4	24	
ted Kingdom...	1,344	2,861	
a	57	63	
its Settlements	93	147	
ium	12	62	
many	106	624	
ed States ...	374	3,128	
	2,466	8,225	Free.
enware.			
also Chinaware and Porcelain.)			
ockeryware.			
tralasia—	pkg.		
ictoria ...	634	2,835	
ueensland ...	2	18	
uth Australia	331	2,223	
ew Zealand ...	1	60	
ted Kingdom...	251	2,101	
ium	4	37	
nce	21	48	
many	2	8	
y	37	79	
	1,283	7,409	Free.
rain-pipes.			
tralasia—	No.		
ictoria ...	1,179	140	
uth Australia	89	9	
	1,268	149	Free.
ther.			
tralasia—	pkg.		
ictoria ...	720	1,645	
ueensland ...	22	99	
uth Australia	408	1,235	
asmania ...	2	8	
ew Zealand ...	1	5	
ted Kingdom...	5,555	40,272	
g Kong ...	24	61	
a	27	61	
nce	9	24	
many	284	3,662	
n	93	283	
	7,145	47,355	Free.
tralasia—	doz.		
ictoria ...	59,089	2,518	
ueensland ...	4,879	195	
uth Australia..	316,450	12,964	
...	769	37	
om...	16	9	
	2,700	44	
	8,725	174	
	628	15,941	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Engine Packing.		£	
(See Machinery.)			
Exhibits.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	765	14,455	Free.
Explosives.			
(See Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives.)			
Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,305	10,829	
Queensland ...	291	2,474	
South Australia..	572	4,258	
West'n Australia	33	359	
Tasmania ...	12	104	
New Zealand ...	102	799	
United Kingdom...	3,794	68,344	
Aden	5	64	
Canadian Dominion	4	44	
Cape Colony ...	2	13	
Fiji	13	79	
Hong Kong ...	327	983	
India	21	165	
Ceylon	11	112	
New Guinea ...	5	25	
Straits Settlements.	13	82	
Austria	1	48	
Belgium	12	244	
China	284	895	
Egypt	26	111	
France	282	5,508	
New Caledonia ...	145	387	
Germany	993	10,102	
Italy	40	333	
Japan	2,871	10,667	
Java	1	12	
South Sea Islands...	87	341	
United States ...	301	2,144	
	11,553	119,526	Free.
Farinaceous and Milk Foods.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	16,996	855	
South Australia..	7,243	337	
New Zealand ...	12,902	330	
United Kingdom...	140,955	8,849	
Germany	28,440	207	
United States ...	271,167	1,063	
	477,703	11,641	Free.
Felt.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	60	136	
Queensland ...	2	14	
South Australia	17	25	
United Kingdom...	1,436	2,851	
Germany	7	179	
	1,522	3,205	Free.

No. 13—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Fruit—*continued.*			
Edible Nuts—Other.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	41,393	851	
Queensland ...	224	5	
South Australia..	19,619	648	
Tasmania ...	3,192	13	
New Zealand ...	14,962	127	
United Kingdom...	167,687	3,094	
Fiji	165,916	1,203	
Ceylon	113	5	
Hong Kong ...	35,258	415	
China	134,557	1,466	
Egypt	5,600	125	
France	29,910	759	
Germany	12,758	345	
Italy	121,156	2,626	
Japan	129,136	755	
South Sea Islands..	13,440	101	
Spain	336	3	
Turkey	4,674	131	
United States ...	58,000	650	
	957,931	13,322	Free.
Fungus.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
New Zealand ...	2,609	4,067	
Hong Kong ...	42	61	
Norfolk Island ...	23	9	
China	3	10	
New Hebrides ...	16	13	
South Sea Islands...	334	261	
	3,027	4,421	Free.
Furniture and Upholstery.			
Furniture.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	8,135	19,119	
Queensland ...	292	1,603	
South Australia	1,715	3,290	
West'n Australia	11	20	
Tasmania ...	51	206	
New Zealand ...	152	404	
United Kingdom...	1,041	15,244	
Canadian Dominion	11	180	
Cape Colony ...	10	300	
Hong Kong ...	727	931	
India	4	10	
Ceylon	1	50	
Straits Settlements	21	23	
Austria	86	467	
Belgium	9	73	
China	1,131	1,762	
France	3	20	
New Caledonia ...	1	20	
Germany	1,925	10,777	
Italy	10	140	
Japan	354	723	
United States ...	2,770	5,846	
	18,460	61,208	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Furniture and Upholstery.—*contd.*			
Furniture Springs, and Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	157	712	
United Kingdom...	56	376	
	213	1,088	Free.
Upholstery.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	280	2,243	
Queensland ...	41	167	
South Australia..	6	73	
West'n Australia	2	7	
United Kingdom...	643	16,374	
Hong Kong ...	66	54	
China	725	802	
France	1	68	
Germany	28	259	
Japan	1,702	1,570	
Switzerland ...	1	11	
United States ...	489	996	
	3,984	22,624	Free.
Furs.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	24	341	
Queensland ...	4	166	
South Australia..	1	5	
United Kingdom...	114	4,362	
Canadian Dominion	11	28	
	154	4,902	Free.
Gas Fittings.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	58	1,005	
Queensland ...	3	9	
South Australia..	194	641	
New Zealand ...	8	13	
United Kingdom...	1,457	11,944	
Germany	3	39	
United States ...	5	50	
	1,728	13,701	Free.
Gasoline.			
Australasia—	gal.		6d. ℔ gal. to 30 June 1896; ℔ 2s. Jul. Dec. 2
Victoria ...	536	107	
South Australia..	114	18	
Germany	31	10	
United States ...	1,052	93	
	1,733	228	

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

e and Countries nce Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
ne and Isinglass.			
ralasia—	lb.	£	
ictoria ...	6,723	712	
uth Australia	958	163	
ed Kingdom...	106,740	6,032	
ium	3,024	162	
a	614	34	
ice	10,595	436	
nany	28,950	1,608	
... ...	448	27	
ed States ...	224	13	
	158,276	9,187	Free.
r.			
d and Green.			
ralasia—	lb.		
ctoria ...	1,903	77	
uth Australia	2,849	96	
ed Kingdom...	80,804	1,601	
g Kong ...	4,280	40	
a	6,290	100	
a	24,010	191	
n	17,920	170	
	138,056	2,275	Free.
Looking.			
ralasia—	pkg.		
ictoria ...	14	133	
uth Australia...	7	33	
ed Kingdom...	204	2,867	
nany	33	249	
	258	3,282	Free.
Plate.			
ralasia—	pkg.		
ictoria ...	36	308	
uth Australia...	17	54	
w Zealand ...	1	25	
ed Kingdom...	584	5,981	
ium	324	6,065	
nany	144	4,814	
	1,106	17,247	Free.
Window.			
ralasia—	pkg.		
ictoria ...	295	553	
uth Australia...	423	526	
ed Kingdom...	2,944	3,923	
ium	14,457	8,860	
nany	13,850	8,231	
	31,969	22,093	Free.
Broken.			
tralasia—	pkg.		
ueensland ...	89	16	
smania ...	5	1	
	94	17	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Glassware.		£	
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	660	2,519	
Queensland ...	31	191	
South Australia..	439	1,906	
West'n Australia	3	77	
Tasmania ...	6	29	
New Zealand ...	10	19	
United Kingdom...	2,132	10,921	
Ceylon	1	3	
Hong Kong ...	2	9	
Belgium	660	1,809	
China	62	216	
France	89	2,146	
Germany	3,721	12,707	
Italy	4	28	
United States ...	1,137	2,000	
	8,957	34,580	Free.
Gloves.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	216	5,088	
Queensland ...	15	740	
South Australia..	69	1,130	
New Zealand ...	2	35	
United Kingdom...	1,245	78,450	
Austria	8	791	
France	20	2,078	
Germany	59	2,195	
Italy	1	35	
United States ...	1	50	
	1,636	90,592	Free.
Glucose.			
Liquid and Syrup.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	417	251	3/4 p. cwt. to 30 June, 1897; 2/6 p. cwt. from 1 July, 1897; 2/- p. cwt. from 1 July, 1898; 1/4 p. cwt. from 1 July, 1899; 8d. p. cwt. from 1 July, 1900; free from 1 July, 1901.
South Australia	24	23	
United Kingdom...	197	113	
United States ...	12,704	5,615	
	13,342	6,002	
Solid.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	425	237	6/- p. cwt. to 30 June, 1897; 4/- p. cwt. from 1 July, 1897; 3/- p. cwt. from 1 July, 1898; 2/- p. cwt. from 1 July, 1899; 1/- p. cwt. from 1 July, 1900; free from 1 July, 1901.
South Australia..	2	2	
United Kingdom...	100	60	
Ceylon	98	57	
Belgium	39	20	
Germany	3,969	2,172	
United States ...	1,629	785	
	6,262	3,333	

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Glue and Size.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	14,968	245	
South Australia	20,376	279	
United Kingdom...	71,495	1,368	
France	3,519	78	
Germany	6,149	90	
Italy	43,456	501	
United States ...	4,368	98	
	164,331	2,659	Free.
Glue-pieces.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	1,760	527	
New Caledonia ...	120	27	
	1,880	554	Free.
Glycerine.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	13	93	
South Australia	5	10	
United Kingdom...	321	1,893	
Belgium	10	75	
Germany	121	692	
United States ...	3	104	
	473	2,867	Free.
Gold Coin.			
(See Coin.)			
Gold.			
Bars and Dust, and contained in Matte.			
Australasia—	oz.		
Victoria ...	495	1,729	
Queensland ...	468,220	1,758,811	
South Australia...	1,126	3,672	
West'n Australia	1,103	3,740	
New Zealand ...	54,579	210,130	
New Guinea ...	2,858	10,532	
	528,381	1,988,614	Free.
Quartz and Concentrates.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	2	3	
Queensland ...	181	34	
South Australia	1	100	
	184	137	Free.
Gold Leaf.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1	45	
United Kingdom...	15	579	
Belgium	5	252	
Germany	19	1,229	
	40	2,105	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Grain, Pulse, &c.*			
Barley.			
Australasia—	bshl.	£	
Victoria ...	16,924	2,826	
Queensland ...	11	2	
South Australia	163	36	
Tasmania ...	14,075	1,867	
New Zealand ...	28,462	3,981	
United States ...	3,765	400	
	63,400	9,112	Free.
Barley (prepared or pearl).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	147	116	
South Australia	187	117	
New Zealand ...	150	264	
United Kingdom...	157	613	
	641	1,010	Free.
Beans.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
Victoria ...	675	303	
South Australia	19	13	
New Zealand ...	18	4	
Hong Kong ...	72	22	
China	136	35	
France	10	8	
United States ...	4,662	1,610	
	5,592	1,995	Free.
Bran.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
Victoria ...	16,261	765	
Queensland ...	2,582	78	
South Australia	235,077	13,061	
Tasmania ...	1,000	33	
New Zealand ...	204,964	6,854	
New Caledonia ...	23,480	697	
United States ...	8,000	300	
	491,364	21,788	Free.
Flour.			
Australasia—	centals		
Victoria ...	27,598	13,366	
Queensland ...	1,842	891	
South Australia	373,914	189,136	
Tasmania ...	760	447	
New Zealand ...	103,589	50,345	
Canadian Dominion	28,529	14,558	
Hong Kong ...	7,924	3,424	
Germany	210	94	
United States ...	581,466	264,199	
	1,125,832	536,[illegible]	

* **Grain and Pulse.**—The following are the accepted weights :—

Barley ..	1 bushel ..	50 lb.	Oats ..	1 bushel ..	40 lb.	Wheat			
Beans ..	,, ..	60 ,,	Peas ..	,, ..		Flour			
Bran ..	,, ..	20 ,,	Pollard ..	,,					
Maize .	,, ..	56 ,,	Sharps ..	,,					

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Countries Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
&c.*—*contd.*			
(*Meal*).			
	lb.	£	
...	713	29	
Australia	1,897	60	
...	216	5	
Ceylon...	106,061	2,978	
	108,887	3,072	Free.
	bshl.		
...	973	120	
...	47,341	6,331	
Australia	79	18	
...	27	5	
...	16,608	2,606	
...	2,552	422	
...	75	7	
...	16,626	1,671	
...	7,693	781	
Islands	252	30	
...	18,792	3,054	
	111,018	15,045	Free.
Flour.			
	lb.		1d. ₩ lb. to 30 June, 1896; free from 1 July, 1897.
...	25,640	571	
...	306	7	
Australia	29,543	439	
...	680	13	
...	140,508	1,636	
...	1,500	25	
	198,177	2,691	
	cwt.		
...	18,220	13,099	
...	51	31	
...	1,554	1,378	
...	9,031	4,957	
...	219	254	
...	889	882	
	29,964	20,601	Free.
	bshl.		
	26,294	3,801	
	17,972	2,776	
	33,238	5,439	
	1,851	93,204	
	5,525	736	
	880	105,956	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Grain, Pulse, &c.*—*contd.*			
Peas (Dried and Split).			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	1,747	1,805	
Queensland ...	8	5	
South Australia	330	389	
Tasmania ...	4,797	3,710	
New Zealand ...	2,610	2,115	
United Kingdom...	172	451	
India	90	44	
Straits Settlements	54	22	
United States ...	355	304	
	10,163	8,845	Free.
Pollard.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
Victoria ..	7,183	387	
South Australia	18,166	1,018	
New Zealand ...	35,454	1,375	
New Caledonia ...	9,440	268	
	70,243	3,048	Free.
Rice.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	5,905	3,609	
Queensland ...	224	219	
South Australia	2,302	1,861	
United Kingdom...	7	10	
Hong Kong ...	30,953	16,651	3s. ₩ cwt. to 30 June, 1896: free from 1 July, 1896.
India	6,014	2,699	
Ceylon	36	20	
Straits Settlements	8,803	3,537	
China	60,474	31,160	
Japan	15,798	8,206	
	130,516	67,972	
Rice (Ground).			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	268	6	
South Australia	7,293	63	
Hong Kong ...	280	4	
China	13,720	149	
	21,561	222	Free.
Rye.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
Victoria ...	20	4	
New Zealand ...	360	43	
	380	47	Free.
Sharps.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
Victoria ...	1,060	44	
Tasmania ...	1,000	80	
New Zealand ...	5,138	251	
	7,198	375	Free.

* See foot-note, previous page.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Grain, Pulse, &c.*—*contd.*			
Wheat.			
Australasia—	bshl.	£	
Victoria ...	120,314	25,072	
Queensland ...	238	49	
South Australia	220,399	43,236	
New Zealand ...	212,935	39,610	
Canadian Dominion	30,986	5,548	
United States ...	1,917,606	445,690	
	2,502,478	559,205	Free.
Grease.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	742	622	
Queensland ...	15	20	
South Australia	577	495	
New Zealand ...	1	1	
United Kingdom...	178	230	
United States ...	1,735	2,945	
	3,248	4,313	Free.
Grindery.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	301	2,198	
Queensland ...	74	580	
South Australia	73	139	
United Kingdom...	2,914	28,049	
Belgium	12	67	
Germany	292	1,626	
United States ...	2,642	4,144	
	6,308	36,803	Free.
Gum.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	112	597	
Queensland ...	14	28	
South Australia	2	3	
New Zealand ...	393	735	
United Kingdom...	2	6	
Ceylon	7	74	
New Guinea ...	2	5	
Egypt	8	54	
France	20	170	
New Caledonia ...	13	13	
United States ...	27	42	
	600	1,727	Free.
Hair.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	19,297	335	
Queensland ...	63,796	2,522	
South Australia	1,730	113	
West'n Australia	505	17	
Tasmania ...	882	20	
New Zealand ...	5,342	205	
United Kingdom...	7,195	643	
France	533	273	
New Caledonia ...	1,965	76	
Germany	1,230	39	
Japan	133	2	
United States ...	1,136	14	
	103,744	4,259	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate Duty
Hardware and Ironmongery.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	10,645	31,706	
Queensland ...	693	3,032	
South Australia	3,055	11,268	
West'n Australia	53	296	
Tasmania ...	53	303	
New Zealand ...	110	571	
United Kingdom...	42,279	139,199	
Canadian Dominion	8	138	
Fiji	13	156	
India	1	30	
Norfolk Island ...	2	2	
Belgium	76	397	
France	291	1,021	
New Caledonia ...	16	38	
Germany	2,635	9,863	
Japan	5	20	
South Sea Islands	24	85	
Sweden	12	219	
United States ...	9,027	33,173	
	68,998	231,517	Free
Hats and Caps.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	598	6,396	
Queensland ...	110	1,045	
South Australia	378	3,784	
West'n Australia	4	57	
Tasmania	15	176	
New Zealand ...	8	41	
United Kingdom...	8,395	136,921	
India	6	58	
Ceylon	2	6	
Belgium	25	882	
China	1	5	
France	69	2,213	
Germany	248	8,513	
Italy	12	420	
Japan	5	59	
	9,876	160,576	Free
Hatters' Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	29	383	
United Kingdom...	60	862	
Hong Kong ...	9	80	
China	6	90	
Germany	10	287	
Japan	117	1,105	
	231	2,807	Free
Hay and Chaff.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	291,845	66,340	
Queensland ...	1,121	298	
South Australia	550,910	128,[illegible]	
Tasmania ...	113,352		
New Zealand ...	92,2[illegible]		

* See foot-note, [illegible]

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries e Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
		£	
x and Hemp)			
-ware.			
alasia—	pkg.		
toria ...	168	256	
th Australia	74	349	
d Kingdom...	1,769	15,600	
m	20	126	
any	2,552	12,848	
d States ...	160	494	
	4,743	29,673	Free.
alasia—	lb.		
toria ...	5,781	112	
ensland ...	14,258	169	
th Australia	47,729	833	
mania ...	60	1	
w Zealand ...	192	2	
	68,020	1,117	Free.
alasia—	cwt.		
ensland ...	2,802	347	
w Zealand ...	13	2	
Caledonia ...	126	26	
	2,941	375	Free.
alasia—	lb.		
toria ...	121,009	4,036	
ensland ...	10,575	350	
th Australia	51,450	2,023	
mania ...	442,021	13,542	
w Zealand ...	158,519	5,074	
d Kingdom...	84,519	3,383	
lian Dominion	45,006	1,017	
any	65,999	1,847	
d States ...	418,560	9,429	
	1,397,658	40,701	Free.
alasia—	No.		
ensland ...	479,990	4,477	
th Australia	7,966	655	
mania ...	4,000	40	
w Zealand ...	13,938	133	
Caledonia ...	15,950	144	
	521,844	5,449	Free.
-	pkg.		
	52	22	
	47	86	
	-	108	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
India-rubber Goods.			
Crude India-rubber.	pkg.	£	
New Guinea ...	60	522	
South Sea Islands	118	260	
	178	782	Free.
Piping.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	72	651	
Queensland ...	7	97	
South Australia	50	505	
New Zealand ...	1	30	
United Kingdom...	294	7,827	
United States ...	45	654	
	469	9,764	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	137	1,428	
Queensland ...	15	98	
South Australia	108	2,345	
New Zealand ...	1	16	
United Kingdom...	416	7,410	
Canadian Dominion	2	28	
France	1	8	
Germany	77	1,219	
Italy	5	86	
United States ...	503	3,412	
	1,265	16,050	Free.
Instruments. (See also Dentists' Tools and Materials).			
Optical.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	18	592	
Queensland ...	12	452	
South Australia	5	214	
New Zealand ...	3	48	
United Kingdom...	173	6,586	
Ceylon	1	83	
Austria	4	145	
Belgium	2	96	
France	20	955	
Germany	11	294	
Italy	2	25	
United States ...	11	237	
	262	9,727	Free.
Surgical.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	124	210	
Queensland ...	6	184	
South Australia..	15	97	
New Zealand ...	1	10	
United Kingdom...	66	1,184	
Canadian Dominion	3	45	
France	1	32	
Germany	14	915	
Italy	1	45	
United States ...	6	71	
	237	2,793	Free.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Instruments—*continued.*			
Other Scientific.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	37	395	
Queensland ...	38	188	
South Australia	25	550	
New Zealand ...	2	7	
United Kingdom...	246	3,718	
Germany	63	593	
Netherlands ...	1	6	
United States ...	12	261	
	424	5,718	Free.
Instruments (Musical).			
Harmoniums and Organs.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	43	657	
Queensland ...	5	103	
South Australia..	12	128	
Tasmania ...	1	20	
New Zealand ...	2	4	
United Kingdom...	7	545	
New Guinea ...	1	10	
France	1	21	
Germany	3	63	
United States ...	272	2,640	
	347	4,191	Free.
Pianofortes.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	128	4,535	
Queensland ...	35	1,697	
South Australia.	41	1,531	
West'n Australia	1	80	
Tasmania ...	3	80	
New Zealand ...	15	380	
United Kingdom...	128	4,753	
Fiji	1	30	
India	1	22	
France	21	495	
Germany	2,215	48,398	
United States ...	35	1,318	
	2,624	63,319	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	182	1,099	
Queensland ...	11	203	
South Australia..	104	837	
West'n Australia	1	5	
Tasmania ...	2	9	
New Zealand ...	1	4	
United Kingdom...	112	3,670	
Canadian Dominion	6	80	
Fiji	1	5	
France	34	737	
Germany	318	6,595	
Japan	5	21	
United States ...	10	273	
	787	13,538	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Instruments (Musical)—*contnd.*			
Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	3	12	
Queensland ...	1	1	
United Kingdom...	34	460	
France	1	4	
Germany	100	1,325	
	139	1,802	Free
Iron and Steel.			
Angle, Bar, & Rod.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	7,322	3,934	
Queensland ...	742	424	
South Australia	6,585	4,422	
New Zealand ...	13	3	
United Kingdom...	137,750	53,732	
Belgium	1,721	456	
Germany	6,185	1,853	
Sweden	218	199	
	160,536	65,023	Fre
Hoop.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	601	361	
South Australia	305	187	
West'n Australia	116	78	
United Kingdom...	37,552	14,487	
Germany	40	20	
	38,614	15,133	Fre
Plate and Sheet.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1,652	1,000	
Queensland ...	27	16	
South Australia	3,353	2,200	
Tasmania ...	30	10	
New Zealand ...	2	1	
United Kingdom...	101,151	34,350	
Belgium	3,386	1,071	
Germany	6,786	2,513	
	116,387	41,161	Free
Pipes.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	5,143	3,467	
Queensland ...	213	158	
South Australia	3,227	3,389	
United Kingdom...	134,631	79,492	
Germany	40	34	
	143,254	86,540	Fre
Other Castings.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1,855	2,403	
South Australia..	2,576	3,346	
West'n Australia	200	33	
United Kingdom...	10,989	4,723	
	15,620	10,505	Fre

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

d Countries Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Steel—*continued.*			
wrought.			
asia—	cwt.	£	
ria ...	86	116	
Australia..	2,284	3,360	
Kingdom...	1,393	1,283	
	3,763	4,759	Free.
ikes, Nuts, and Screws.			
asia—	cwt.		
ria ...	1,279	1,416	
nsland ...	26	16	
Australia..	1,438	2,228	
Zealand ...	15	15	
Kingdom...	26,299	23,381	
... ...	74	77	
States ...	588	933	
	29,719	28,060	Free.
ins.			
asia—	cwt.		
ria ...	182	208	
Australia..	109	233	
Zealand ...	485	150	
Kingdom...	6,239	4,457	
y	2	9	
	7,017	5,057	Free.
nd Joists.			
asia—	cwt.		
ria ...	791	447	
Australia..	591	753	
Kingdom...	7,234	2,720	
... ...	3,351	807	
y	8,305	2,527	
	20,272	7,254	Free.
ils.			
asia—	cwt.		
ria ...	1,751	2,233	
nsland ...	8	6	
Australia	1,605	1,626	
Kingdom...	12,063	8,672	
... ...	7,101	3,088	
y	34,847	16,338	
ledonia ...	57	20	
... ...	105	135	
States ...	1,840	1,304	
	59,377	33,422	Free.
ets.			
asia—	cwt.		
ria ...	599	486	
nsland ...	21	20	
alia	2,715	41	
	1	1	
	4,266	3,138	
	,602	3,686	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Iron and Steel—*continued.*			
Tanks.			
Australasia—	No.	£	
Victoria ...	351	1,080	
Queensland ...	553	776	
South Australia..	586	1,386	
Tasmania ...	1	2	
New Zealand ...	8	15	
United Kingdom...	4,575	9,164	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	2	4	
	6,076	12,427	Free.
Scrap and Old.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1,680	185	
Queensland ...	17,619	1,028	
South Australia	267	268	
United Kingdom...	77,141	10,614	
Netherlands ...	4,000	540	
	100,707	12,635	Free.
Wire—not Galvanised (Black wire).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	24,549	11,109	
Queensland ...	1,072	511	
South Australia..	10,284	5,341	
United Kingdom...	32,857	14,425	
Belgium	35,676	22,193	
Germany	173,189	63,962	
New Caledonia ...	17	10	
United States ...	102	91	
	277,746	117,642	Free.
Wire Rope.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	684	710	
Queensland ...	9	11	
South Australia	632	2,110	
New Zealand ...	5	5	
United Kingdom...	10,470	18,936	
	11,800	21,772	Free.
Galvanised Hoop.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	305	188	
United Kingdom...	1,040	654	
Belgium	387	209	
Germany	3,117	1,616	
	4,849	2,667	Free.
Galvanised Manufactures.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1,303	1,887	
South Australia..	524	855	
United Kingdom...	727	711	
	2,554	3,453	Free.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Iron and Steel—*continued.*			
Galvanised Sheets and Bars.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	15,412	13,586	2s. ₹ cwt. to 30 June, 1896. Free from 1 July, 1896.
Queensland ...	308	278	
South Australia..	6,041	5,839	
New Zealand ...	10	4	
United Kingdom...	255,355	191,695	
	277,126	211,402	
Galvanised Wire (Barbed).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1,336	1,024	
Queensland ...	138	122	
South Australia..	66	51	
United Kingdom...	3,220	1,625	
Belgium	1,700	975	
Germany	4,494	2,499	
United States ...	18,266	9,353	
	29,220	15,649	Free.
Galvanised Wire (Telegraphic).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	201	181	
United Kingdom...	10	16	
	211	197	Free.
Galvanised Wire (Other).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	495	255	
Queensland ...	11	12	
South Australia..	290	196	
United Kingdom...	2,013	1,328	
Belgium	2,900	1,344	
Germany	5,004	2,305	
	10,713	5,440	Free.
Galvanised Wire Netting.			
Australasia—	cwt.		1s. 6d. ₹ cwt. to 30 June, 1896; free from 1 July, 1896.
Victoria ...	11,324	12,771	
South Australia..	1,114	1,249	
United Kingdom...	8,422	7,137	
Germany	141	174	
	21,001	21,331	
Iron—Pig.			
Australasia—	tons.		
Victoria ...	261	849	
Queensland ...	50	150	
United Kingdom...	7,051	21,715	
Cape Colony ...	4	12	
Germany	700	2,125	
	8,066	24,851	Free.
Iron Ore.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
South Australia..	2,029	111	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate Duty
Ironmongery.			
(See Hardware and Ironmongery).			
Isinglass.			
(See Gelatine and Isinglass).			
Ivory Nuts (Vegetable).			
	cwt.	£	
South Sea Islands	7,088	1,976	Free
Jams and Jellies.			
Australasia—	lb.		1d. ₹ lb. to 30 June, 1898; ¼d. ₹ lb. from 1 July, 1898: free from 1 July.
Victoria ...	153,567	2,783	
Queensland ...	3,386	63	
South Australia..	429,277	6,688	
Tasmania ...	307,017	4,972	
New Zealand ...	848	11	
United Kingdom...	537,222	9,946	
	1,431,317	24,463	
Jewellery and Precious Stones.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	161	9,638	
Queensland ...	27	3,335	
South Australia..	65	3,888	
West'n Australia	4	185	
Tasmania ...	5	110	
New Zealand ...	16	1,705	
United Kingdom...	1,157	82,996	
Hong Kong ...	2	25	
India	1	17	
Ceylon	1	8	
New Guinea ...	1	100	
Belgium	1	25	
France	5	690	
Germany	15	976	
Italy	1	23	
United States ...	28	2,137	
	1,490	105,858	Free.
Jewellers' and Mint Sweepings.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Queensland ...	4	45	Free.
Kapok.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	2,942	5,034	
Queensland ...	933	1,661	
South Australia..	140		
India	1,903		
Straits Settlements			
Java ...			

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

..nd Countries ..s Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
..re.			
..lasia—	pkg.	£	
..oria ...	234	1,298	
..ensland ...	116	312	
..th Australia..	159	517	
..r Zealand ...	3	20	
..l Kingdom...	826	7,526	
..ian Dominion	28	122	
..m	22	43	
..e	8	231	
..ny	769	6,465	
... ...	4	12	
..l States ...	2,598	5,709	
	4,767	22,255	Free.
..lasia—	lb.		
..oria ...	30,623	458	
..ensland ...	91,005	1,455	
..th Australia.	361	20	
..r Zealand ...	5,843	113	
..l Kingdom...	2,976	62	
..aledonia ...	1,380	23	
..l States ...	3,000	47	
	135,188	2,178	Free.
..Pig.			
..lasia—	cwt.		
..oria ...	204	102	
..ensland ...	1,240	620	
..th Australia..	144,922	71,782	
..mania ...	50	20	
..r Zealand ...	42	20	
	146,458	72,544	Free.
..and Roll.			
..lasia—	cwt.		
..oria ...	358	337	
..th Australia..	190	185	
..l Kingdom...	3,720	2,581	
	4,268	3,103	Free.
..Pipes.			
..lasia—	cwt.		
..oria ...	25	26	
..d ...	5	3	
	54	73	
	931	739	
	015	841	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Leather.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	1,164	19,387	
Queensland ...	322	2,273	
South Australia	283	1,962	
West'n Australia	1	4	
Tasmania ...	49	1,422	
New Zealand ...	127	2,230	
United Kingdom...	534	19,896	
Canadian Dominion	12	225	
Fiji	1	4	
India	5	161	
Ceylon	1	84	
Belgium	7	461	
France	45	2,965	
New Caledonia ...	5	14	
Germany	128	5,643	
Italy	2	30	
Japan	22	433	
United States ...	840	24,308	
	3,548	81,502	Free.
Lime.			
Australasia—	tons.		
Victoria ...	204	615	
Queensland ...	45	57	
South Australia	22	43	
Fiji	15	25	
	286	740	Free.
Limejuice.			
In Bulk.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	1,959	261	
Queensland ...	12	1	
South Australia	1,778	240	
New Zealand ...	9,968	441	
United Kingdom...	3,571	340	
Fiji	60	6	
United States ...	424	24	
	17,772	1,313	Free.
In Bottle.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	355	110	
South Australia	173	28	
United Kingdom...	1,446	567	
	1,974	705	Free.
Linseed.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	166	120	
South Australia	61	69	
New Zealand ...	1,606	774	
United Kingdom...	15	11	
India	136	59	
	1,984	1,033	Free.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Macaroni and Vermicelli.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	7,347	124	
Queensland ...	371	3	
South Australia..	4,280	103	
United Kingdom...	53,595	808	
Hong Kong ...	821	8	
Belgium	720	20	
China	2,814	29	
France	8,017	176	
Germany	3,488	66	
Italy	54,359	728	
United States ...	10,600	34	
	146,412	2,099	Free.
Machinery.			
Agricultural.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,636	20,796	
Queensland ...	142	1,528	
South Australia..	243	4,722	
New Zealand ...	202	1,545	
United Kingdom...	1,060	8,946	
Canadian Dominion	44	120	
Fiji	10	300	
United States ...	889	4,419	
	4,226	42,376	Free.
Electrical.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	39	301	
Queensland ...	4	68	
South Australia..	7	54	
United Kingdom	1,119	17,853	
	1,169	18,276	Free.
Engines—Portable.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	14	1,713	
Queensland ...	3	455	
South Australia..	12	250	
	29	2,418	Free.
Engines—Steam.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	48	2,921	
Queensland ...	3	90	
South Australia..	1	577	
United Kingdom...	112	10,162	
	164	13,750	Free.
Engines—Boilers for.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	132	1,441	
Queensland ...	5	163	
South Australia..	3	91	
United Kingdom...	445	6,757	
Germany	1	280	
	586	8,732	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Machinery—*continued.*			
Engines—Parts of.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	14	187	
United Kingdom...	33	1,140	
	47	1,327	Fr
Engine Packing.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	78	556	
Queensland ...	7	62	
South Australia..	100	944	
United Kingdom...	908	7,342	
United States ...	66	874	
	1,159	9,778	Fr
Weighing Machines.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	43	240	
Queensland ...	2	27	
South Australia..	41	298	
West'n Australia	10	26	
United Kingdom...	288	1,966	
United States ...	171	186	
	555	2,743	Fr
Machinery—Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	7,954	59,905	
Queensland ...	375	3,293	
South Australia..	5,026	44,629	
West'n Australia	6	79	
Tasmania ...	152	821	
New Zealand ...	559	3,460	
United Kingdom...	16,634	196,441	
Canadian Dominion	1,256	11,272	
Fiji	523	2,541	
Belgium	12	154	
France	68	859	
New Caledonia ...	2	54	
Germany	1,841	14,684	
Japan	3	234	
United States ...	4,271	51,849	
	38,682	390,275	Fr
Malt.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
Victoria ...	71,385	18,010	
Queensland ...	1,733	233	
South Australia..	15,804	5,450	
Tasmania ...	32,261	7,562	
New Zealand ...	118,487	[illegible]	
United Kingdom...			
Canadian Domi			
United States			

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries ce Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
nese Ore.			
alasia—	cwt.	£	
toria ...	1	3	
ith Australia..	790	98	
d Kingdom...	10	3	
	801	104	Free.
es.			
one-dust.			
alasia—	cwt.		
toria ...	2,200	280	
eensland ...	26,780	3,937	
w Zealand ...	220	34	
	29,200	4,251	Free.
Guano.			
alasia—	cwt.		
toria ...	40	6	
eensland ...	840	360	
	880	366	Free.
Other.			
alasia—	cwt.		
toria ...	540	52	
ith Australia..	20	4	
d Kingdom...	420	116	
... ...	40	8	
... ...	12,000	2,850	
any	4,880	1,008	
	17,900	4,038	Free.
(exclusive of Statuary and Monuments).			
ght—Mantelpieces.			
alasia—	pkg.		
toria ...	15	133	
um	4	10	
any	80	186	
	99	329	Free.
ght—Other.			
alasia—	pkg.		
toria... ...	31	209	
eensland ...	2	8	
ith Australia	85	460	
w Zealand ...	24	100	
d Kingdom...	48	384	
um	74	295	
any	49	246	
... ...	3,413	1,984	
... ...	3	17	
d States ...	10	12	
	3,739	3,715	Free.
wrought.			
alasia—	pkg.		
toria ...	63	179	
d Kingdom...	226	228	
...	185	276	
	1,004	1,086	
		2,541	
		285	
		;	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Matches and Vestas.			
Wax.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	1,023	1,659	
Queensland ...	71	77	
South Australia	1,167	2,232	
United Kingdom...	20,218	25,658	
Belgium	149	221	
France	4	4	
Germany	2,167	2,422	
Italy	9,904	12,662	
	34,703	44,935	Free.
Wooden.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	41	96	
Queensland ...	2	4	
South Australia	136	398	
United Kingdom...	444	1,266	
China	10	11	
Germany	1,188	3,708	
Japan	81	195	
	1,902	5,678	Free.
Mats and Matting.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	177	925	
Queensland ...	6	17	
South Australia	32	125	
New Zealand ...	25	886	
United Kingdom...	230	1,977	
Fiji	2	7	
Hong Kong ...	416	373	
India	1,647	3,287	
China	821	660	
Germany	1	21	
New Caledonia ...	36	10	
Japan	1,143	1,369	
United States ...	31	99	
	4,567	9,756	Free.
Mattresses.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	686	531	
South Australia	611	559	
United Kingdom...	62	244	
	1,359	1,334	Free.
Meat.			
Bacon and Ham.	lb.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	102,624	2,955	
Queensland ...	149,273	3,507	
South Australia..	97,602	3,209	2d. ₱ lb. to 30 June, 1896; free from 1 July, 1896.
Tasmania ...	1,583	52	
New Zealand ...	375,931	10,211	
United Kingdom...	249,242	8,897	
Canadian Dominion	274	7	
United States ...	82,573	4,524	
	1,059,102	33,362	

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Meat—*continued.*			
Extract of Beef.	lb.	£	
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	165	67	
Queensland ...	208,101	30,343	
South Australia ...	929	126	
Tasmania ...	150	4	
New Zealand ...	42	12	
United Kingdom...	4,992	2,029	
	214,379	32,581	Free.
Fresh and Frozen.	cwt.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	1,726	2,492	
Queensland ...	10	20	
South Australia	1,159	1,211	
	2,895	3,723	Free.
Mutton.	No. of Carcases.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	103	20	Free.
Game.	pkg.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	68	123	
South Australia ...	42	31	
Tasmania ...	1	1	
New Zealand ...	3	5	
United Kingdom...	51	157	
United States ...	4	14	
	169	331	Free.
Preserved Meat.	lb.		
Australasia			
Victoria ...	32,944	924	
Queensland ...	4,956,175	67,706	
South Australia...	38,148	916	
New Zealand ...	61,792	1,853	
United Kingdom ...	24,339	1,613	
Hong Kong ...	17,410	466	
China ...	11,526	345	
France ...	804	137	
New Caledonia ...	4,040	157	
Germany ...	1,193	49	
Italy ...	406	24	
Java ...	2,448	19	
United States ...	165,050	4,371	
	5,316,284	78,580	Free.
Salt Beef	cwt.		
Australasia			
Victoria ...	18	22	
Queensland ...	1,857	1,679	
South Australia	1	2	
New Zealand ...	57	53	
United Kingdom ...	5	7	
Canadian Dominion	19	19	
New Caledonia ...	64	45	
South Sea Islands	65	112	
United States ...	39	30	
	2,125	1,969	Free.
Meat—*continued.*			
Salt Pork.	cwt.	£	
Australasia—			
West'n Australia	54	100	
New Zealand ...	81	99	
United Kingdom...	17	22	
United States ...	15	21	
	167	242	Free.
Metal.			
Old.	cwt.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	4	14	
Queensland ...	128	55	
Tasmania ...	191	63	
New Zealand ...	700	213	
Fiji	3	2	
New Caledonia ...	40	27	
South Sea Islands	40	44	
	1,106	418	Free.
Milk.			
Fresh.	gal.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	18,734	860	
South Australia...	70,420	4,434	
	89,154	5,294	Free.
Condensed and Preserved.	lb.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	28,808	672	
Queensland ...	240	7	
South Australia...	328,088	8,398	
New Zealand ...	1,480	17	
United Kingdom...	2,204,289	46,346	
Belgium	25,025	450	
France	12,000	260	
Germany	86,443	1,477	
Italy	116,681	2,305	
United States ...	3,600	65	
	2,806,654	59,997	
Milk Foods. (See Farinaceous and Milk Foods.)			
Millinery.	pkg.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	280	4,725	
Queensland ...	22	200	
South Australia...	85	1,090	
New Zealand ...	6	100	
United Kingdom...	1,344	30,620	
France	10	373	
Germany	5		
Mineral Water			
Unit			

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Minerals (not otherwise enumerated).			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	351	329	
New Zealand ...	2,200	244	
United Kingdom...	2	3	
	2,553	576	Free.
Mineral Waters. (See Aerated and Mineral Waters.)			
Molasses.			2s. 4d. ℔ cwt. to 30 June, 1897; 2s. 3d. ℔ cwt. from 1 July, 1897; 2s. ℔ cwt. from 1 July, 1898; 1s. 4d. ℔ cwt. from 1 July, 1899; 8d. ℔ cwt. from 1 July, 1900; free from 1 July, 1901.
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1,420	1,404	
Queensland ...	3,560	3,080	
South Australia...	1,640	1,348	
United Kingdom...	60	49	
United States ...	20	14	
	6,700	5,895	
Mustard.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	69,121	2,514	
Queensland ...	72	4	
South Australia...	17,223	1,079	
Tasmania ...	112	3	
United Kingdom...	339,638	19,733	
France	654	31	
Germany	9,296	164	
	436,116	23,528	Free.
Naphtha.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	512	110	6d. ℔ gal. to 30 June 1896; 3d. ℔ gal. from 1 July, 1896; free from 1 July, 1897.
South Australia...	2	1	
New Zealand ...	57	13	
United Kingdom...	3,770	567	
Germany ...	3,004	546	
United States ...	240	8	
	7,585	1,245	
Nickel Ore.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Tasmania ...	40	20	
New Caledonia ...	10	4	
	50	24	Free.
Oakum.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	23	30	
Queensland ...	20	12	
[illegible]alia...	30	23	
[illegible]	1,398	821	
	471	886	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Oars.			
Australasia—	No.	£	
Victoria ...	107	72	
South Australia..	72	15	
United Kingdom...	540	147	
United States ...	7,240	1,266	
	7,959	1,500	Free.
Oilcake.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
New Zealand ...	33	18	
United States ...	18	3	
	51	21	Free.
Oilcloth. (See Floorcloth and Oilcloth.)			
Oilmen's Stores* (not otherwise enumerated).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,618	2,831	
Queensland ...	75	213	
South Australia..	461	1,161	
Tasmania ...	10	19	
New Zealand ...	35	43	
United Kingdom...	6,959	15,012	
India	48	61	
Ceylon	1,092	1,764	
France	67	207	
Germany	96	179	
Italy	233	283	
United States ...	517	780	
	11,211	22,553	Free.
Oils (in bulk).			
Black.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	4,750	355	
Queensland ...	1,440	100	
South Australia..	100	6	
Tasmania ...	354	25	
New Zealand ...	5,134	374	
United Kingdom...	717	52	
Fiji...	2,520	170	
Norfolk Island ...	9,409	670	
China	2,104	150	
United States ...	8,120	702	
	34,648	2,604	Free.
Castor.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	6,049	700	
South Australia..	12,828	1,615	6d. ℔ gal. to 30 June 1896; 3d. ℔ gal. from 1 July, 1896; free from 1 July, 1897.
United Kingdom...	2,556	284	
India	202,585	16,239	
Ceylon	36	3	
Germany	270	36	
Italy	66	10	
	224,390	18,887	

* [illegible]ndes curry powder, desiccated cocoanut, &c.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Oils (in bulk)—*continued.*			
China.			
Australasia—	gal.	£	6d. ℔ gal. to 30 June 1896; 3d. ℔ gal. from 1 July, 1896; free from 1 July, 1897.
Victoria ...	450	61	
Queensland ...	50	8	
Hong Kong ...	18,500	1,640	
China	33,652	3,371	
Japan	300	30	
	52,952	5,110	
*Cocoanut.**			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	65	69	
Queensland ...	19	25	
South Australia..	34	61	
New Zealand ...	951	1,050	
United Kingdom...	120	152	
India	122	160	
Ceylon	618	684	
Germany	170	207	
United States ...	105	130	
	2,204	2,538	Free.
Colza.			
Australasia—	gal.		6d. per gal to 30 June, 1896; 3d. per gal, from 1 July, 1896; free from 1 July, 1897.
Victoria ...	260	24	
United Kingdom...	16,634	1,776	
	16,894	1,800	
Cotton Seed.			
Australasia—	gal.		6d. per gal. to 30 June, 1896; 3d. per gal, from 1 July, 1896; free from 1 July, 1897.
Queensland ...	93	10	
United Kingdom...	3,362	270	
United States ...	35,056	3,434	
	38,511	3,714	
Kerosene.			
Australasia—	gal.		6d. per gal. to 30 June, 1896; 3d. per gal, from 1 July, 1896; free from 1 July, 1897.
Victoria ...	288,932	11,964	
Queensland ...	756	51	
South Australia..	93,840	5,228	
Belgium	320	30	
United States ...	2,136,196	70,402	
	2,520,044	87,675	
Linseed.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	8,567	1,125	
Queensland ...	50	9	
South Australia..	5,504	715	
United Kingdom...	345,330	33,964	
India	20,390	2,027	
Germany	217	28	
	380,058	37,868	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Ra D
Oils (in bulk)—*continued.*			
Olive.			
Australasia—	gal.	£	
Victoria ...	611	106	
Queensland ...	80	16	
South Australia..	715	143	6d.
United Kingdom...	1,254	161	to 3
Ceylon	18	3	189
France	275	51	℔
Germany	900	251	fr
Italy	1,425	355	J
	5,278	1,086	189
			fr
			J
			1
Palm.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	198	16	
United Kingdom...	1,142	130	
	1,340	146	Fr
Petroleum.	gal.		6d. p to 3 189 pe from 1896 fr July
United Kingdom...	60	20	
Sperm.	tun.		
United Kingdom...	1	17	Fr
Other Oils.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	77,464	6,964	
Queensland ...	1,017	191	
South Australia..	23,790	2,938	
Tasmania ...	91	97	
New Zealand ...	528	41	
United Kingdom...	54,903	4,710	
Canadian Dominion	500	110	
Hong Kong ...	12,194	1,382	
Newfoundland ...	427	37	6d.
China	17,550	2,255	to 30
Germany	4,182	727	1896
Japan	18,968	1,133	℔
South Sea Islands..	904	182	fro
United States ...	91,075	5,952	J
	303,593	26,719	1896
			fro
			J
			18
Oils (in bottle).			
Castor.			
Australasia—	doz. bott.		
Victoria ...	1,029	184	
South Australia	710	133	
United Kingdom...	16,346	2,013	
	18,085	2,330	Fr

* At ordinary temperature this oil is solid, and is sold by weight.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries ice Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
n bottles)—*continued.*			
Salad.			
ralasia—	doz. bott.	£	
ctoria ...	899	273	
uth Australia	1,768	425	
est'n Australia	3	1	
ed Kingdom...	10,006	3,261	
ce	1,761	363	
nany	115	78	
	14,552	4,401	Free.
ther Oils.			
ralasia—	doz. bott.		
ctoria ...	2,601	707	
uth Australia..	2,056	708	
smania ...	20	7	
w Zealand ...	12	5	
ed Kingdom...	536	376	
ce	5	13	
ed States ...	13,066	1,326	
	18,296	3,142	Free.
s.			
ralasia—	cwt.		
ctoria ...	72,117	25,101	
eensland ...	24	12	
uth Australia..	3,649	2,154	
est'n Australia	100	20	
smania ...	1,873	668	
w Zealand ...	27,017	9,421	
lk Island ...	330	156	
... ...	300	180	
d States ...	3,147	1,071	
	108,557	38,783	Free.
alasia—	lb.		
ctoria ...	288	587	
uth Australia..	2	1	
d Kingdom...	467	217	
Kong ...	5,314	8,171	
... ...	12,130	19,217	
o	2,255	3,870	
	20,456	32,063	20s. ℔ lb.
not otherwise enumerated).			
ralasia—	cwt.		
ctoria ...	980	161	
d ...	166	149	
	48	10	
	262	419	
		105	

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Oysters (Fresh).			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	65	85	
Queensland ...	3,276	3,853	
South Australia..	228	463	
New Zealand ...	2,060	1,722	
	5,629	6,123	Free.
Paints and Colours.			
Paints—Mixed for use.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1,627	2,362	
Queensland ...	27	38	
South Australia..	623	851	
West'n Australia	29	40	
New Zealand ...	341	813	
United Kingdom...	49,543	54,417	
Canadian Dominion	50	168	
Belgium	448	1,340	
France	201	660	
Germany	646	1,782	
United States ...	727	2,082	
	54,262	64,553	Free.
Paints—Dry.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	700	544	
Queensland ...	4	6	
South Australia..	207	293	
Tasmania ...	46	5	
New Zealand ...	66	24	
United Kingdom...	11,479	7,749	
Hong Kong ...	5	65	
Ceylon	2	14	
Belgium	160	121	
China	31	316	
France	134	23	
Germany	1,917	1,866	
Italy	16	20	
Japan	5	74	
United States ...	358	504	
	15,130	11,624	Free.
Kalsomine.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	17	31	
South Australia..	12	25	
Germany	40	7	
United States ...	1,950	2,910	
	2,019	2,973	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	183	280	
South Australia..	326	571	
	509	851	Free.

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Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Painters' Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	53	299	
South Australia	28	158	
New Zealand ...	10,491	1,409	
United Kingdom...	2,448	2,286	
India	131	1,033	
China	12	94	
Germany	37	493	
United States ...	88	549	
	13,288	6,321	Free.
Paper, Books, &c.			
Bags—Plain.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	352	551	
Queensland ...	7	20	
South Australia..	941	1,299	
United Kingdom...	6,672	5,834	
Germany	2	14	
United States ...	4,375	5,553	
	12,349	13,271	Free
Bags (printed).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	18	58	
United Kingdom...	91	367	
	109	425	Free.
Brown and Wrapping.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	509	885	
Queensland ...	50	77	
South Australia	525	582	
West'n Australia	2	3	
Tasmania ...	5	5	
United Kingdom...	25,543	20,218	
Canadian Dominion	49	42	
Belgium	1,054	1,166	
France	537	589	
Germany	9,256	6,813	
United States ...	953	850	
	38,483	31,230	Free.
Circulars and Advertising Matter.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	633	2,997	
Queensland ...	20	54	
South Australia..	80	406	
Tasmania ...	5	17	
New Zealand ...	28	168	
United Kingdom...	2,892	13,313	
Canadian Dominion	12,288	248	
Cape Colony ...	27	150	
Belgium	1	5	
China	100	300	
France	14	96	
Germany	122	567	
Japan	1	18	
Philippine Islands	12	43	
United States ...	133	1,358	
	16,356	19,740	Free.
Paper, Books, &c.—*continued.*			
Printing and News-paper.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	544	2,857	
Queensland ...	3	15	
South Australia..	136	797	
New Zealand ...	3	17	
United Kingdom...	13,953	66,504	
Canadian Dominion	702	4,294	
Belgium	111	442	
Germany	2,207	7,507	
Italy	1	11	
Japan	241	755	
Netherlands ...	10	75	
Sweden	18	90	
United States ...	8,363	33,778	
	26,292	117,142	Free.
Waste Paper.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	25	11	
United Kingdom .	41	65	
	66	76	Free.
Writing, Note, Envelopes and Fancy Paper.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	650	4,011	
Queensland ...	5	21	
South Australia	49	298	
Tasmania ...	2	7	
New Zealand ...	2	10	
United Kingdom...	3,172	29,694	
Canadian Dominion	3	30	
Belgium	17	117	
China	15	14	
Germany	22	188	
Italy	8	85	
United States ...	40	252	
	3,985	34,727	Free.
Books and Periodicals.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,800	27,730	
Queensland ...	98	1,373	
South Australia	298	2,365	
West'n Australia	1	5	
Tasmania ...	38	407	
New Zealand ...	129	1,836	
United Kingdom...	6,833	95,935	
Canadian Dominion	7	71	
Hong Kong ...	1	3	
India	4	22	
Ceylon	1	20	
Belgium	4	23	
France	65	1.	
Germany	70		
Japan			
United States ..			

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries ies Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
angings.			
ralasia—	pkg.	£	
ctoria ...	200	1,013	
uth Australia	152	892	
w Zealand ...	1	12	
ed Kingdom...	2,705	14,487	
dian Dominion	1	6	
n	11	143	
ed States ...	3	43	
	3,073	16,596	Free.
hell.			
ralasia—	cwt.		
eensland ...	55	250	
... ...	46	76	
Guinea ...	156	605	
s Settlements	5	20	
Caledonia ...	6	6	
Hebrides ...	13	55	
Sea Islands...	1,027	3,279	
	1,308	4,291	Free.
ralasia—	lb.		
ctoria ...	21,500	493	
uth Australia..	19,391	547	
d Kingdom...	5,439	152	
... ...	64,227	868	
s Settlements	185,560	2,627	
... ...	1,359	34	
e	112	4	
... ...	4,507	42	
	302,095	4,767	Free.
ulators.			
alasia—	pkg.		
ctoria ...	115	240	
th Australia..	68	439	
d Kingdom...	124	759	
d States ...	36	250	
	343	1,688	Free.
al Effects.			
alasia—	pkg.		
ctoria ...	4,347	14,974	
eensland ...	441	1,741	
th Australia..	2,529	4,488	
st'n Australia	23	141	
mania ...	260	994	
w Zealand ...	505	2,729	
d Kingdom...	139	1,886	
... ...	1	15	
... ...	8	75	
	8,253	27,043	Free.
am Tenax. (Flax and Hemp.)			

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Photographic Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	686	5,709	
Queensland ...	56	477	
South Australia..	88	315	
Tasmania ...	2	4	
New Zealand ...	11	54	
United Kingdom...	920	11,912	
Belgium	20	201	
France	4	54	
Germany	248	3,094	
United States ...	70	659	
	2,105	22,479	Free.
Pickles and Sauces.			
Australasia—	doz. bott.		
Victoria ...	10,387	2,769	
Queensland ...	457	87	
South Australia..	17,307	5,226	
Tasmania ...	380	93	
New Zealand ...	161	39	
United Kingdom...	139,625	42,056	
Hong Kong ...	1,066	384	
India	785	406	
Ceylon	140	67	
Straits Settlements	20	9	
China	2,269	801	
France	1,122	500	
United States ...	1,015	389	
	174,734	52,826	Free.
Pictures, Paintings, and Photographs.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	453	3,802	
Queensland ...	71	581	
South Australia..	140	725	
West'n Australia	1	5	
Tasmania ...	15	90	
New Zealand ...	34	426	
United Kingdom...	149	4,576	
Hong Kong ...	1	5	
France	3	125	
Germany	18	301	
Italy	2	75	
United States ...	51	674	
	938	11,385	Free.
Picture Frames and Mouldings.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	57	377	
Queensland ...	1	3	
South Australia..	66	261	
New Zealand ...	6	134	
United Kingdom...	38	734	
Belgium	18	403	
Germany	285	8,488	
United States ...	344	2,960	
	815	13,360	Free.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Pitch and Tar.			
Australasia—	barrels.	£	
Victoria ...	1,041	422	
Queensland ...	49	24	
South Australia..	432	432	
New Zealand ...	38	34	
United Kingdom...	2,415	2,153	
Java	25	5	
Sweden	16	15	
	4,016	3,085	Free.
Plants, Shrubs, and Trees.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	912	2,154	
Queensland ...	154	124	
South Australia..	126	273	
Tasmania ...	275	141	
New Zealand ...	150	223	
United Kingdom...	60	369	
Fiji	1	5	
Hong Kong ...	45	280	
India	5	23	
Ceylon	1	20	
Malta	3	4	
Mauritius... ...	1	5	
New Guinea ...	19	185	
Norfolk Island ...	5	11	
Straits Settlements	5	26	
Belgium	2	7	
China	68	112	
France	20	105	
Germany	2	13	
Japan	64	231	
Java	1	3	
New Hebrides ...	3	18	
South Sea Islands...	32	377	
United States ...	23	173	
	1,977	4,882	Free.
Plaster and Plaster of Paris.			
Australasia—	barrels.		
Victoria ...	713	366	
Queensland ...	2	3	
South Australia..	21	22	
United Kingdom...	57	37	
Italy	23	4	
United States ...	3,615	1,998	
	4,431	2,430	2s. ½ barrel to 30 June, 1896; free from 1 July, 1896.
Plate and Plated Ware.			
Silver.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	228	8,812	
Queensland ...	131	5,866	
South Australia..	91	1,700	
West'n Australia	12	250	
Tasmania ...	4	223	
New Zealand ...	31	593	
United Kingdom...	1,234	48,459	
India	1	15	
France	3	105	
Germany	22	348	
United States ...	224	2,767	
	1,981	69,138	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Plate and Plated Ware—*continued.*			
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	48	272	
South Australia..	30	358	
United Kingdom...	32	761	
United States ...	11	108	
	121	1,499	Free.
Platinum.			
Australasia—	oz.		
Queensland ...	14	19	Free.
Playing Cards.			
Australasia—	doz. pks.		
Victoria ...	436	93	
Queensland ...	304	49	
South Australia..	325	78	
United Kingdom...	2,917	414	
France	1,440	173	
Germany	2,680	377	
United States ...	11,675	1,423	
	19,777	2,607	Free.
Porcelain.			
(See Chinaware and Porcelain)			
Portmanteaus, Travelling Bags, &c.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	115	1,152	
South Australia..	43	353	
United Kingdom...	461	5,017	
Hong Kong ...	185	194	
China	149	163	
Germany	3	162	
Italy	2	15	
Japan	9	64	
United States ...	70	298	
	1,037	7,418	Free.
Potatoes.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	96,882	18,258	
Queensland ...	955	150	
South Australia..	41,831	12,973	
Tasmania ...	859,517	149,346	
New Zealand ...	56,027	9,513	
Canadian Dominion	376	64	
	1,055,588	190,304	Free
Poultry (Live).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	308	456	
Queensland ...	21	49	
South Australia..	3,730	3,169	
Tasmania ...			
New Zealand ...			
United Kingdom...			
United States ...			

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
ers.			
aking, &c.			
tralasia—	lb.	£	
ictoria ...	44,678	1,681	
outh Australia..	32,088	1,927	
Vest'n Australia	684	34	
ted Kingdom...	27,793	1,493	
many	896	93	
	106,139	5,228	Free.
fferencing.			
tralasia—	lb.		
ictoria ...	84	3	
ted Kingdom...	6,368	322	
	6,452	325	Free.
rves.			
tralasia—	lb.		
ictoria ...	11,941	299	
ueensland ...	7,101	130	1d. ℔ lb.
outh Australia..	41,128	637	to 30
asmania ...	2,064	33	June,
ted Kingdom...	3,331	99	1898;
ng Kong ...	24,841	619	½d. ℔ lb.
its Settlements	600	9	from 1
na	147,442	3,667	July,
nce	2,128	67	1898;
many	191	16	free
ted States ...	450,967	8,061	from 1
	691,734	13,637	July, 1900.
ers' Materials.			
tralasia—	pkg.		
ictoria ...	165	765	
ueensland ...	20	74	
outh Australia..	131	796	
ew Zealand ...	7	41	
ted Kingdom...	1,463	10,051	
ng Kong ...	5	70	
stria	1	23	
gium	1	27	
na	1	5	
nce	65	200	
many	270	1,718	
an	3	10	
ted States ...	8,912	3,032	
	11,044	16,812	Free.
y.			
tralasia—	cwt.		
ictoria ...	35	33	
outh Australia..	52	48	
ted Kingdom...	1,875	915	
	1,962	996	Free.
es.			
tralasia—	cwt.		
ictoria ...	40	25	
asmania ...	1,136	1,500	
	1,176	1,525	Free.
Quicksilver.			
Australasia—	bottles.	£	
Victoria ...	4	16	
Queensland ...	1	9	
United Kingdom...	199	1,386	
Spain	57	439	
	261	1,850	Free.
Rags.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Queensland ...	101	190	Free.
Railway and Tramway Plant.			
Locomotive Boilers and Engines.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	6	75	
South Australia..	138	10,146	
United Kingdom...	67	18,630	
	211	28,851	Free.
Rails.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	10,080	4,127	
Queensland ...	520	115	
South Australia..	11,840	4,007	
United Kingdom...	358,100	52,668	
Belgium	5,020	1,338	
Germany	5,060	1,449	
	390,620	63,704	Free.
Other Plant.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	712	1,300	
South Australia..	422	328	
United Kingdom...	10,496	45,966	
Germany	6,105	4,790	
United States ...	237	2,100	
	17,972	54,484	Free.
Resin.			
Australasia—	barrels.		
Victoria ...	324	422	
South Australia..	93	215	
United Kingdom...	5	5	
United States ...	9,416	9,512	
	9,838	10,154	Free.
Rugs.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	79	593	
Queensland ...	5	45	
South Australia..	41	566	
Tasmania ...	2	34	
New Zealand ...	32	590	
United Kingdom...	637	9,103	
China	2	21	
Chili	1	1	
Germany	42	411	
Japan	42	394	
	883	11,758	Free.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Saddlers' Ware.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria... ...	271	1,441	
Queensland ...	46	376	
South Australia...	186	1,531	
West'n Australia	2	65	
United Kingdom...	1,342	18,626	
Hong Kong ...	2	10	
India	5	27	
Germany	16	149	
New Caledonia ...	1	10	
Italy	38	280	
United States ...	317	2,117	
	2,226	24,632	Free.
Saddles and Harness.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	912	5,003	
Queensland ...	26	232	
South Australia...	157	1,006	
New Zealand ...	40	429	
United Kingdom...	765	16,834	
Straits Settlements	1	7	
Germany	1	9	
United States ...	79	1,070	
	1,981	24,590	Free.
Safes and Doors (Iron and Steel).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	52	645	
Queensland ...	8	165	
United Kingdom...	176	3,443	
	236	4,253	Free.
Sago.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria... ...	48,445	299	
South Australia...	22,963	166	
United Kingdom...	2,743	11	
Straits Settlements	13,074	43	
	87,225	519	Free.
Salt.			
In Bottle—(Table).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	84	119	1s. ₽ cwt. to 30 June, 1896. Free from 1 July 18[illegible]
South Australia...	30	20	
United Kingdom...	2,457	874	
	2,571	1,013	
Salt—*continued.*			
In Bags.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	33,480	3,836	
Queensland ...	9,040	1,300	
South Australia...	236,997	17,863	
United Kingdom...	217,092	17,572	1s. ₽ cwt. to 30 June, 1896. Free from 1 July, 1896.
Germany	10,780	905	
Spain	81	21	
United States ...	100	15	
	507,570	41,512	
Rock.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	6,047	506	
Queensland ...	175	23	
South Australia...	233	50	
United Kingdom...	87,860	4,286	
Germany	48,600	3,072	
United States ...	300	28	
	143,215	7,965	Free.
Saltpetre.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	200	240	
South Australia...	96	149	
United Kingdom...	2,062	2,596	
India	173	180	
Germany	653	796	
Italy	20	20	
	3,204	3,981	Free.
Samples (Travellers').			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	2,113	16,713	
Queensland ...	116	1,326	
South Australia	7	35	
Tasmania ...	8	68	
New Zealand ...	11	202	
New Caledonia ...	13	83	
	2,268	18,427	Various.
Sandalwood.	cwt.		
South Sea Islands...	40	18	Free.
Sausage Skins.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	518	1,551	
South Australia	164	758	
New Zealand ...	132	419	
United Kingdom...	32	[illegible]	
Germany	117		
United States ...	2,26[illegible]		

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le and Countries nce Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Garden.			
tralasia—	pkg.	£	
ictoria ...	1,083	2,871	
ueensland ...	31	43	
outh Australia..	8	16	
est'n Australia	1	5	
asmania	26	29	
ew Zealand ...	506	863	
ted Kingdom...	301	2,205	
ng Kong ...	10	4	
folk Island ...	6	5	
na	1	5	
nce	34	344	
many	33	888	
y	32	442	
an	28	28	
herlands ...	4	18	
ited States ...	89	429	
	2,193	8,195	Free.
Other.			
tralasia—	pkg.		
ictoria ...	1,682	3,852	
ueensland ...	359	305	
outh Australia..	469	360	
asmania ...	958	974	
ew Zealand ...	3,282	4,374	
ited Kingdom...	1,268	4,608	
ng Kong ...	42	50	
ia	203	120	
lon	14	12	
folk Island ...	40	63	
aits Settlements	111	87	
gium	7	15	
nce	66	264	
many	47	259	
ly	316	402	
an	482	318	
key	697	829	
ited States ...	226	841	
	10,269	17,733	Free.
ina.			
e Tapioca and Semolina.)			
ng Machines.			
stralasia—	pkg.		
ictoria ...	459	1,978	
ueensland ...	81	348	
outh Australia..	348	1,527	
asmania ...	28	66	
ew Zealand ...	20	107	
[illegible]om...	378	1,447	
[illegible]	42	117	
	326	3,052	
	8,596	19,778	
		28,420	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Shark Fins.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Tasmania ...	2	1	
South Sea Islands	106	521	
	108	522	Free.
Sheepwash.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	223	389	
Queensland ...	364	855	
Tasmania ...	27	65	
New Zealand ...	181	540	
United Kingdom...	5,305	7,312	
	6,100	9,161	Free.
Shipchandlery.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	21	133	
Queensland ...	8	77	
South Australia..	1	50	
Tasmania ...	8	18	
New Zealand ...	36	74	
United Kingdom...	879	7,219	
Straits Settlements	2	20	
New Caledonia ...	64	41	
New Hebrides ...	3	8	
South Sea Islands	42	80	
United States ...	120	771	
	1,184	8,491	Free.
Shoes.			
(See Boots and Shoes.)			
Silks.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	250	7,714	
Queensland ...	11	172	
South Australia..	146	2,097	
United Kingdom...	828	56,885	
Hong Kong ...	82	2,322	
India	18	793	
Ceylon	2	50	
Straits Settlements	1	100	
China	252	7,979	
France	84	8,546	
Germany	9	638	
Italy	1	12	
Japan	117	7,190	
United States ...	11	625	
	1,812	95,123	Free.
Silver Coin.			
(See Coin.)			

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Silver.			
Ingots.			
Australasia—	oz.	£	
Victoria... ...	2,051	277	
Queensland ...	54	6	
South Australia..	3,600	497	
	5,705	780	Free.
Lead.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	240	400	Free.
Contained in Matte.			
Australasia—	oz.		
Queensland ...	127,268	15,849	Free.
Ore.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1	3	
Queensland ...	1,890	1,743	
South Australia..	666	357	
Tasmania ...	293,941	132,273	
New Zealand ...	226	178	
	296,724	134,554	Free.
Skins and Hides.			
Horse.			
Australasia—	No.		
Queensland ...	4,827	1,470	Free.
Cattle.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	1,426	913	
Queensland ...	286,760	175,527	
South Australia..	1,396	742	
West'n Australia	30	20	
Tasmania ...	627	351	
New Zealand ...	49	28	
United Kingdom...	100	202	
Fiji	107	66	
Norfolk Island ...	275	123	
Straits Settlements	100	74	
New Caledonia ...	8,625	4,279	
South Sea Islands..	20	10	
	299,515	182,335	Free.
Buffalo.			
Australasia—	No.		
South Australia..	3,675	4,243	
Java	94	145	
	3,769	4,388	Free.
Kangaroo.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	93	3,623	
Queensland ...	1,402	10,492	
South Australia..	211	7,733	
West'n Australia	51	1,608	
Tasmania ...	22	213	
New Zealand ...	2	4	
	1,781	23,673	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Ra D
Skins and Hides—*continued.*			
Other Marsupial.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria... ...	161	1,185	
Queensland ...	745	4,243	
South Australia..	17	408	
West'n Australia	20	770	
Tasmania ...	16	222	
	959	6,828	Fr
Rabbit.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	13	160	
South Australia..	8	67	
Tasmania ...	27	386	
New Zealand ...	463	5,663	
	511	6,276	Fr
Sheep (with Wool).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,115	5,300	
Queensland ...	11,024	82,622	
South Australia..	239	1,848	
Tasmania ...	650	3,200	
New Zealand ...	187	1,753	
Fiji	2	6	
New Caledonia ...	38	114	
	13,255	94,843	Fr
Sheep (without Wool).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Queensland ...	164	1,921	
New Zealand ...	2	25	
	166	1,946	Fr
All other kinds.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	137	2,196	
Queensland ...	273	367	
South Australia..	24	596	
Tasmania ...	17	204	
New Zealand ...	12	28	
United Kingdom...	1	14	
Canadian Dominion	1	11	
India	1	12	
New Caledonia ...	2	12	
	468	3,440	Fr
Slates.			
Roofing.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria... ...	24,300	300	
Queensland ...	29,590	300	
United Kingdom...	1,021,730	10,264	
United States ...	1,144,061	7,255	
	2,219,681	18,119	Fr

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

e and Countries nce Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
—*continued.*			
Slabs.			
tralasia—	No.	£	
ictoria... ...	688	483	
uth Australia	61	26	
ed Kingdom...	1,399	1,182	
many	126	91	
... ...	1,047	297	
ugal	193	188	
n	88	68	
	3,602	2,335	Free.
let, Fancy, and Scented.			
tralasia—	lb.		
ictoria... ...	97,221	6,166	
ueensland ...	280	8	
uth Australia..	7,418	527	
est'n Australia	100	2	
ed Kingdom...	71,423	4,997	
ce	2,980	173	
many	13,509	486	
ce	8,400	200	
... ...	112	6	
ed States ...	108,832	10,920	
	310,275	23,485	Free.
Common.			
ralasia—	cwt.		
ictoria... ...	3,737	3,705	
ueensland ...	35	37	
uth Australia..	2,000	1,866	
smania ...	2	2	
w Zealand ...	100	114	
ed Kingdom...	23,229	35,478	
ce	30	34	
ce	7	25	
ed States ...	1,056	822	
	30,196	42,083	Free.
Alkalies.)			
ens of Natural History.			
ralasia—	pkg.		
ctoria ...	2	5	
ueensland ...	19	552	
uth Australia..	5	25	
smania ...	2	11	
w Zealand ...	4	24	
ed Kingdom...	33	108	
... ..	8	103	
... ...	1	15	
ts Settlements	2	25	
Caledonia ...	1	5	
Hebrides ...	7	17	
h Sea Islands..	9	47	
ed States ...	1	100	
	94	1,037	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Spices.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria... ...	18,174	872	
Queensland ...	336	20	
South Australia..	5,989	318	
United Kingdom...	154,767	2,465	
Hong Kong ...	2,666	25	
India	46,942	1,297	
Ceylon	9,880	247	
Straits Settlements.	64,008	2,955	
China	2,693	21	
France	26,712	196	
Japan	2,204	55	
Java	1,058	72	
United States ...	2,075	37	
	337,504	8,580	Free.
Spirits.			
Brandy.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	28,982	12,117	
Queensland ...	1,061	273	
South Australia..	6,732	4,129	
United Kingdom...	94,973	46,025	
Belgium	576	65	
France	24,001	20,966	
Germany	1,156	582	
Italy	24	18	
United States ...	124	43	
	157,629	84,218	14s. ℔ proof gal.
Geneva and Schnapps.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	64,65	1,915	
Queensland ...	217	107	
South Australia..	2,869	1,391	
United Kingdom...	40,417	7,102	
Belgium	5,154	693	
Germany	126,341	33,777	
Netherlands ...	704	105	14s. ℔ proof gal.
	182,167	45,090	
Gin.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	826	323	
Queensland ...	2	1	
South Australia..	1,490	699	
United Kingdom...	14,934	4,219	
Belgium	400	110	
Germany	64	32	14s. ℔ proof gal.
	17,716	5,384	

—Alcohol of the specific gravity of 0·92 at 60° Fahr. is proof spirit. The standard of proof spirit by ... alcohol and water are judged contains 57·27 per cent. by volume, and 49·50 by weight, of alcohol. essences, sarsaparilla, tinctures, &c., are subject to a duty of 14s. per gallon of proof spirit; a the duty is allowed on spirits to 16·5 under proof, but on spirits of less strength the duty is The returns of spirits given in the general imports and exports are stated according to shown in the Table of Revenue collected by the Customs Department are gallons of proof spirit.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Spirits—*continued.*			
Liqueurs.			
Australasia—	gal.	£	
Victoria ...	143	119	
Queensland ...	30	43	
South Australia..	15	28	
United Kingdom...	745	658	
Hong Kong ...	2,282	798	
Belgium	60	50	
China	2,339	744	
France	1,864	1,241	
Germany	301	223	
Italy	50	50	
Netherlands ...	44	62	14s. ℙ proof gal.
	7,873	4,016	
Rum.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	2,151	582	
Queensland ...	13,166	1,129	
South Australia..	2,624	457	
New Zealand ...	14	2	
United Kingdom...	147,609	19,266	
Fiji	30,381	3,481	
France	2,513	1,723	14s. ℙ proof gal.
Germany	90	55	
	198,548	26,695	
Whisky.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	26,562	9,745	
Queensland ...	789	278	
South Australia..	16,162	7,998	
Tasmania ...	42	16	
New Zealand ...	336	139	
United Kingdom...	449,202	160,680	
Germany	557	194	14s. ℙ proof gal.
United States ...	701	397	
	494,351	179,447	
All other (Intoxicants)			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	202	206	
Queensland ...	4	2	
South Australia..	204	140	
New Zealand ...	36	40	
United Kingdom...	53	27	
Hong Kong ...	823	331	
China	1,228	422	14s. ℙ proof gal.
	2,550	1,168	
Bitters.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	243	281	
Queensland ...	42	32	
South Australia..	166	136	
United Kingdom...	226	351	
France	67	75	
United States ...	180	219	
	924	1,094	Duty at strength.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Spirits—*continued.*			
Essences (Flavouring).			
Australasia—	gal.	£	
Victoria ...	551	1,351	
South Australia..	98	238	
New Zealand ...	134	77	
United Kingdom...	2,238	5,132	
Germany	44	41	
	3,065	6,839	Duty streng
Perfumes and Perfumed Waters.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	62	240	
Queensland ...	1	3	
South Australia..	88	261	
United Kingdom...	2,014	7,279	
Canadian Dominion	13	109	
Belgium	41	77	
France	1,055	4,502	
Germany	950	1,574	
Italy	1	3	
United States ...	532	1,497	20s. gal
	4,757	15,545	
Sarsaparilla.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	74	71	
South Australia..	189	254	
United States ...	1,692	3,060	
	1,955	3,385	Duty streng
*Tinctures, Fluid Extracts, &c.**			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	2,141	3,753	
Queensland ...	100	96	
South Australia..	432	956	
Tasmania ...	23	16	
New Zealand ...	218	670	
United Kingdom...	1,926	4,133	
Canadian Dominion	179	341	
Belgium	7	9	
France	86	189	
Germany	129	265	
United States ...	1,447	3,395	
	6,688	13,823	Duty streng
Methylated.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	550	93	
South Australia..	206	59	
United Kingdom...	5,347		
Belgium	10		
Germany			

* Includes all medicines contain

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

le and Countries ence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
ts—*continued.*			
All other.			
stralasia—	gal.	£	
Victoria ...	1,167	197	
Queensland ...	15	6	
ited Kingdom...	1,928	334	
i	16,085	1,760	
many	23,414	1,465	
ited States ...	2,239	4,566	14s. ℙ proof gal.
	44,848	8,328	
h and Starch Powders.			
stralasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	418,338	4,850	
Queensland ...	12,062	147	
outh Australia..	104,020	1,432	
New Zealand ...	280	4	
ited Kingdom...	1,379,232	15,014	
gium	40,480	367	
many	1,028,648	8,407	
ted States ...	997	15	
	2,984,057	30,236	Free.
onery (Sundries).			
tralasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	3,134	13,393	
Queensland ...	107	689	
outh Australia..	592	3,610	
West'n Australia	1	2	
asmania ...	26	71	
New Zealand ...	100	546	
ted Kingdom...	11,972	94,216	
adian Dominion	18	138	
g Kong ...	77	123	
gium	19	246	
na	137	235	
nce	30	220	
many	1,274	3,972	
y	5	44	
an	300	417	
ted States ...	2,578	7,575	
	20,370	125,497	Free.
ary and Monuments.			
tralasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	51	375	
Queensland ...	1	5	
outh Australia..	33	73	
New Zealand ...	1	10	
Kingdom...	57	345	
...	46	319	
	67	159	
	183	1,608	
			Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Stearine.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	25,626	407	
Germany	24,788	321	
	50,414	728	Free.
Stones.			
Ballast.			
Australasia—	tons.		
Victoria ...	3,971	737	
Queensland ...	400	20	
South Australia..	5,350	834	
Cape Colony ...	1,650	141	
Mauritius.... ...	1,550	125	
St. Helena ...	740	185	
Argentine Republic	650	78	
Brazil	16,680	2,594	
Uruguay	250	63	
	31,241	4,777	Free.
Building, Wrought.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	4,712	180	
New Zealand ...	1	1	
	4,713	181	Free.
Building, Unwrought			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	715	535	
Queensland ...	70	14	
	785	549	Free.
Granite, Wrought.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	8	45	
United Kingdom...	162	690	
Italy	8	83	
	178	818	Free.
Granite, Unwrought			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	11	49	
United Kingdom...	30	345	
	41	394	Free.
Flagging.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	98	45	
South Australia..	79	40	
United Kingdom...	1,558	560	
	1,735	645	Free.
Kerbing.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	9	8	Free.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Stones—*continued.*			
Grindstones.	No.	£	
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	238	100	
South Australia..	173	94	
United Kingdom...	3,312	396	
United States ...	529	52	
	4,252	642	Free.
Millstones.	No.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	2	17	
United Kingdom...	3	15	
	5	32	Free.
Other, Wrought.	pkg.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	17	28	
South Australia..	39	72	
	56	100	Free.
Other, Unwrought.	pkg.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	86	39	Free.
Straw.	cwt.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	149	20	
South Australia..	1,323	182	
Tasmania ...	73,077	9,895	
New Zealand ...	18,525	2,366	
	93,074	12,463	Free.
Sugar.			
Raw.	cwt.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	75,042	63,064	5s. ₩ cwt. to 30 June, 1897; 4s. ₩ cwt. from 1st July, 1897; 3s. ₩ cwt. from 1st July 1898; 2s. ₩ cwt. from 1st July, 1899; 1s. ₩ cwt. from 1st July, 1900; free from 1st July, 1901.
Queensland ...	512,958	334,237	
South Australia..	33,040	29,373	
Tasmania ...	12	6	
New Zealand ...	4	2	
United Kingdom...	4	3	
Fiji	15	10	
Hong Kong ...	15,056	10,779	
Mauritius... ...	105,420	73,490	
China	19,895	14,401	
Germany	5,603	3,555	
	767,049	528,920	

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Sugar—*continued.*			
Refined.	cwt.	£	6s. 6d. ₩ cwt. to 30th June, 1897; 5s. 6d. ₩ cwt. from 1st July, 1897; 4s. ₩ cwt.
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	1,791	1,905	
South Australia..	52	88	
United Kingdom...	170	144	
Belgium	195	216	
France	175	163	
Germany	429	358	
	2,812	2,874	
Sulphur.	cwt.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	268	182	
Queensland ...	6	4	
South Australia..	872	563	
United Kingdom...	1,547	482	
Italy	23,500	3,216	
	26,193	4,447	Fr
Talc.	cwt.		
United States ...	300	73	Fr
Tallow.	cwt.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	2,371	2,295	
Queensland ...	178,291	158,396	
South Australia..	27	29	
New Zealand ...	3,199	2,900	
New Caledonia ...	209	183	
	184,097	163,803	Fr
Tallow Pitch.	pkg.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	2,908	2,596	
Queensland ...	40	30	
South Australia..	8	5	
New Zealand ...	6	5	
	2,962	2,636	Fr
Tanning Material. (See also Bark.)	pkg.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	882	776	
Queensland ...	10	37	
United Kingdom...	2,913	3,182	
India	1,376	716	
Ceylon	403	278	
Germany ...	79		
Italy	41		
Turkey	2,062		
United States ...			

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Countries imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
l Semolina.			
sia—	lb.	£	
ia ...	25,620	167	
Australia..	43,071	259	
ingdom...	538	6	
... ...	736,671	2,477	
ttlements.	1,704,916	6,457	
... ...	13,440	38	
	2,524,256	9,404	Free.
and Tents.			
sia—	pkg.		
a ...	179	811	
land ...	54	132	
Australia..	100	741	
nia ...	6	26	
ealand ...	1	7	
ingdom...	55	532	
... ...	12	50	
	407	2,299	Free.
ia—	lb.		
a ...	1,010,295	36,676	
land ...	55,073	1,963	
Australia..	271,921	11,262	
Australia	1,044	50	
nia ...	747	29	
ealand ...	3,061	107	
ingdom...	7,304	402	
... ...	11,005	293	
ng ...	228,828	5,420	
... ...	1,741,635	46,538	
... ...	3,246,240	100,899	
ttlements.	2,680	187	
... ...	3,481,060	84,073	
... ...	14,010	285	
	10,074,903	288,184	Free.
c, Telephonic, and Electric Materials.			
ia—	pkg.		
a ...	409	5,730	
land ...	44	522	
Australia	134	1,142	
nia ...	4	128	
ealand ...	9	236	
ingdom...	1,312	24,528	
Dominion	18	600	
... ...	3	17	
... ...	128	1,598	
... ...	1	10	
... ...	521	3,180	
...	9	140	
	2	75	
	359	1,463	
		39,369	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Tiles.			
Roofing.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	2	3	
United Kingdom...	147	464	
	No.		
France	1,659,110	4,045	
	149 pkg. and 1,659,259 No.	4,512	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	2,521	1,648	
Queensland ...	1	7	
United Kingdom...	6,432	4,097	
Belgium	454	101	
France	400	90	
Germany	25	30	
Italy	334	142	
	10,167	6,115	Free.
Timber.			
Rough.			
Australasia—	Sup. feet.		
Victoria ...	1,279,162	8,608	
Queensland ...	139,321	1,460	
South Australia..	12,864,016	87,494	
Tasmania ...	153,781	827	
New Zealand ...	13,578,220	60,153	
United Kingdom...	113,781	1,292	
Canadian Dominion	1,998,916	6,963	
Cape Colony ...	7,187	29	
Hong Kong ...	1,472	27	1/6 ℔
India	498	128	100 feet
New Guinea ...	100	2	super.
China	7,907	97	to 30
France	5,000	32	June,
Germany	30,603	456	1896;
Norway	725,330	5,016	free
United States ...	21,753,448	95,780	from
	52,658,742	268,364	1 July, 1896.
Dressed.			
Australasia—	Sup. feet.		
Victoria ...	724,043	7,428	
Queensland ...	63,497	613	
South Australia..	296,343	4,061	
New Zealand ...	16,346	125	
United Kingdom...	351,323	2,365	3s. ℔
Canadian Dominion	80,733	471	100 fee
Hong Kong ...	2,950	16	super.
China	5,150	25	to 30
Germany	510	20	June,
Japan	25,750	126	1896;
Norway	4,652,058	28,954	free
United States ...	400,985	3,755	from
	6,619,688	47,959	1 July, 1896.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Timber—*continued.*			
Doors.			
Australasia—	No.	£	
Victoria ...	1,040	722	
Queensland ...	145	72	
South Australia..	96	68	
New Zealand ...	250	115	2s. each to 30 June, 1896; free from 1 July, 1896.
China	29	14	
United States ...	31,951	13,437	
	33,511	14,428	
Houses.			Various to 30 June, 1896; free from 1 July, 1896.
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	1	30	
Laths.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	33,550	51	
South Australia..	11,280	32	
Canadian Dominion	457,650	250	
United States ...	4,730,350	3,316	
	5,232,830	3,649	Free.
Palings.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	39,247	179	
South Australia..	100	1	
Tasmania ...	6,369	31	
	45,716	211	Free.
Posts and Rails.			Various to 30 June, 1896; free from 1 July, 1896.
Australasia—	No.		
South Australia..	800	15	
Sashes.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	1,950	693	
Queensland ...	28	10	
South Australia..	287	118	2s. each to 30 June, 1896; free from 1 July, 1896.
China	26	16	
United States ...	26	5	
	2,317	842	
Shingles.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	30,450	61	
Canadian Dominion	6,250	10	
United States ...	246,000	248	
	282,700	319	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation Quantity.	Importation Value.	Rate of Duty
Timber—*continued.*			
Shutters.			2s. each to 30 June, 1896; free from 1 July, 1896.
Australasia—	No.	£	
Victoria ...	10	10	
Shooks and Staves.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	4,620	3,114	
Queensland ...	39	19	
South Australia..	6,800	742	
Tasmania ...	21,223	2,286	
New Zealand ...	2,361	623	
United Kingdom...	555	323	
Canadian Dominion	2,740	235	
India	333	114	
New Caledonia ...	355	80	
Germany	1,040	391	
United States ...	57,663	1,231	
	97,729	9,158	Free
Spars.	No.		1s. 6d. each first imp. 30 June 1896; free from 1 July, 18
United Kingdom...	1	5	
Tin.			
Ingots.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	34	107	
South Australia..	33	118	
West'n Australia	4,030	11,973	
Tasmania ...	13,821	40,903	
	17,918	53,101	Free.
Ore.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	18,625	29,863	
West'n Australia	2,500	4,114	
	21,125	33,977	Free.
Tin Plates.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,148	[illegible]	
Queensland ...	99		
South Australia..	[illegible]		
United Kingdom...	[illegible]		

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Countries imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
sia—	pkg.	£	
ia ...	1,100	2,011	
sland ...	6	9	
Australia..	321	1,516	
Kingdom...	604	4,231	
... ...	4	15	
... ...	110	577	
States ...	238	514	
	2,383	8,873	Free.
actured.			
sia—	lb.		
ia ...	34,437	1,644	
sland ...	21,506	556	
Kingdom...	203,530	5,800	
... ...	302	16	
... ...	425	93	
ie Islands	2,303	136	1s. ℔ lb. if entered for local manufacture, otherwise 3s. ℔ lb.
tates ...	771,747	22,256	
	1,034,250	30,501	
tured.			
sia—	lb.		
ia ...	130,544	11,457	
sland ...	15,085	847	
Australia..	92,655	7,467	
ealand ...	84	5	
Kingdom...	196,585	14,082	
ng ...	729	33	
... ...	992	44	
... ...	182	45	
tates ...	1,093,368	68,468	
	1,530,224	102,448	3s. ℔ lb.
rs.			
sia—	lb.		
a ...	9,788	4,014	
land ...	1,121	284	
Australia..	6,295	2,364	
nia ...	139	25	
ealand ...	466	142	
Kingdom...	17,672	9,115	
Dominion	157	45	
ony ...	5,052	760	
ng ...	27,092	3,431	
... ...	8,049	1,070	
... ...	183	116	
s... ...	52	14	
ettlements	7,427	995	
... ...	6,408	1,665	
... ...	11,043	1,645	
... ...	33,323	7,493	
... ...	70,681	19,493	
... ...	384	61	
	649	590	
	20,055	15,775	
	134	861	
		69,958	6s. ℔ lb.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Tobacco—*continued.*			
Cigarettes.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	859	211	
Queensland ...	374	120	
South Australia..	2,173	857	
New Zealand ...	295	92	
United Kingdom...	24,505	6,348	
Malta	1,588	745	
Egypt	2,758	1,097	
France	27	24	
New Caledonia ...	164	30	
Germany	534	113	
Japan	117	20	
United States ...	67,643	19,159	
	101,037	28,816	6s. ℔ lb.
Snuff.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	186	43	
South Australia..	84	20	
United Kingdom...	650	121	
United States ...	320	30	
	1,240	214	3s. ℔ lb.
Tobacco Pipes.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	128	1,746	
Queensland ...	8	101	
South Australia	126	1,157	
Tasmania ...	1	12	
United Kingdom...	932	18,820	
Belgium	2	33	
France	49	980	
Germany	188	1,571	
South Sea Islands..	12	6	
United States ...	1	50	
	1,447	24,476	Free.
Tools of various Trades (not otherwise enumerated).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,936	5,341	
Queensland ...	75	264	
South Australia.	1,452	5,041	
West'n Australia	4	19	
Tasmania ...	3	7	
New Zealand ...	31	170	
United Kingdom...	5,318	44,307	
Canadian Dominion	4	128	
Belgium	9	161	
Germany	416	2,538	
New Caledonia ...	1	10	
United States ...	12,768	39,353	
	22,017	97,339	Free.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Tortoise-shell.	lb.	£	
Fiji	83	100	
New Guinea ...	25	12	
New Hebrides ...	28	10	
South Sea Islands..	2,494	1,431	
	2,630	1,553	Free.
Toys.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	96	629	
Queensland ...	13	62	
South Australia..	95	1,103	
New Zealand ...	4	71	
United Kingdom...	1,366	20,444	
Belgium	2	6	
China	16	21	
France	3	68	
Germany	1,266	8,933	
Italy	2	22	
Japan	70	241	
United States ...	341	951	
	3,274	32,551	Free.
Turnery and Woodenware.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,144	1,298	
Queensland ...	78	50	
South Australia..	1,314	956	
Tasmania ...	6	7	
New Zealand ...	60	124	
United Kingdom...	524	2,481	
Hong Kong ...	1	1	
China	8	17	
Germany	460	770	
Italy	4	26	
Japan	24	29	
United States ...	10,762	3,413	
	14,385	9,172	Free.
Turpentine.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	2,228	273	
South Australia..	1,295	179	
United Kingdom...	2,217	230	
United States ...	92,557	8,207	
	98,297	8,889	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Type-writing Machines.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	29	387	
Queensland ...	10	164	
South Australia..	10	163	
West'n Australia	2	30	
Tasmania ...	1	10	
New Zealand ...	3	50	
United Kingdom...	181	2,892	
Canadian Dominion	105	1,297	
United States ...	855	12,053	
	1,196	17,046	Fre
Type-writers' Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1	5	
South Australia..	2	6	
New Zealand ...	1	5	
United Kingdom...	26	375	
Canadian Dominion	5	104	
United States ...	143	2,222	
	178	2,717	Fre
Upholstery.			
(See Furniture and Upholstery.)			
Varnish.			
With Spirit.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	926	345	
Queensland ...	69	24	
South Australia .	145	65	
New Zealand ...	5	1	
United Kingdom...	6,783	1,949	
United States ...	1,565	365	
	9,493	2,749	Free
Without Spirit.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	4,126	1,776	
South Australia..	604	324	
New Zealand ...	92	[illegible]	
United Kingdom...	36,[illegible]		
Canadian Dominion			
Belgium ...			
United States			

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Countries nported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
s.			
sh.			
dia—	pkg.	£	
a ...	14,693	12,087	
land ...	12,207	2,934	
Australia..	14,747	9,078	
ia ...	20,690	4,951	
ealand ...	1,449	178	
ng ...	60	28	
... ...	98	29	
	63,944	29,285	Free.
and Dried.			
dia—	lb.		
a ...	16,283	295	
land ...	382	7	
Australia..	22,741	461	
nia ...	3,264	75	
ealand ...	642	5	
ingdom...	197,370	3,042	
ng ...	11,590	141	
... ...	10,328	230	
... ...	26,876	483	
... ...	49,111	1,154	
... ...	11,217	338	
... ...	1,145	43	
... ...	672	14	
tates ...	114,188	1,475	
	465,809	7,763	Free.
l.			
aroni and Vermicelli.)			
ia—	gal.		
ia ...	13,332	948	
land ...	77	11	
Australia	8,173	806	
m...	99,817	11,310	
	1,390	225	
	1,725	43	
		12,343	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Watches and Clocks.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	235	4,834	
Queensland ...	60	1,985	
South Australia..	127	1,694	
West'n Australia	1	50	
Tasmania ...	5	63	
New Zealand ...	6	1,710	
United Kingdom...	615	18,094	
India	2	7	
France	33	1,038	
Germany	42	603	
Italy	1	15	
Japan	5	12	
Switzerland ...	52	1,588	
United States ...	1,977	10,288	
	3,161	41,981	Free.
Watchmakers' Tools and Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	2	78	
Queensland ...	3	19	
New Zealand ...	1	50	
United Kingdom...	26	748	
France	2	27	
Germany	24	1,083	
Switzerland ...	1	22	
	59	2,027	Free.
Wax.			
Beeswax.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	38	2	
Queensland ...	833	16	
South Australia..	141	10	
New Zealand ...	136	3	
	1,148	31	Free.
Paraffine.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	161,544	1,738	
United Kingdom...	47,430	644	
United States ...	522,577	5,222	
	731,551	7,604	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	18	1	
United Kingdom...	756	23	
India	47,388	617	
Germany	224	6	
United States ...	1,111	17	
	49,497	664	Free.

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Whiting and Chalk.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	1,060	277	
South Australia	860	268	
United Kingdom...	54,840	4,853	
	56,760	5,398	Free.
Wines.			
Sparkling.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	799	1,600	
Queensland ...	89	143	
South Australia	384	847	
West'n Australia	2	4	
New Zealand ...	18	36	
United Kingdom...	4,484	6,360	
Belgium	2,944	5,938	
France	7,750	17,007	
New Caledonia ...	4	8	
Germany	1,206	2,370	
Spain	13	14	
Switzerland ...	10	6	
	17,703	34,333	10s. ℔ gal.
Other.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	5,022	2,061	
Queensland ...	123	54	
South Australia	4,378	1,864	
Tasmania ...	4	2	
New Zealand ...	16	6	
United Kingdom...	53,274	16,934	
Canadian Dominion	20	31	
Belgium	2,353	889	
France	4,866	2,867	
New Caledonia ...	2	5	
Germany	6,317	1,852	
Italy	112	73	
Netherlands ...	82	64	
United States ...	194	136	
	76,763	26,838	5s. ℔ gal.
Wool.			
Greasy.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	1,124,448	31,127	
Queensland ...	25,762,450	715,307	
South Australia	398,801	9,496	
Tasmania ...	762,504	23,534	
New Zealand ...	234,641	6,340	
Norfolk Island ...	750	15	
New Caledonia ...	31,297	746	
	28,314,891	786,565	Free.
Wool—*continued.*			
Scoured and Washed.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	198,620	9,521	
Queensland ...	5,879,530	285,694	
South Australia	24,565	1,159	
New Zealand ...	79,549	3,828	
New Caledonia ...	3,696	190	
	6,185,960	300,392	Free.
Total Wool—Greasy, Scoured and Washed	34,500,851	1,086,957	
Woollen Manufactures—Not otherwise enumerated (See also Blankets).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	257	9,723	
Queensland ...	38	1,089	
South Australia..	485	9,790	
Tasmania ...	15	382	
New Zealand ...	95	3,978	
United Kingdom...	879	47,594	
Belgium	2	50	
France	63	2,813	
Germany	184	11,314	
	2,018	86,733	Free.
Woolpacks.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	148,969	12,116	
Queensland ...	5,100	358	
South Australia	67,151	5,440	
United Kingdom...	2,842	382	
India	848,750	53,031	
	1,072,812	71,327	Free.
Yeast Cakes.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	10	12	
Canadian Dominion	89	1,430	
United States ...	63	1,260	
	162	2,702	Free.
Yellow Metal.			
Sheets.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
New Zealand ...	2	23	
United Kingdom...	1,560	16,6[illegible]	
	1,56[illegible]		
Nails.			
United Kingd[illegible]			

No. 13.—Imports, 1896—*continued.*

ıd Countries Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
ıted or Manufactured.			
ıasia—	cwt.	£	
ıria ...	10	22	
h Australia..	9	20	
Kingdom...	866	1,181	
n	70	75	
ıy	26	47	
	981	1,345	Free.
ı Sheet.			
asia—	cwt.		
ıria ...	84	101	
nsland ...	188	129	
h Australia..	632	445	
'n Australia	89	57	
ıania ...	48	25	
Zealand ...	517	281	
Kingdom...	2,883	3,012	
n	942	848	
ıy	899	857	
	6,282	5,755	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Zinc—*continued.*			
Spelter.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	4,933	4,486	
Queensland ...	1,489	1,309	
Tasmania ...	159	130	
New Zealand ...	33	29	
United Kingdom...	5,025	4,255	
Belgium	5,579	4,423	
Germany	10,657	8,591	
	27,875	23,223	Free.
Other Articles not classified.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,481	509	
Queensland ...	27	38	
South Australia	1,001	176	
New Zealand ...	952	240	
United Kingdom...	110	455	
	3,571	1,418	Free.

'alue of Imports of Merchandise		£	18,079,101
'alue of Imports of Coin (Gold, Silver, and Bronze) ...	£493,795	£	2,482,409
,, ,, Gold Bullion	£1,988,614		
'alue of all Imports (Merchandise, Coin, and Gold Bullion)		£	20,561,510

IMPORT DUTIES COLLECTED, 1896.

Import Duties collected, 1896.	£	£	£
Duties		1,406,796	
ɔrem Duties—10 per cent.	144		
15 per cent.	29		
		173	
Gross Import Duties collected			£ 1,406,969
backs		33,432	
ıls		6,106	
			39,538
Net amount of Import Duties collected ...			£ 1,367,431

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1896.

Articles for Consumption and Use on Voyage.—Dutiable articles obtained for ships' requirements are classi as Exports, and are considered part of the trade of New South Wales with the countries to which vessels are bou As information is not available regarding the exports of "Free" goods, required by vessels on voyage, the following retu do not include the amount and value of such articles.

Valuation of Exports.—Articles of Export are valued at the port of shipment or inland station at which goods leave New South Wales.

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Acids.		gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Acetic.						
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	100	.....	.....	27	
Queensland	.....	491	.....	.....	115	
South Australia	.....	42	.....	.....	21	
Western Australia ...	.....	59	.....	.....	15	
Tasmania	.....	747	.....	.....	160	
New Zealand	.....	1,506	.....	.....	312	
Fiji	.....	10	.....	.....	2	
	.....	2,955	2,955	.....	652	65
Sulphuric.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Queensland	456	.....	456	230	.....	23
South Australia	17	.....	17	12	.....	1
Western Australia ...	72	72	144	56	84	14
Tasmania	416	.....	416	214	.....	21
New Zealand	820	.....	820	413	.....	41
Fiji	22	.....	22	12	.....	1
New Caledonia	73	.....	73	59	.....	5
South Sea Islands	19	16	35	12	15	2
	1,895	88	1,983	1,008	99	1,10
Tartaric.		lb.	lb.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	9,662	.....	.....	574	
Queensland	.....	448	.....	.....	26	
South Australia	.....	3,472	.....	.....	219	
Western Australia ...	.....	1,792	.....	.....	120	
Tasmania	.....	896	.....	.....	58	
New Zealand	.....	1,680	.....	.....	104	
Fiji	.....	224	.....	.....	15	
New Caledonia	.....	112	.....	.....	6	
	.....	18,286	18,286	.....	1,122	1,12
Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	33	33	.....	206	20
Queensland	38	47	85	145	166	31
South Australia	3	1	4	2	1	[illegible]
Western Australia ...	1	7	8	3	17	[illegible]
Tasmania	27	17	44	43	69	[illegible]
New Zealand	144	90	234	237	133	[illegible]
Fiji	1	3	4	2	3	[illegible]
New Guinea	2	.....	2	2	.....	
New Caledonia	.....	13	13	.....		
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	1	1	...		
South Sea Islands	2	1	3			
	218	213	4[illegible]			

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

d Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
nd Mineral Waters.						
asia—	doz. bott.	doz. bott.	doz. bott.	£	£	£
ria	202	32	234	17	6	23
aland	4,773	174	4,947	631	46	677
Australia ...	8	20	28	1	10	11
ern Australia ...	1,927	2	1,929	255	1	256
ania	130	12	142	20	4	24
Zealand	2,508	40	2,548	396	4	400
Kingdom	.....	45	45	.....	10	10
... ...	1,372	95	1,467	186	45	231
ong	.....	8	8	.....	1	1
inea	113	.....	113	17	.....	17
ledonia	28	12	40	6	3	9
ea Islands	663	5	668	86	5	91
States	.....	62	62	.....	9	9
	11,724	507	12,231	1,615	144	1,759
ral Implements.						
Ploughs.						
asia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ria	3	47	50	18	384	402
aland	8	103	111	49	547	596
ern Australia ...	4	5	9	35	16	51
ania	3	2	5	19	14	33
Zealand	3	3	6	32	20	52
... ...	.....	44	44	.....	219	219
Island	2	.....	2	15	.....	15
ledonia	.....	9	9	.....	30	30
	23	213	236	168	1,230	1,398
gh Materials.						
asia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ria	306	51	357	681	580	1,261
aland	22	43	65	51	154	205
Australia... ...	10	1	11	5	1	6
ern Australia ...	2	2	4	7	8	15
ania	3	2	5	4	13	17
Zealand	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
Kingdom	.....	3	3	.....	10	10
... ...	.....	47	47	.....	279	279
ledonia	.....	3	3	.....	17	17
ea Islands	.....	2	2	.....	17	17
	344	154	498	751	1,079	1,830
rs and Binders.						
asia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ria	2	23	25	13	276	289
aland	.....	9	9	.....	26	26
-lia... ...	1	.....	1	16	.....	16
...	5	3	8	25	7	32
	....	1	1	.....	14	14
		26	44	54	323	377

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Agricultural Implements—*continued.*						
Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	77	34	111	991	493	1,4
Queensland	.....	158	158	.....	1,733	1,7
South Australia	1	11	12	7	42	
Western Australia ...	19	8	27	103	28	1
Tasmania	2	12	14	14	88	1
New Zealand	2	46	48	20	240	1
Fiji	1	29	30	10	124	1
New Caledonia	.....	22	22	.....	44	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	3	3	.....	8	
South Sea Islands	.....	4	4	.....	10	
Ale and Beer.	102	327	429	1,145	2,810	3,9
In Wood.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Victoria	385	3,968	4,353	27	326	
Queensland	1,058	250	1,308	84	25	
South Australia	.....	150	150	.....	12	
Tasmania	.....	50	50	.....	5	
Fiji	72	.....	72	4	.....	
New Guinea	30	.....	30	2	.....	
New Caledonia	864	.....	864	47	.....	
	2,409	4,418	6,827	164	368	5
In Bottle.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Victoria	63	14,634	14,697	16	2,823	2,8
Queensland	303	14,410	14,713	60	2,939	2,9
South Australia	.....	9,239	9,239	.....	1,909	1,9
Western Australia ...	100	32,292	32,392	15	5,544	5,5
Tasmania	.....	5,796	5,796	.....	1,195	1,1
New Zealand	.....	5,837	5,837	.....	1,227	1,2
United Kingdom	.....	3,424	3,424	.....	697	6
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	676	676	.....	136	1
Fiji	.....	6,909	6,909	.....	1,327	1,3
Hong Kong...	.....	606	606	.....	124	1
India	.....	32	32	.....	6	
Ceylon	.....	8	8	.....	2	
New Guinea	.....	1,683	1,683	.....	340	3
Norfolk Island	.....	16	16	.....	3	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	32	32	.....	6	
Belgium	.....	16	16	.....	3	
Chili	.....	86	86	.....	19	
France	.....	664	664	.....	130	1
New Caledonia	.....	1,643	1,643	.....	320	3
Germany	.....	97	97	.....	17	
Marshall Islands	.....	2,112	2,112	.....	366	[illegible]
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	62	62	.....	11	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	60	60	.....	11	
Japan	.....	12	12	.....	2	
Peru	.....	12	12	.....	[illegible]	
Azores	.....	8	8	.....		
South Sea Islands	.....	7,429	7,429			
Caroline Islands	.....	444	444			
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	8				
United States	.....	707				
	466	108,954				

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
rbonate of Soda.						
lasia—		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
oria	.....	784	.....	.....	3	
ensland	.....	25,480	.....	.....	106	
h Australia... ...	.....	448	.....	.....	2	
tern Australia ...	.....	7,840	.....	.....	32	
nania...	.....	9,296	.....	.....	38	
Zealand	.....	32,368	.....	.....	136	
... ...	.....	240	.....	.....	1	
Guinea	.....	224	.....	.....	1	
k Island	.....	224	.....	.....	1	
aledonia	.....	8,400	.....	.....	36	
Sea Islands	.....	392	.....	.....	2	
	.....	85,696	85,696	.....	358	358
Caustic Soda.						
lasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
oria	.....	31	.....	.....	21	
ensland	.....	528	.....	.....	293	
h Australia... ...	.....	912	.....	.....	456	
tern Australia ...	.....	248	.....	.....	127	
nania...	.....	139	.....	.....	74	
Zealand	.....	904	.....	.....	462	
... ...	.....	53	.....	.....	27	
aledonia	.....	93	.....	.....	49	
	.....	2,908	2,908	.....	1,509	1,509
licate of Soda.						
lasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
oria	.....	24	.....	.....	9	
ensland	.....	117	.....	.....	42	
tern Australia ...	.....	120	.....	.....	40	
nania	.....	104	.....	.....	36	
Zealand	.....	150	.....	.....	51	
... ...	.....	49	.....	.....	18	
aledonia	.....	40	.....	.....	15	
	.....	604	604	.....	211	211
Soda Ash.						
lasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
oria	.....	521	.....	.....	169	
ensland	.....	1,826	.....	.....	649	
h Australia	.....	1,390	.....	.....	456	
tern Australia ...	.....	16	.....	.....	6	
nania...	.....	240	.....	.....	90	
Zealand	.....	60	.....	.....	21	
aledonia	.....	30	.....	.....	11	
oda Crystals.	.....	4,083	4,083	.....	1,402	1,402
lasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
ensland	.....	39	39	.....	12	12
h Australia... ...	5	20	25	1	4	5
nania...	.....	147	147	.....	29	29
Zealand	.....	165	165	.....	33	33
... ...	84	51	135	14	10	24
... ...	.....	6	6	.....	2	2
	171	151	322	31	30	61
	.....	6	6	.....	1	1
	42	11	53	8	2	10
		596	898	54	123	177

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Alum.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	130	.....	130	39	.....	[illegible]
Queensland	.....	3	3	.....	1	
Tasmania	.....	5	5	.....	2	
New Zealand	.....	8	8	.....	4	
	130	16	146	39	7	[illegible]
Alunite.	cwt.		cwt.			
United Kingdom	27,440	.....	27,440	4,116	.....	4,1[illegible]
Ammunition. (See Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives.)						
Anchors.						
Australasia—		No.	No.			
Queensland	.....	86	.....	.....	243	
South Australia	.....	31	.....	.....	24	
Western Australia ...	.....	39	.....	.....	18	
New Zealand	.....	2	.....	.....	10	
Fiji	.....	68	.....	.....	45	
New Guinea	.....	26	.....	.....	51	
New Caledonia	.....	69	.....	.....	39	
Marshall Islands	.....	15	.....	.....	25	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	23	.....	.....	14	
South Sea Islands	.....	100	.....	.....	77	
	.....	459	459	.....	546	5[illegible]
Animals (Live).						
*Horses.**						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	3,504	54	3,558	70,426	1,660	72,0[illegible]
Queensland	†838	8	846	†4,540	850	5,3[illegible]
South Australia... ...	171	2	173	1,464	10	1,4[illegible]
Western Australia ...	773	.....	773	8,743	.....	8,7[illegible]
Tasmania	21	.....	21	329	.....	3[illegible]
New Zealand	468	8	476	3,134	1,000	4,1[illegible]
United Kingdom	3	.....	3	400	.....	4[illegible]
Fiji	373	.....	373	5,323	.....	5,3[illegible]
Hong Kong...	5	.....	5	102	.....	1[illegible]
India	1,666	.....	1,666	23,800	.....	23,8[illegible]
Ceylon	2	.....	2	250	.....	2[illegible]
New Guinea	3	.....	3	42	.....	
Straits Settlements ...	122	.....	122	2,156	.....	2,1[illegible]
China	27	1	28	525	15	5[illegible]
New Caledonia	20	.....	20	246	.....	2[illegible]
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	26	.....	26	333	.....	[illegible]
Java	54	.....	54	630	.....	[illegible]
South Sea Islands	8	.....	8	145	.....	[illegible]
Philippine Islands... ...	53	.....	53	760	.....	[illegible]
United States	1	1	2	100	[illegible]	[illegible]
	8,138	74	8,212	[illegible]		

* The large values are accounted for by the return of valuable rac[illegible] meetings held in New South Wales, and the despatch of New South W[illegible] meetings there. The traffic is chiefly by rail.

† The statistics have been adjusted in accordance with the C[illegible]

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

nd Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
(Live)—*continued.*						
Cattle.						
lasia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
oria	17,218	7,691	24,909	80,424	28,432	108,856
ensland	†6,339	6	6,345	†32,908	420	33,328
h Australia	53	8,575	8,628	318	41,717	42,035
tern Australia ...	3,545	.....	3,545	27,818	.....	27,818
nania	120	.....	120	1,200	.....	1,200
... ...	60	.....	60	311	.....	311
Kong	84	.....	84	473	.....	473
uinea	54	.....	54	273	.....	273
... ...	11	.....	11	100	.....	100
aledonia	1,823	.....	1,823	7,485	.....	7,485
all Islands	8	.....	8	30	.....	30
nmern (New Britain) ..	22	.....	22	123	.....	123
... ...	3	.....	3	30	.....	30
Sea Islands	76	.....	76	410	.....	410
pine Islands	32	.....	32	225	.....	225
	29,448	16,272	45,720	152,128	70,569	222,697
Sheep.						
lasia—	No.	No.	No.			
oria	603,515	7,383	610,898	178,988	2,727	181,715
ensland	†78,981	873	79,854	†47,709	6,455	54,164
h Australia	29,201	9,824	39,025	8,582	2,456	11,038
tern Australia ...	9,993	55	10,048	4,429	291	4,720
nania	728	41	769	635	4,715	5,350
Zealand	4	2	6	100	25	125
... ...	440	.....	440	211	.....	211
aledonia	3,157	.....	3,157	1,433	.....	1,433
all Islands	18	.....	18	10	.....	10
nmern (New Britain) ..	70	.....	70	35	.....	35
Sea Islands	293	.....	293	151	.....	151
	726,400	18,178	744,578	242,283	16,669	258,952
Pigs.						
lasia—	No.		No.			
oria	662	.....	.....	776	.....	
ensland	124	.....	.....	243	.....	
h Australia	1	.....	.....	1	.....	
tern Australia ...	940	.....	.....	999	.....	
... ...	154	.....	.....	137	.....	
... ...	11	.....	.....	12	.....	
..	5	.....	.....	8	.....	
	100	.....	.....	135	.....	
		.....	1,997	2,311	.....	2,311

* See Overland Stock Return of Queensland.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Animals (Live)—*continued.*						
Dogs.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
Victoria	17	2	19	131	13	14
Queensland	39	.....	39	112	.....	11
South Australia	4	1	5	15	5	2
Western Australia ...	6	.....	6	17	.....	1
Tasmania	1	.....	1	2	.....	
New Zealand	10	.....	10	22	.....	2
Fiji	1	.....	1	4	.....	
New Guinea	2	.....	2	4	.....	
Japan	2	.....	2	2	.....	
	82	3	85	309	18	32
Goats.	No.		No.			
Fiji	2	.....	2	2	.....	
Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Victoria	1	.....	.....	2	.....	
United Kingdom	5	.....	.....	30	.....	
Egypt	4	.....	.....	3	.....	
United States	1	.....	.....	2	.....	
	11	.....	11	37	.....	3
Antimony.						
Metal.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Queensland	31	.....	.....	50	.....	
United Kingdom	420	.....	.....	590	.....	
	451	.....	451	640	.....	64
Auriferous.	cwt.		cwt.			
United Kingdom	490	.....	490	632	.....	63
Ore.	cwt.		cwt.			
United Kingdom	1,454	.....	.....	484	.....	
Belgium	260	.....	.....	78	.....	
	1,714	.....	1,714	562	.....	56
Apparel (Wearing).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	26	239	265	386	7,803	8,18
Queensland	162	387	549	1,943	6,938	8,88
South Australia	28	253	281	492	5,235	5,7[illegible]
Western Australia ...	34	171	205	402	5,301	5,7[illegible]
Tasmania...	51	115	166	493	855	1,3[illegible]
New Zealand	14	113	127	97	2,243	2,3[illegible]
United Kingdom	.....	29	29	.....	779	[illegible]
Fiji	8	33	41	53	383	[illegible]
New Guinea	1	4	5	8	52	
Norfolk Island	.....	1	1	.....		
New Caledonia	3	10	13	18		
South Sea Islands	9	72	81	16		
United States	.....	12	12			
	336	1,439				

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
munition, and Explosives.						
fles, and Pistols.						
sia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
ia	.....	7	.....	.....	125	
sland	.....	64	.....	.....	693	
Australia	.....	7	.....	.....	101	
rn Australia ...	.....	12	.....	.....	160	
ealand	.....	13	.....	.....	161	
Kingdom	.....	1	.....	.....	10	
... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	37	
inea	.....	5	.....	.....	42	
edonia	.....	32	.....	.....	451	
nern (New Britain) ..	.....	1	.....	.....	25	
a Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	6	
	.....	146	146	.....	1,811	1,811
Ordnance.	No.		No.			
a Islands	5	.....	5	250	.....	250
Gun Caps.						
sia—		pkg.	pkg.			
sland	.....	6	.....	.....	16	
Zealand	.....	2	.....	.....	66	
a Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
	.....	9	9	.....	84	84
Shot.						
sia—		cwt.	cwt.			
ia	.....	162	.....	.....	164	
sland	.....	436	.....	.....	459	
Australia	.....	37	.....	.....	39	
rn Australia ...	.....	15	.....	.....	17	
Kingdom	.....	265	.....	.....	268	
... ...	.....	18	.....	.....	22	
inea	.....	4	.....	.....	4	
edonia	.....	52	.....	.....	53	
mern (New Britain) ..	.....	5	.....	.....	6	
a Islands	.....	71	.....	.....	76	
	.....	1,065	1,065	.....	1,108	1,108
ridges and Cartridge Cases.						
sia—		pkg.	pkg.			
ia	.....	3	.....	.....	9	
sland...	.....	50	.....	.....	250	
Australia	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
rn Australia ...	.....	5	.....	.....	42	
nia...	.....	40	.....	.....	96	
Zealand	.....	21	.....	.....	110	
... ...	.....	10	.....	.....	45	
[illegible]	.....	8	.....	.....	38	
[illegible] Britain) ..	.....	6	.....	.....	30	
[illegible] ...	.....	4	.....	.....	23	
	.....	148	148	.....	648	648

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives—*continued.*						
Powder (Sporting.)						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	148	.....	.....	16	
Queensland	.....	578	.....	.....	90	
South Australia... ...	.....	218	.....	.....	27	
Fiji	.....	578	.....	.....	56	
New Caledonia	.....	2,016	.....	.....	144	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	288	.....	.....	16	
South Sea Islands	.....	290	.....	.....	22	
	.....	4,116	4,116	.....	371	37
Powder (Blasting.)						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	130	.....	.....	4	
Queensland	.....	59,000	.....	.....	1,167	
Fiji	.....	4,500	.....	.....	98	
New Caledonia	.....	150	.....	.....	4	
	.....	63,780	63,780	.....	1,273	1,27
Fuse.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	19	.....	.....	109	
Queensland	.....	38	.....	.....	238	
South Australia	.....	10	.....	.....	61	
Western Australia ...	.....	55	.....	.....	366	
Tasmania...	.....	10	.....	.....	68	
New Zealand	.....	8	.....	.....	44	
Fiji	.....	4	.....	.....	25	
New Guinea	.....	1	.....	.....	9	
New Caledonia	.....	4	.....	.....	29	
	.....	149	149	.....	949	94
Dynamite and Lithofracteur.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	31,865	.....	.....	1,386	
Queensland	.....	54,750	.....	.....	4,309	
New Zealand	.....	19,630	.....	.....	1,472	
Fiji	.....	1,300	.....	.....	96	
New Caledonia	.....	50	.....	.....	4	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	700	.....	.....	57	
	.....	108,295	108,295	.....	7,324	7,32
Other Explosives.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Queensland	.....	16	.....	.....	331	
South Australia	.....	3	.....	.....	45	
Tasmania...	.....	3	.....	.....	36	
New Zealand	.....	10	.....	.....	115	
New Caledonia	.....	33	.....	.....	235	
Neu Pommern (New Britaio) ..	.....	1	.....	.....	8	
	.....	66	66	.....	770	
Asbestos.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	199	2				
Queensland	56	11				
Western Australia ...	135	.....				
	390	13				

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

nd Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
ɔt.						
asia—		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
ɔria	.....	4,244	.....	.....	51	
nsland	.....	4,394	.....	.....	58	
h Australia... ...	.....	328	.....	.....	4	
ɜrn Australia ...	.....	1,232	.....	.....	16	
Zealand	.....	4,760	.....	.....	61	
Kingdom	.....	11,320	.....	.....	132	
... ...	.....	2,050	.....	.....	20	
ıledonia	.....	233	.....	.....	3	
	.....	28,561	28,561	.....	345	345
asia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
ɔria	724	23	747	275	12	287
nsland	21	3,395	3,416	13	419	432
ern Australia ...	1,276	.....	1,276	607	.....	607
Zealand	.....	50	50	.....	22	22
	2,021	3,468	5,489	895	453	1,348
Sacks (other than Paper).						
Bran.						
asia—		doz.	doz.			
ria	.....	15,400	.....	.....	2,937	
nsland	.....	4,670	.....	.....	834	
ı Australia... ...	.....	8,200	.....	.....	1,655	
ern Australia ...	.....	2,850	.....	.....	606	
ania	.....	2,100	.....	.....	430	
Zealand	.....	2,450	.....	.....	492	
mern (New Britain) ..	.....	100	.....	.....	17	
	.....	35,770	35,770	.....	6,971	6,971
lico (Plain).						
asia—		pkg.	pkg.			
ria	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
Corksacks.						
asia—		doz.	doz.			
ria	.....	1,646	.....	.....	355	
nsland	.....	43,368	.....	.....	9,321	
ı Australia... ...	.....	42	.....	.....	9	
ern Australia ...	.....	257	.....	.....	54	
ania	.....	2,807	.....	.....	571	
Zealand	.....	10,704	.....	.....	2,380	
... ...	.....	3,540	.....	.....	772	
[illegible]	.....	727	.....	.....	155	
	.....	4,472	.....	.....	954	
		208	.....	.....	47	
		291	.....	.....	63	
		[illegible]	.....	.....	765	
			71,622	.....	15,446	15,446

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total
Bags and Sacks (other than Paper)—*continued.*						
Gunny and Ore.						
Australasia—		doz.	doz.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	1,774	.....	.....	311	
Queensland	.....	12,152	.....	.....	2,403	
South Australia	.....	3,810	.....	.....	311	
Western Australia ...	.....	217	.....	.....	23	
Tasmania	.....	3,065	.....	.....	340	
New Zealand	.....	16,270	.....	.....	1,645	
Fiji	.....	3,998	.....	.....	450	
New Caledonia	.....	32,545	.....	.....	3,887	
South Sea Islands	.....	100	.....	.....	12	
	.....	73,931	73,931	.....	9,382	9,[illegible]
Old.						
Australasia—		doz.	doz.			
Victoria	.....	15,849	.....	.....	2,012	
Queensland	.....	11,474	.....	.....	1,423	
South Australia	.....	96	.....	.....	7	
Tasmania	.....	1,375	.....	.....	180	
New Zealand	.....	6,733	.....	.....	822	
New Guinea	.....	14	.....	.....	2	
Norfolk Island	.....	16	.....	.....	2	
South Sea Islands	.....	42	.....	.....	6	
		35,599	35,599		4,454	4,[illegible]
Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1	2	3	6	3	
Queensland	.....	644	644	.....	1,342	1,3[illegible]
South Australia	.....	1	1	.....	8	
Western Australia ...	.....	1	1	.....	5	
Tasmania	.....	1	1	.....	1	
Fiji	.....	2	2	.....	6	
New Caledonia	.....	254	254	.....	39	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	376	376	.....	1,128	1,1[illegible]
South Sea Islands	.....	1	1	.....	2	
	1	1,282	1,283	6	2,534	2,5[illegible]
Bark (Non-medicinal).						
Wattle.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	310	.....	310	86	.....	[illegible]
Queensland	1,335	33,134	34,469	231	8,481	8,7[illegible]
New Zealand	.....	3,910	3,910	.....	1,174	1,1[illegible]
United Kingdom	2,280	2,400	4,680	557	760	1,3[illegible]
Fiji	20	.....	20	7	.....	
New Caledonia	20	.....	20	4	.....	
Germany	5	243	248	1	67	
Italy	4	.....	4	1	.....	
Japan	26	.....	26	6		
	4,000	39,687	43,687			
Other.		cwt.				
Fiji	.....	9				

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

d Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
nd Basket-ware.						
asia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
ria	7	8	15	2	18	20
nsland	20	32	52	32	94	126
Australia	7	5	12	8	8	16
ern Australia ...	6	2	8	14	10	24
ania	8	25	33	16	48	64
Zealand	48	3	51	19	7	26
n Dominion ...	2	.....	2	6	.....	6
... ...	11	.....	11	17	.....	17
uinea	3	.....	3	4	.....	4
ledonia	18	.....	18	26	.....	26
mern (New Britain) ..	4	.....	4	27	.....	27
ea Islands	84	.....	84	66	.....	66
	218	75	293	237	185	422
mer.						
asia—		cwt.	cwt.			
nsland	.....	50	.....	.....	150	
ong...	.....	559	.....	.....	1,556	
	.....	609	609	.....	1,706	1,706
.						
asia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ria	.....	94	94	.....	468	468
nsland	4	940	944	8	5,625	5,633
Australia... ...	3	25	28	2	115	117
ern Australia ...	.....	48	48	.....	263	263
ania	.....	3	3	.....	13	13
Zealand	.....	29	29	.....	130	130
... ...	3	72	75	7	132	139
ledonia	.....	7	7	.....	46	46
mern (New Britain) ..	.....	5	5	.....	31	31
ea Islands	.....	27	27	.....	79	79
	10	1,250	1,260	17	6,902	6,919
le and Beer.)						
asia—	pkg.		pkg.			
ern Australia ...	1	.....	.....	1	.....	
Zealand	2	.....	.....	11	.....	
	3	.....	3	12	.....	12
rs' Material.						
asia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ria	.....	7	7	.....	11	11
nsland	.....	12	12	.....	74	74
Australia	2	5	7	10	12	22
alia ...	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
...	8	1	9	6	2	8
	.....	1	1	.....	10	10
		10	10	.....	23	23
		37	47	16	135	151

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total
Belting (Leather).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	2	32	34	6	136	
Queensland	83	42	125	2,193	542	2,
South Australia	9	.....	9	142	.....	
Western Australia ...	10	7	17	407	479	
Tasmania	17	2	19	196	15	
New Zealand	6	.....	6	59	.....	
United Kingdom	.....	1	1	.....	30	
Fiji	4	10	14	62	119	
New Caledonia	.....	1	1	.....	6	
Japan	4	.....	4	195	.....	
	135	95	230	3,260	1,327	4
Bicycles, Tricycles, and parts thereof.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	882	.....	.....	12,584	
Queensland	.....	195	.....	.....	3,594	
South Australia	.....	155	.....	.....	2,485	
Western Australia ...	.....	81	.....	.....	2,424	
Tasmania	.....	45	.....	.....	736	
New Zealand	.....	143	.....	.....	2,977	
United Kingdom	.....	6	.....	.....	145	
Fiji	.....	6	.....	.....	40	
India	.....	1	.....	.....	30	
New Caledonia	.....	8	.....	.....	93	
	.....	1,522	1,522	.....	25,108	25,
Billiard Tables and Materials.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	14	13	27	117	180	
Queensland	.....	2	2	.....	6	
South Australia	.....	5	5	.....	40	
Western Australia ...	11	17	28	175	221	3
Fiji	.....	2	2	.....	40	
	25	39	64	292	487	7
Birds.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Victoria	26	.....	.....	56	.....	
Queensland	69	.....	.....	156	.....	
South Australia ...	1	.....	.....	2	.....	
Tasmania	2	.....	.....	3	.....	
New Zealand	1	.....	.....	1	.....	
United Kingdom	1	.....	.....	20	.....	
Cape Colony	8	.....	.....	20	.....	
New Guinea	2	.....	.....	4	.....	
Belgium	7	.....	.....	73	.....	
France	18	.....	.....	81	.....	
New Caledonia	1	.....	.....	2	.....	
Germany	68	.....	.....	10[illegible]		
Japan	3	.....	.....			
United States	7		.....			
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No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

ıd Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
asia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
ria	88	484	572	3	11	14
nsland	82,193	908	83,101	2,744	23	2,767
ı Australia	1,732	.....	1,732	44	.....	44
ern Australia ...	7,944	.....	7,944	184	.....	184
ania	336	.....	336	8	.....	8
Zealand	11,772	.....	11,772	145	.....	145
Kingdom	.....	216	216	.....	6	6
... ...	55,275	.....	55,275	615	.....	615
ninea	24,986	120	25,106	263	5	268
Island	3,300	.....	3,300	36	.....	36
ledonia	60,453	.....	60,453	720	.....	720
ll Islands	55,000	.....	55,000	550	.....	550
mern (New Britain) ..	19,412	.....	19,412	190	.....	190
... ...	1,456	.....	1,456	17	.....	17
ea Islands	188,414	48	188,462	2,017	3	2,020
ine Islands... ...	.....	149	149	.....	2	2
States	.....	20	20	.....	1	1
	512,361	1,945	514,306	7,536	51	7,587
Ore.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Kingdom	.....	62	62	.....	180	180
ıy	820	.....	820	490	.....	490
	820	62	882	490	180	670
and Boot Polish.						
asia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ria	.....	14	14	.....	18	18
nsland	33	49	82	41	232	273
ı Australia... ...	13	9	22	15	13	28
ern Australia ...	15	5	20	19	8	27
ania	.....	6	6	.....	20	20
Zealand	57	14	71	71	41	112
Kingdom	.....	6	6	.....	10	10
... ...	.....	7	7	.....	16	16
ıledonia	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
	118	111	229	146	359	505
asia—		pkg.	pkg.			
ria	.....	11	.....	.....	126	
nsland	.....	21	.....	.....	269	
h Australia... ...	.....	12	.....	.....	60	
... ...	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	28	
...	.....	5	.....	.....	40	
...	.....	1	.....	.....	6	
	.....	53	53	.....	531	531

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tota
Blue.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	
Victoria	.....	359	359	.....	8	
Queensland	1,634	22,497	24,131	40	587	
South Australia	1,456	1,976	3,432	30	49	
Western Australia ...	.....	1,754	1,754	.....	40	
Tasmania	.....	17,064	17,064	.....	427	
New Zealand	.....	24,361	24,361	.....	605	
Fiji	.....	2,144	2,144	.....	44	
New Caledonia	.....	4,992	4,992	.....	126	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	256	256	.....	7	
South Sea Islands	.....	742	742	.....	18	
	3,090	76,145	79,235	70	1,911	1,
Boats.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	3	1	4	57	20	
Queensland	8	1	9	203	20	
South Australia	2	.....	2	72	.....	
Western Australia ...	6	.....	6	63	.....	
Tasmania	1	.....	1	7	.....	
New Zealand	.....	1	1	.....	100	
United Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	15	
Fiji	1	.....	1	150	.....	
New Guinea	3	.....	3	60	.....	
Norfolk Island	2	.....	2	35	.....	
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	8	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	24	.....	24	607	.....	
South Sea Islands	33	.....	33	726	.....	
	83	6	89	1,980	163	2,
Bones.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	4,726	.....	4,726	555	.....	
Queensland	100	.....	100	5	.....	
South Australia	1,245	.....	1,245	62	.....	
Tasmania	2,567	640	3,207	513	128	
New Zealand	39,126	9,780	48,906	7,656	1,939	9,
United Kingdom	8,910	2,970	11,880	1,385	462	1,
Belgium	355	.....	355	89	.....	
France	4,124	1,374	5,498	698	285	
Germany	79	.....	79	19	.....	
Japan	5,001	2,500	7,501	1,144	872	
	66,233	17,264	83,497	12,126	3,686	
Books. (See Paper, Books, &c.)						

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Boots and Shoes.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	47	236	283	597	3,647	4,244
Queensland	44	807	851	517	15,009	15,526
South Australia	302	438	740	8,377	5,585	13,962
Western Australia ...	123	401	524	3,252	7,271	10,523
Tasmania	19	286	305	366	3,344	3,710
New Zealand	3	269	272	32	2,603	2,635
United Kingdom	.....	28	28	.....	400	400
Fiji	44	72	116	521	778	1,299
India	.....	3	3	.....	36	36
New Guinea	8	3	11	89	23	112
Norfolk Island	2	4	6	18	60	78
New Caledonia	26	6	32	404	94	498
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	3	5	8	36	48	84
South Sea Islands	32	71	103	421	639	1,060
United States	.....	6	6	.....	81	81
	653	2,635	3,288	14,630	39,618	54,248
Boot Uppers.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	2	2	.....	106	106
Queensland	.....	4	4	.....	105	105
South Australia	.....	1	1	.....	20	20
Western Australia ...	3	1	4	77	8	85
	3	8	11	77	239	316
Bottles (Empty).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1	349	350	2	230	232
Queensland...	1,159	13,979	15,138	1,289	2,629	3,918
South Australia	26	6,429	6,455	36	963	999
Western Australia ...	54	294	348	38	101	139
Tasmania	184	288	472	563	328	891
New Zealand	1,821	18,813	20,634	2,610	9,141	11,751
United Kingdom	.....	158	158	.....	35	35
Fiji	46	27	73	51	43	94
New Caledonia	9	11	20	10	33	43
Marshall Islands	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
South Sea Islands	.....	8	8	.....	13	13
	3,300	40,358	43,658	4,599	13,519	18,118
Brassware.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	3	28	31	6	154	160
Queensland	3	52	55	21	559	580
South Australia ...	2	5	7	7	11	18
Western Australia ...	6	12	18	29	53	82
Tasmania	.....	5	5	.....	56	56
New Zealand	.....	13	13	.....	58	58
United Kingdom	1	16	17	5	277	282
Cape Colony	1	.....	1	27	.....	27
Fiji	.....	7	7	.....	30	30
New Caledonia	1	9	10	2	84	86
	17	147	164	97	1,282	1,379

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Bricks.						
Building.						
Australasia—	No.		No.	£	£	£
Victoria	94,910	.....	.....	120	.....	
Queensland	18,250	.....	.....	27	.....	
Western Australia ...	71,484	.....	.....	120	.....	
Cape Colony	9,200	.....	.....	12	.....	
Fiji	18,330	.....	.....	28	.....	
New Guinea	667	.....	.....	2	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	12,950	.....	.....	24	.....	
South Sea Islands	5,333	.....	.....	8	.....	
	231,124	.....	231,124	341	.....	34
Fire.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Queensland	2,000	30,150	32,150	12	223	2
Fiji	3,249	.....	3,249	24	.....	
	5,249	30,150	35,399	36	223	2
Bridge Material.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	23	2	25	300	8	3
Western Australia ...	19	.....	19	100	.....	1
Fiji	.....	11	11	.....	69	
	42	13	55	400	77	4
Bronze Coin. (See Coin.)						
Brushware and Brooms.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	159	87	246	81	392	4
Queensland	1,087	78	1,165	622	274	8
South Australia	18	17	35	27	65	
Western Australia ...	95	66	161	62	146	2
Tasmania	119	289	408	61	556	61
New Zealand	.....	26	26	.....	222	22
United Kingdom	.....	1	1	.....	32	3
Cape Colony	43	2	45	21	11	3
Fiji	10	17	27	20	39	5
New Guinea	4	1	5	10	2	1
Norfolk Island	3	2	5	2	7	
New Caledonia	7	16	23	5	45	5
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	3	3	.....	10	1
South Sea Islands	6	9	15	9	13	2
	1,551	614	2,165	920	1,814	2,73
Brushmakers' Materials.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	366	301	667	1,072	597	1,6
Queensland	116	17	133	340	64	4
South Australia	6	.....	6	18	.....	
Western Australia ...	.....	2	2	.....	5	
Tasmania	2	35	37	13	44	
New Zealand	44	.....	44	125	.....	
	534	355	889	1,568	710	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Building Materials (not otherwise enumerated).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	35	41	76	13	103	116
Queensland	313	21	334	204	63	267
South Australia	42	56	98	15	123	138
Western Australia ...	238	50	288	970	171	1,141
Tasmania	9	.....	9	16	.....	16
New Zealand	.....	2	2	.....	11	11
Cape Colony	11	.....	11	220	.....	220
Fiji	1	1	2	2	1	3
New Guinea	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
New Caledonia	2	.....	2	5	.....	5
South Sea Islands	4	8	12	23	14	37
	657	179	836	1,471	486	1,957
Bungs. (See Corks and Bungs.)						
Butter.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	26,285	1,294	27,579	968	52	1,020
Queensland	539,459	48,670	588,129	21,823	2,044	23,867
South Australia	40,918	7,408	48,326	1,724	312	2,036
Western Australia ...	46,573	2,510	49,083	1,972	68	2,040
Tasmania	488	540	1,028	21	22	43
New Zealand	.....	1,028	1,028	.....	40	40
United Kingdom	1,741,272	42,912	1,784,184	68,802	1,810	70,612
Canadian Dominion ...	1,110	8,006	9,116	55	382	437
Cape Colony	78,872	14,368	93,240	3,368	617	3,985
Fiji	1,694	832	2,526	71	34	105
Hong Kong	4,010	770	4,780	182	34	216
Ceylon	784	.....	784	32	.....	32
Malta	14,560	.....	14,560	584	.....	584
New Guinea	1,556	1,192	2,748	68	49	117
Straits Settlements ...	1,216	.....	1,216	57	.....	57
Belgium	8,261	.....	8,261	345	.....	345
Chili...	.....	544	544	.....	25	25
China	2,360	.....	2,360	123	.....	123
France	112	.....	112	4	.....	4
New Caledonia	32,408	10,552	42,960	1,338	420	1,758
New Pommern (New Britain) ..	972	84	1,056	41	4	45
Hawaiian Islands	3,166	.....	3,166	133	.....	133
Japan	1,564	.....	1,564	68	.....	68
Netherlands	11,200	.....	11,200	450	.....	450
Java...	2,120	.....	2,120	75	.....	75
South Sea Islands	4,846	392	5,238	198	15	213
Caroline Islands	.....	180	180	.....	5	5
	2,565,806	141,282	2,707,088	102,502	5,933	108,435
Cabbage-tree Palm.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Queensland	9	.....	9	15	.....	15

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.	
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.
Candles.					
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£
Victoria	.....	29,565	29,565	.....	509
Queensland	2,827	93,860	96,687	62	1,872
South Australia	375	1,300	1,675	7	26
Western Australia ...	16,972	43,675	60,647	347	870
Tasmania	.....	24,710	24,710	.....	491
New Zealand	625	5,548	6,173	12	111
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	50	50	.....	1
Cape Colony	1,700	.....	1,700	33	.....
Fiji	275	5,325	5,600	5	114
New Guinea	.....	1,800	1,800	.....	36
Norfolk Island	.....	750	750	.....	16
New Caledonia	1,825	28,038	29,863	36	521
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	150	150	.....	3
South Sea Islands	175	1,680	1,855	4	33
	24,774	236,451	261,225	506	4,603
Canes, Willows, and Rattans.					
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.		
Victoria	.....	174	.....	.....	135
Queensland	.....	1,178	.....	.....	225
South Australia... ...	.....	226	.....	.....	43
Western Australia ...	.....	31	.....	.....	10
Tasmania	.....	112	.....	.....	98
New Zealand	.....	795	.....	.....	294
	.....	2,516	2,516	.....	805
Canvas.					
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.		
Victoria	.....	31	.....	.....	374
Queensland	.....	140	.....	.....	1,516
South Australia	.....	15	.....	.....	184
Western Australia ...	.....	55	.....	.....	682
Tasmania	.....	6	.....	.....	105
New Zealand	.....	33	.....	.....	581
Fiji	.....	57	.....	.....	570
New Guinea	.....	8	.....	.....	41
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	9
Marshall Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	10
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	1	.....	.....	21
South Sea Islands	.....	4	.....	.....	26
	.....	352	352	.....	4,119
Carpeting and Druggeting.					
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.		
Victoria	.....	26	.....	.....	127
Queensland	.....	32	.....	.....	235
South Australia... ...	.....	3	.....	.....	18
Western Australia ...	.....	14	.....	.....	315
Tasmania	.....	7	.....	.....	45
New Zealand	.....	5	.....	.....	57
United Kingdom	.....	2	.....	.....	30
Fiji	.....	3	.....	.....	10
New Caledonia	.....	2	.....	.....	9
South Sea Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	2
	.....	95	95	.....	84

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

...ds and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
...ges (complete), Carts, ... *Carriages.*						
...ralasia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
...ctoria	54	6	60	895	198	1,093
...ueensland	12	8	20	586	425	1,011
...uth Australia	10	13	23	145	231	376
Western Australia ...	204	26	230	2,973	455	3,428
...smania	1	1	2	70	45	115
...ew Zealand	19	4	23	772	125	897
...ed Kingdom	.....	1	1	.....	30	30
... ...	2	.....	2	21	.....	21
...a	3	.....	3	65	.....	65
...folk Island	.....	1	1	.....	15	15
...Caledonia	1	.....	1	12	.....	12
...Pomnern (New Britain) ..	3	.....	3	80	.....	80
...h Sea Islands	1	1	2	40	35	75
...ed States	.....	1	1	.....	10	10
	310	62	372	5,659	1,569	7,228
...*rts and Waggons.*						
...ralasia—	No.	No.	No.			
...ctoria	33	12	45	470	189	659
...ueensland	2	.....	2	20	.....	20
...uth Australia	11	1	12	338	12	350
Western Australia ...	111	9	120	1,323	121	1,444
...ew Zealand	13	.....	13	180	.....	180
... ...	2	2	4	15	15	30
...Guinea	2	.....	2	34	.....	34
...folk Island	3	.....	3	27	.....	27
...Caledonia	4	.....	4	99	.....	99
...h Sea Islands	40	.....	40	376	.....	376
	221	24	245	2,882	337	3,219
...ge Makers' Materials.* (Exclusive of Tools.)						
...ralasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
...ctoria	8,494	50	8,544	529	281	810
...ueensland	486	948	1,434	49	1,501	1,550
...uth Australia	1,156	24	1,180	98	53	151
...estern Australia ...	351	260	611	447	535	982
...smania	21	136	157	18	310	328
...ew Zealand	2,837	1,002	3,839	2,919	1,989	4,908
...ed Kingdom	418	2	420	120	10	130
... Colony	53	.....	53	36	.....	36
... ...	8	6	14	22	50	72
...Guinea	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
...Caledonia	20	43	63	18	215	233
Pomnern (New Britain) ..	15	.....	15	20	.....	20
...h Sea Islands	17	3	20	40	5	45
	13,877	2,474	16,351	4,318	4,949	9,267

* Includes chiefly Spokes and Felloes.

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Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tota
Cement.						
Australasia—	brls.	brls.	brls.	£	£	£
Victoria	3	4,397	4,400	2	1,934	1,
Queensland	.....	17,429	17,429	.....	7,677	7,
South Australia	.....	62	62	.....	26	
Western Australia ...	.....	7,834	7,834	.....	3,494	3,
Tasmania	.....	10	10	.....	4	
New Zealand	.....	2,469	2,469	.....	1,019	1,
Fiji	.....	588	588	.....	254	
Hong Kong	.....	34	34	.....	15	
New Guinea	.....	34	34	.....	15	
Norfolk Island	.....	4	4	.....	2	
France	.....	2	2	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	511	511	.....	213	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	215	215	.....	93	
South Sea Islands	14	326	340	9	145	
Caroline Islands	.....	51	51	.....	25	
United States	.....	4	4	.....	2	
	17	33,970	33,987	11	14,919	14,
Chaff. (See Hay and Chaff.)						
Chalk. (See Whiting and Chalk.)						
Charcoal.						
Wood.						
Australasia—	tons.		tons.			
Victoria	11	... ..	11	19	.....	
Animal.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Western Australia ...	2	.....	2	1	.....	
New Zealand	67	140	207	16	35	
United Kingdom	.....	3,300	3,300	.....	495	
	69	3,440	3,509	17	530	
Cheese.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	7,116	46,279	53,395	136	781	
Queensland	27,194	3,138	30,332	483	75	
South Australia	26,939	13,209	40,148	490	228	
Western Australia ...	35,782	15,444	51,226	688	325	1,
Tasmania...	125	817	942	2	37	
New Zealand	.....	3,190	3,190	.....	70	
United Kingdom	493	2 320	2,813	11	49	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	751	751	.....	16	
Cape Colony	13,294	2,313	15,607	232	47	
Fiji	2,187	2,834	5,021	44	70	
Hong Kong...	318	1,010	1,328	6	21	
Ceylon	916	180	1,096	17	4	
New Guinea	511	250	761	10	6	
China	67	.....	67	1	.....	
France	.....	364	364	.....	8	
New Caledonia	24,988	27,357	52,345	463	641	1,
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	146	67	213	3	3	
Hawaiian Islands	539	.....	539	10	.....	
Japan	200	.....	200	4	.....	
Russia—Kamtchatka ...	.....	45	45	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	842	3,022	3,864	18	72	
Philippine Islands... ...	120	.....	120	2	.....	
United States	.....	433	433	.....	11	
	141,777	123,023	264,800	2,620	2,465	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
Chemical Products (not otherwise enumerated).*						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	74	3,815	3,889	113	6,345	6,458
Queensland	130	1,385	1,515	390	4,248	4,638
South Australia	1	341	342	5	1,069	1,074
Western Australia ...	12	136	148	17	736	753
Tasmania...	9	122	131	20	337	357
New Zealand	48	686	734	37	2,062	2,099
Fiji	6	9	15	15	17	32
Hong Kong	3	6	9	3	23	26
New Guinea	8	1	9	6	2	8
New Caledonia	.....	167	167	.....	943	943
Germany	11	.....	11	25	.....	25
New Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	7	7	.....	9	9
South Sea Islands	.....	2	2	.....	7	7
	302	6,677	6,979	631	15,798	16,429
Chicory.						
Raw.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	224	.....	224	3	.....	3
New Zealand	.....	1,120	1,120	.....	9	9
	224	1,120	1,344	3	9	12
Prepared.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	280	.....	.....	3	
Queensland	.....	1,344	.....	.....	12	
	.....	1,624	1,624	.....	15	15
Chinaware and Porcelain. (See also Earthenware.)						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	34	.....	.....	243	
Queensland	.....	25	.....	.....	107	
South Australia	.....	7	.....	.....	62	
Western Australia ...	.....	14	.....	.....	178	
Tasmania	.....	7	.....	.....	61	
New Zealand	.....	7	.....	.....	40	
Fiji	.....	7	.....	.....	33	
India	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
New Guinea	.....	3	.....	.....	13	
Germany	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
South Sea Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
	.....	107	107	.....	749	749
Chinese Goods (Fancy Goods).						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Queensland	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
South Australia	.....	23	.....	.....	53	
New Zealand	.....	11	.....	.....	105	
Fiji	.....	5	.....	.....	8	
Hong Kong	.....	2	.....	.....	4	
	.....	42	42	.....	172	172
Chinese Provisions.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	13	.....	.....	21	
Queensland	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
South Australia	.....	26	.....	.....	36	
Western Australia ...	.....	1	.....	.....	6	
Fiji	.....	4	.....	.....	9	
New Caledonia	.....	5	.....	.....	15	
South Sea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	2	
	.....	52	52	.....	91	91

* Exclusive of medicines.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	To
Chocolate. (See Cocoa and Chocolate.)						
Chrome Ore.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	
United Kingdom	70,715	97,918	168,633	10,227	16,053	2
Belgium	6,320	11,360	17,680	1,053	1,700	
	77,035	109,278	186,313	11,280	17,753	2
Cider and Perry.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Queensland	.....	8	.....	.....	2	
Tasmania	.....	6	.....	.....	2	
United Kingdom	.....	12	.....	.....	4	
Fiji	.....	96	.....	.....	29	
New Guinea	.....	8	.....	.....	2	
	.....	130	130	.....	39	
Clocks. (See Watches and Clocks.)						
Coal.						
Australasia—	tons.		tons.			
Victoria	714,666	.....	.....	250,622	.....	
Queensland	27,724	.....	.....	9,745	.....	
South Australia	290,318	.....	.....	106,445	.....	
Western Australia ...	150,969	.....	.....	55,272	.....	
Tasmania	57,074	.....	.....	18,644	.....	
New Zealand	131,045	.....	.....	41,368	.....	
United Kingdom	7,224	.....	.....	2,442	.....	
Cape Colony	684	.....	.....	256	.....	
Fiji	16,128	.....	.....	6,299	.....	
Hong Kong...	40,817	.....	.....	15,790	.....	
India	76,908	.....	.....	27,763	.....	
Ceylon	11,440	.....	.....	4,084	.....	
Mauritius	8,466	.....	.....	3,228	.....	
New Guinea	1,960	.....	.....	692	.....	
Straits Settlements ...	42,804	.....	.....	16,240	.....	
Chili	310,580	.....	.....	114,912	.....	
China	8,890	.....	.....	4,650	.....	
Ecuador	1,242	.....	.....	435	.....	
Cochin China	1,606	.....	.....	471	.....	
New Caledonia	19,309	.....	.....	7,059	.....	
Tahiti	1,744	.....	.....	545	.....	
Marshall Islands	353	.....	.....	170	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	602	.....	.....	270	.....	
Hawaiian Islands	55,224	.....	.....	20,542	.....	
Japan	460	.....	.....	172	.....	
Mexico	15,160	.....	.....	5,680	.....	
Celebes	2,576	.....	.....	1,370	.....	
Java...	37,387	.....	.....	13,521	.....	
Timor	60	.....	.....	30	.....	
Panama	21,903	.....	.....	8,319	.....	
Peru	42,901	.....	.....	16,115	.....	
South Sea Islands	6,123	.....	.....	2,330	.....	
Caroline Islands	252	.....	.....	120	.....	
Philippine Islands	66,582	.....	.....	24,743	.....	
United States	303,726	.....	.....	119,920	.....	
	2,474,907	.....	2,474,907	900,264	.....	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

d Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
e.		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Kingdom	.....	5,590	5,590	.....	1,950	1,950
epared) and Chocolate.						
asia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
ria	508	13,449	13,957	38	902	940
nsland	.....	44,416	44,416	.....	2,447	2,447
Australia ...	87	8,024	8,111	6	425	431
ern Australia ...	.....	2,642	2,642	.....	283	283
ania	.....	4,862	4,862	.....	317	317
Zealand	.....	4,272	4,272	.....	514	514
Kingdom	.....	3,046	3,046	.....	147	147
n Dominion ...	.....	72	72	.....	5	5
... ...	.....	1,386	1,386	.....	149	149
... ...	.....	12	12	.....	1	1
uinea	.....	114	114	.....	11	11
Island	.....	36	36	.....	2	2
... ...	.....	213	213	.....	13	13
ledonia	.....	62	62	.....	9	9
ea Islands	28	741	769	1	54	55
States	.....	92	92	.....	5	5
	623	83,439	84,062	45	5,284	5,329
aw).						
asia—		lb.	lb.			
ria	.....	2,404	2,404	.....	90	90
Raw.						
asia—		lb.	lb.			
ria	.....	113,988	.....	.....	4,205	
nsland	.....	8,497	.....	.....	371	
Australia	.....	5,082	.....	.....	181	
Zealand	.....	13,674	.....	.....	686	
Kingdom	.....	23,520	.....	.....	705	
... ...	.....	708	.....	.....	32	
uinea	.....	1,950	.....	.....	100	
ledonia	.....	311	.....	.....	14	
ll Islands	.....	448	.....	.....	21	
ea Islands	.....	5,052	.....	.....	241	
... ...	.....	144	.....	.....	4	
	.....	173,374	173,374	.....	6,560	6,560
Prepared.						
asia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
ria	4,156	492	4,648	202	25	227
nsland	84	3,393	3,477	5	183	188
Australia	392	432	824	19	18	37
ern Australia ...	352	300	652	14	15	29
ania	224	.....	224	12	.....	12
Zealand	.....	336	336	.....	17	17
... ...	6,288	644	6,932	288	29	317
Kong	.....	47	47	.....	3	3
uinea	.....	36	36	.....	2	2
ledonia	224	28	252	9	1	10
ll Islands	1,120	.....	1,120	56	.....	56
ea Islands	465	1,318	1,783	19	68	87
	13,305	7,026	20,331	624	361	985

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Coin.						
Gold.						
Australasia—	boxes.	boxes.	boxes.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	3	3	.....	1,430	1,43
Queensland	.....	17	17	.....	85,000	85,00
South Australia	.....	14	14	.....	64,100	64,10
Western Australia ...	.....	20	20	.....	100,000	100,00
New Zealand	.....	10	10	.....	50,000	50,00
United Kingdom	140	167	307	721,456	761,883	1,483,33
Hong Kong	.....	221	221	.....	135,225	135,22
France	.....	2	2	.....	620	62
New Caledonia	.....	1	1	.....	1,000	1,00
Germany	.....	2	2	.....	4,000	4,00
South Sea Islands	.....	5	5	.....	530	53
United States	139	202	341	695,000	982,742	1,677,74
	279	664	943	1,416,456	2,186,530	3,602,98
Silver.						
Australasia—		boxes.	boxes.			
Victoria	.....	7	.....	.....	908	
Queensland	.....	15	.....	.....	4,432	
New Zealand	.....	21	.....	.....	4,200	
France	.....	2	.....	.....	495	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	100	
Marshall Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	1,000	
South Sea Islands	.....	15	.....	.....	1,799	
United States	.....	3	.....	.....	356	
	.....	66	66	.....	13,290	13,29
Bronze.						
Australasia—		boxes.	boxes.			
Queensland	.....	35	.....	.....	357	
Western Australia ...	.....	4	.....	.....	50	
New Zealand	.....	55	.....	.....	550	
	.....	94	94	.....	957	95
Coke.						
Australasia—	tons.		tons.			
Victoria	891	.....	.....	1,122	.....	
Queensland	8	.....	.....	10	.....	
South Australia	1,737	.....	.....	1,088	.....	
Western Australia ...	21	.....	.....	26	.....	
Tasmania	1,829	.....	.....	1,179	.....	
New Zealand	260	.....	.....	325	.....	
Fiji	5	.....	.....	5	.....	
New Caledonia	7	.....	.....	8	.....	
Peru	673	.....	.....	757	.....	
South Sea Islands	3	.....	.....	3	.....	
	5,434	.....	5,434	4,523	.....	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Countries to which exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
ry.						
ia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
a	362	3,343	3,705	11	95	106
land	1,966	7,104	9,070	75	266	341
Australia	513	504	1,017	14	29	43
n Australia ...	2,596	5,225	7,821	58	139	197
nia	70	60	130	4	3	7
ealand	.....	1,133	1,133	.....	59	59
... ...	4,790	100	4,890	120	3	123
nea	200	14	214	5	1	6
sland	112	.....	112	3	.....	3
ttlements ...	56	.....	56	2	.....	2
donia	3,199	35	3,234	67	2	69
ern (New Britain) ..	192	.....	192	7	.....	7
Islands	3,710	.....	3,710	79	.....	79
	17,766	17,518	35,284	445	597	1,042
Ingots.						
ia—	cwt.		cwt.			
a	1,090	.....	.....	2,591	.....	
land	781	.....	.....	1,881	.....	
n Australia ...	85	.....	.....	205	.....	
nia	2	.....	.....	5	.....	
ealand	575	.....	.....	1,380	.....	
ingdom	76,668	.....	.....	174,736	.....	
... ...	46	.....	.....	110	.....	
	*79,247	.....	79,247	*180,908	.....	180,908
l and Bar.						
ia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
a	1	4	5	3	19	22
land	.....	69	69	.....	172	172
Australia ...	.....	8	8	.....	33	33
n Australia ...	.....	3	3	.....	27	27
ealand	.....	5	5	.....	15	15
... ...	.....	5	5	.....	16	16
nea	.....	4	4	.....	9	9
donia	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
	1	99	100	3	294	297
Sheet.						
ia—		pkg.	pkg.			
land	.....	34	.....	.....	169	
nia	.....	4	.....	.....	5	
ealand	.....	10	.....	.....	14	
... ...	.....	6	.....	.....	75	
nea	.....	1	.....	.....	8	
	.....	55	55	.....	271	271
Wire.						
ia—		pkg.	pkg.			
ia	.....	10	.....	.....	12	
Australia	.....	3	.....	.....	9	
donia	.....	2	.....	.....	11	
	.....	15	15	.....	32	32

* Includes Copper refined from both New South Wales and imported ores.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tot
Copper—*continued.*						
Contained in Matte.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	
South Australia	4,880	.....	4,880	9,062	.....	9
United Kingdom	4,933	1,905	6,838	10,266	4,191	14
	9,813	1,905	11,718	19,328	4,191	23
Ore.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
South Australia	297	.....	297	75	.....	
Copra.		cwt.	cwt.			
United Kingdom	.....	121,847	.....	.....	61,208	
Belgium	.....	840	.....	.....	420	
Chili	.....	9,129	.....	.....	4,570	
	.....	131,816	131,816	.....	66,198	66
Cordage and Rope (exclusive of Wire Rope).						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	126	155	281	233	383	
Queensland	415	421	836	550	1,172	1
South Australia ...	20	107	127	44	344	
Western Australia ...	275	121	396	626	336	
Tasmania	1,082	57	1,139	2,588	175	2
New Zealand	555	642	1,197	1,290	1,913	3
Fiji	303	204	507	641	479	1
Hong Kong...	.....	2	2	.....	4	
Mauritius	.....	4	4	.....	7	
New Guinea	10	84	94	20	175	
Norfolk Island	6	6	12	14	16	
New Caledonia	194	75	269	404	146	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	4	37	41	9	76	
Italy	.....	2	2	.....	3	
South Sea Islands	22	131	153	42	267	
Caroline Islands	.....	4	4	.....	10	
	3,012	2,052	5,064	6,461	5,506	11
Cordage (Old).						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Victoria	4,321	.....	.....	1,380	.....	
United Kingdom	200	.....	.....	73	.....	
	4,521	.....	4,521	1,453	.....	1
Cordials.						
Not containing spirit.						
Australasia—	doz. bottles.	doz. bottles.	doz. bottles.			
Victoria	82	12	94	44	5	
Queensland	259	.....	259	182	.....	
South Australia... ...	174	50	224	79	27	
Western Australia ...	.....	5	5	.....	3	
United Kingdom	.....	8	8	.....	3	
Fiji	26	.....	26	8	.....	
New Guinea	.....	6	6	.....	2	4
New Caledonia	.....	20	20	.....	10	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	12	.....	12	5	.....	
South Sea Islands	8	2	10	4	1	
	561	103	664	322	[illegible]	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
nd Bungs.						
alasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
toria	1	28	29	3	151	154
eensland	8	123	131	8	964	972
ith Australia... ...	.....	56	56	.....	262	262
estern Australia ...	.....	52	52	.....	383	383
smania	.....	6	6	.....	41	41
w Zealand	.....	48	48	.....	265	265
d Kingdom	.....	142	142	.....	1,180	1,180
.. ..	.....	11	11	.....	45	45
lk Island	.....	3	3	.....	2	2
Caledonia	.....	3	3	.....	22	22
ommern (New Britain) ..	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
Sea Islands	.....	2	2	.....	4	4
	9	475	484	11	3,320	3,331
Raw.						
a	.....	pkg. 83	pkg. 83	.....	45	45
Wick.						
alasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
eensland	.....	2	.....	.....	7	
ith Australia... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	3	
estern Australia ...	.....	1	.....	.....	33	
smania	.....	10	.....	.....	20	
w Zealand	.....	2	.....	.....	32	
.. ..	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
ommern (New Britain) ..	.....	1	.....	.....	7	
Sea Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	4	
	.....	20	20		108	108
Waste.						
alasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
eensland	.....	96	.....	.....	606	
ith Australia... ...	.....	8	.....	.....	30	
estern Australia ...	.....	16	.....	.....	80	
smania	.....	5	.....	.....	45	
w Zealand	.....	9	.....	.....	67	
... ...	.....	8	.....	.....	38	
Caledonia	.....	6	.....	.....	41	
Sea Islands	.....	11	.....	.....	78	
	.....	159	159	.....	985	985
of Tartar.						
alasia—		lb.	lb.			
ctoria	.....	27,180	.....	.....	1,144	
eensland	.....	27,664	.....	.....	1,398	
ith Australia... ...	.....	294	.....	.....	15	
smania	.....	18,032	.....	.....	891	
w Zealand	.....	25,526	.....	.....	1,225	
... ...	.....	154	.....	.....	8	
	.....	98,850	98,850	.....	4,681	4,681

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	To
Cutlery.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	
Victoria	.....	31	.....	.....	733	
Queensland	.....	51	.....	.....	524	
South Australia... ...	.....	9	.....	.....	125	
Western Australia ...	.....	17	.....	.....	164	
Tasmania	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
New Zealand	.....	4	.....	.....	54	
United Kingdom	.....	1	.....	.....	15	
Fiji	.....	7	.....	.....	33	
New Guinea	.....	9	.....	.....	67	
New Caledonia	.....	3	.....	.....	23	
South Sea Islands	.....	13	.....	.....	124	
	.....	146	146	.....	1,863	
Dentists' Tools and Materials.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	3	.....	.....	18	
Queensland	.....	47	.....	.....	786	
South Australia... ...	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
Tasmania	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
United Kingdom	.....	3	.....	.....	44	
Germany	.....	1	.....	.....	13	
United States	.....	1	.....	.....	150	
	.....	57	57	.....	1,016	
Diving Gear.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Queensland	.....	5	.....	.....	48	
Western Australia ...	.....	4	.....	.....	98	
United Kingdom	.....	3	.....	.....	30	
New Guinea	.....	4	.....	.....	50	
	.....	16	16	.....	226	
Drapery (not otherwise enumerated).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	1,484	1,484	.....	34,288	3
Queensland	96	3,169	3,265	1,500	54,871	5
South Australia	3	1,003	1,006	54	19,377	1
Western Australia ...	.....	1,307	1,307	.....	37,206	3
Tasmania	10	256	266	122	3,199	
New Zealand	1	747	748	7	11,205	1
United Kingdom	.....	69	69	.....	2,607	
Cape Colony	.....	2	2	.....	250	
Fiji	2	895	897	12	13,562	1
Hong Kong	.....	2	2	.....	30	
India	.....	25	25	.....	132	
New Guinea	.....	71	71	.....	683	
Norfolk Island	.....	59	59	.....	688	
France	.....	1	1	.....	92	
New Caledonia	.....	307	307	.....	5,265	
Germany	.....	3	3	.....	63	
Marshall Islands	.....	1	1	.....	10	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	35	35	.....	374	
Hawaiian Islands	1	2	3	34	43	
Japan	.....	15	15	.....	180	
South Sea Islands	.....	967	967	.....	13,968	
Caroline Islands	.....	8	8	.....	24	
	113	10,428	10,541	1,729	198,2	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Apothecaries' Ware (not otherwise enumerated).*						
ia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
a	242	601	843	611	2,112	2,723
land	315	1,077	1,392	1,559	6,341	7,900
Australia	248	343	591	1,425	1,277	2,702
n Australia ...	98	314	412	744	1,431	2,175
ia	295	299	594	1,711	970	2,681
aland	260	641	901	1,541	3,045	4,586
ingdom	97	43	140	307	762	1,069
Dominion ...	.....	12	12	.....	29	29
ny	23	5	28	224	21	245
... ...	20	269	289	43	1,158	1,201
... ...	2	.....	2	27	.....	27
ea	2	23	25	7	89	96
sland	1	2	3	3	4	7
... ...	11	.....	11	40	.....	40
donia	2	37	39	4	202	206
... ...	52	1	53	219	5	224
Islands	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
ern (New Britain) ..	.....	10	10	.....	46	46
Islands	52	3	55	112	15	127
... ...	.....	6	6	.....	151	151
Islands	21	136	157	49	670	719
ates	1	47	48	3	287	290
	1,742	3,870	5,612	8,629	18,619	27,248
re Ware.						
ia—		pkg.	pkg.			
a	.....	318	.....	.....	1,643	
land	.....	344	.....	.....	1,165	
Australia	.....	93	.....	.....	593	
n Australia ...	.....	10	.....	.....	65	
ia	.....	79	.....	.....	282	
aland	.....	382	.....	.....	1,191	
... ...	.....	9	.....	.....	20	
... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	9	
	.....	1,237	1,237	.....	4,968	4,968
re.						
Chinaware and Porcelain.)						
kerware.						
a—		pkg.	pkg.			
a	.....	65	.....	.....	373	
land	.....	171	.....	.....	798	
Australia... ...	.....	168	.....	.....	890	
n Australia ...	.....	216	.....	.....	1,598	
ia	.....	34	.....	.....	266	
aland	.....	50	.....	.....	394	
... ...	.....	205	.....	.....	845	
ea	.....	27	.....	.....	117	
sland	.....	5	.....	.....	21	
... ...	.....	3	.....	.....	5	
donia	.....	18	.....	.....	76	
ern (New Britain) ..	.....	18	.....	.....	72	
... ...	.....	1	.....	.....	7	
Islands	.....	140	.....	.....	702	
	.....	1,121	1,121	.....	6,164	6,164

* ...es patent medicines, sponges, pill-boxes, &c.; also the following quantities and values of Eucalyptus Oil of ...nufacture exported from Sydney:—To United Kingdom, 74 pkg., valued at £286; Germany, 52 pkg., valued ...ium, 8 pkg., valued at £38; United States, 1 pkg., valued at £3; Total, 135 pkg., valued at £546.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tot
Earthenware—*continued.*						
Drain-pipes.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
Queensland	588	.....	588	9	.....	
Fiji	128	.....	128	3	.....	
New Guinea	.....	106	106	.....	5	
	716	106	822	12	5	
Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	140	6	146	1,064	25	1
Queensland	2	15	17	9	55	
South Australia... ...	4	2	6	15	17	
Western Australia ...	.....	10	10	.....	75	
Tasmania	.....	4	4	.....	9	
New Zealand	2	11	13	4	61	
Fiji	7	4	11	14	11	
France	.....	2	2	.....	6	
New Caledonia	7	.....	7	9	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	1	1	.....	7	
South Sea Islands	4	8	12	5	15	
	166	63	229	1,120	281	1
Eggs.						
Australasia—	doz.		doz.			
Victoria	88,623	.....	.....	2,918	.....	
Queensland	328	.....	.....	15	.....	
Western Australia ...	9,906	.....	.....	321	.....	
Tasmania...	197	.....	.....	4	.....	
New Zealand	250	.....	.....	7	.....	
United Kingdom	216	.....	.....	7	.....	
Cape Colony	1,568	.....	.....	49	.....	
Fiji	25	.....	.....	1	.....	
New Caledonia	130	.....	.....	6	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	36	.....	.....	1	.....	
Japan	50	.....	.....	2	.....	
	101,329	.....	101,329	3,331	.....	3
Exhibits.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	515	515	.....	11,465	11
United Kingdom	8	.....	8	120	.....	
Cape Colony	1	.....	1	7	.....	
Belgium	1	.....	1	5	.....	
France	.....	3	3	.....	1,500	1
Germany	1	.....	1	5	.....	
Russia	1	.....	1	5	.....	
	12	518	530	142	12,965	
Explosives. (See Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives.)						

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

d Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
ods (not otherwise enumerated).						
sia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
ria	3	273	276	6	1,855	1,861
aland	6	399	405	38	3,475	3,513
Australia	.....	226	226	.....	1,572	1,572
ern Australia ...	.....	198	198	.....	2,280	2,280
ania	1	84	85	5	574	579
Zealand	.....	152	152	.....	1,173	1,173
Kingdom	22	35	57	166	712	878
n Dominion ...	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
lony	.....	4	4	.....	183	183
... ...	.....	134	134	.....	1,114	1,114
... ...	.....	1	1	.....	20	20
inea	.....	26	26	.....	195	195
Island	.....	5	5	.....	36	36
... ...	.....	1	1	.....	8	8
... ...	3	12	15	6	37	43
ledonia	.....	30	30	.....	330	330
y	6	31	37	18	117	135
l Islands	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
nern (New Britain) ..	.....	24	24	.....	130	130
n Islands	.....	2	2	.....	31	31
... ...	3	1	4	5	5	10
ea Islands	.....	187	187	.....	1,571	1,571
States	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
	44	1,829	1,873	244	15,428	15,672
as and Milk Foods.						
sia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
ia	17,928	4,756	22,684	165	116	281
aland	71,452	3,332	74,784	493	90	583
Australia	656	408	1,064	6	5	11
ern Australia ...	8,128	13,568	21,696	77	125	202
ania	3,752	1,686	5,438	40	26	66
Zealand	50	5,522	5,572	1	113	114
... ...	738	2,611	3,349	14	36	50
inea	.....	112	112	.....	1	1
Island	112	.....	112	1	.....	1
ledonia	268	.....	268	4	.....	4
nern (New Britain) ..	.....	96	96	.....	4	4
... ...	480	.....	480	7	.....	7
ea Islands	288	49	337	3	3	6
	103,852	32,140	135,992	811	519	1,330
le).	lb.		lb.			
Kingdom	136,738	.....	.....	1,709	.....	
lony	5,601	.....	.....	70	.....	
	142,339	.....	142,339	1,779	.....	1

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Felt.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	7	.....	.....	17	
Queensland	.....	79	.....	.....	189	
South Australia	.....	6	.....	.....	32	
Western Australia ...	.....	17	.....	.....	41	
Tasmania	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
Fiji	.....	6	.....	.....	30	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
South Sea Islands... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	3	
	.....	120	120	.....	321	32
Fibre.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	9	.....	.....	29	
Queensland	.....	6,569	.....	.....	205	
South Australia... ...	.....	1,493	.....	.....	130	
New Zealand	.....	1,373	.....	.....	52	
Fiji	.....	6	.....	.....	4	
New Caledonia	.....	730	.....	.....	27	
	.....	10,180	10,180	.....	447	44
Fireclay.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	494	12	506	49	3	5
Queensland	46	155	201	5	53	5
Western Australia ...	.....	1	1	.....	1	
Fiji	143	35	178	15	10	2
	683	203	886	69	67	13
Firewood.						
Australasia—	tons.		tons.			
Victoria	2,333	.....	2,333	438	.....	43
Fireworks.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	10	10	.....	76	7
Queensland	.....	8	8	.....	50	5
South Australia... ...	.....	15	15	.....	27	2
Western Australia ...	3	.....	3	5	.....	
Tasmania	.....	1	1	.....	2	
Fiji	2	56	58	7	104	11
New Guinea	.....	2	2	.....	3	
Marshall Islands	.....	2	2	.....	10	1
South Sea Islands	1	18	19	1	29	3
	6	112	118	13	301	31
Fish.						
Fresh.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Victoria	4,599	.....	.....	5,513	.....	
South Australia... ...	153	.....	.....	124	.....	
New Caledonia	17	.....	.....	19	.....	
	4,769	.....	4,769	5,656	.....	5,65
Frozen.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	54	54	.....	126	
Queensland	9	3	12	23	7	
Fiji	8	.....	8	4	.....	
Ceylon	4	.....	4	3	.....	
New Caledonia	4	.....	4	8	.....	
	25	57	82	38	133	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
continued.						
ied and Preserved.						
alasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
toria	.....	236,854	236,854	.....	4,275	4,275
eensland	144	143,022	143,166	3	2,811	2,814
uth Australia... ...	.....	56,155	56,155	.....	1,223	1,223
estern Australia ...	.....	64,330	64,330	.....	1,429	1,429
smania	.....	42,602	42,602	.....	862	862
w Zealand	.....	38,433	38,433	.....	879	879
d Kingdom	.....	2,891	2,891	.....	63	63
dian Dominion ...	.....	1,645	1,645	.....	40	40
Colony	.....	40	40	.....	1	1
.. ..	.....	36,718	36,718	.....	698	698
Kong	.....	1,822	1,822	.....	41	41
... ...	.....	396	396	.....	8	8
itius	.....	272	272	.....	6	6
Guinea	.....	4,362	4,362	.....	94	94
lk Island	.....	194	194	.....	5	5
s Settlements ...	.....	91	91	.....	2	2
um	.....	72	72	.....	1	1
... ...	.....	124	124	.....	3	3
e	.....	658	658	.....	13	13
Caledonia	.....	47,423	47,423	.....	1,072	1,072
any	.....	48	48	.....	1	1
ommern (New Britain) ...	.....	5,734	5,734	.....	133	133
... ...	.....	224	224	.....	3	3
... ...	.....	112	112	.....	3	3
Sea Islands	.....	46,465	46,465	.....	1,047	1,047
d States	.....	1,674	1,674	.....	38	38
	144	732,361	732,505	3	14,751	14,754
d Hemp (exclusive of Phormium Tenax).						
alasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
toria	.....	10	.....	.....	65	
eensland	.....	143	.....	.....	479	
w Zealand	.....	40	.....	.....	120	
... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	5	
	.....	195	195	.....	669	669
'hormium Tenax.						
alasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
toria	.....	23	.....	.....	51	
eensland	.....	273	.....	.....	813	
	.....	296	296	.....	864	864
oth and Oilcloth.						
alasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
toria	.....	11	.....	.....	53	
eensland	.....	29	.....	.....	119	
uth Australia... ...	.....	11	.....	.....	57	
estern Australia ...	.....	4	.....	.....	18	
smania	.....	2	.....	.....	11	
w Zealand	.....	7	.....	.....	88	
.. ..	.....	6	.....	.....	15	
Guinea	.....	2	.....	.....	7	
Caledonia	.....	2	.....	.....	10	
ommern (New Britain) ...	.....	2	.....	.....	4	
Sea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	4	
	.....	78	78	.....	386	386

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	T
		lb.	lb.	£	£	
	.....	900	.....	.....	100	
...	.....	72	.....	.....	14	
...	.....	210	.....	.....	40	
	.....	36	.....	.....	7	
...	.....	36	.....	.....	6	
...	.....	42	.....	.....	8	
	.....	36	.....	.....	6	
...	.....	72	.....	.....	13	
	.....	1,404	1,404	.....	194	
Pulp and Peel drained or dry.						
	lb.	lb.	lb.			
... ...	.....	3,845	3,845	.....	37	
... ...	.....	110,449	110,449	.....	730	
... ...	.....	448	448	.....	3	
... ...	.....	8,624	8,624	.....	37	
... ...	4,730	3,178	7,908	22	26	
... ...	5,697	50,773	56,470	71	325	
	10,427	177,317	187,744	93	1,158	
Preserved.						
		doz.	doz.			
... ...	.....	3	.....	.....	1	
... ...	.....	94	.....	.....	53	
... ...	.....	30	.....	.....	11	
... ...	.....	12	.....	.....	4	
... ...	.....	4	.....	.....	2	
... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
... ...	.....	24	.....	.....	9	
... ...	.....	31	.....	.....	14	
... ...	.....	5	.....	.....	2	
... ...	.....	10	.....	.....	4	
... ...	.....	3	.....	.....	1	
... ...	.....	9	.....	.....	4	
... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
...	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
... ...	.....	20	.....	.....	10	
	.....	251	251	.....	118	
Fresh Bananas.						
		pkg.	pkg.			
... ...	.....	8,409	.....	.....	578	
...	.....	150	.....	.....	62	
...	.....	60	.....	.....	23	
... ...	.....	131	.....	.....	12	
... ...	.....	310	.....	.....	84	
	.....	9,060	9,060	.....	759	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
continued.						
ish—Pine apples.						
alasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
toria	.....	2,246	.....	.....	556	
ith Australia... ...	.....	177	.....	.....	50	
estern Australia ...	.....	21	.....	.....	4	
mania	.....	71	.....	.....	21	
w Zealand	.....	728	.....	.....	252	
	.....	3,243	3,243	.....	883	883
—Other.						
alasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
toria	222,165	9,670	231,835	43,554	1,860	45,414
eensland	144,566	94,294	238,860	29,564	22,900	52,464
ith Australia... ...	3,804	334	4,138	721	70	791
estern Australia ...	21,425	1,109	22,534	4,874	369	5,243
mania	13,198	408	13,606	2,538	82	2,620
w Zealand	88,503	4,747	93,250	17,099	1,027	18,126
d Kingdom	2,179	.....	2,179	863	.....	863
dian Dominion ...	764	3,571	4,335	284	892	1,176
Colony	16	.....	16	8	.....	8
.. ..	194	482	676	40	146	186
n	160	.....	160	34	.....	34
Guinea	53	39	92	13	14	27
... ...	2	.....	2	1	.....	1
Caledonia	1,927	2,406	4,333	388	690	1,078
hall Islands	15	.....	15	6	.....	6
ommern (New Britain)...	16	.....	16	4	.....	4
Sea Islands	33	.....	33	8	.....	8
	499,020	117,060	616,080	99,999	28,050	128,049
—Currants and Raisins.						
alasia—		lb.	lb.			
toria	.....	37,666	.....	.....	347	
eensland	.....	224,291	.....	.....	2,516	
ith Australia... ...	.....	6,115	.....	.....	66	
estern Australia ...	.....	17,340	.....	.....	190	
smania	.....	63,611	.....	.....	588	
w Zealand	.....	452,201	.....	.....	3,915	
d Kingdom	.....	8,433	.....	.....	86	
dian Dominion ...	.....	3,486	.....	.....	35	
... ...	.....	7,978	.....	.....	81	
Kong	.....	1,741	.....	.....	18	
... ...	.....	193	.....	.....	2	
ritius	.....	103	.....	.....	1	
Guinea	.....	1,234	.....	.....	14	
olk Island	.....	1,518	.....	.....	15	
ts Settlements ...	.....	104	.....	.....	1	
ium	.....	236	.....	.....	2	
... ...	.....	100	.....	.....	1	
ce	.....	106	.....	.....	1	
Caledonia	.....	3,159	.....	.....	31	
many	.....	149	.....	.....	2	
hall Islands	.....	100	.....	.....	1	
Pommern (New Britain)...	.....	307	.....	.....	3	
aiian Islands	.....	96	.....	.....	1	
... ...	.....	112	.....	.....	1	
h Sea Islands	.....	4,538	.....	.....	56	
ed States	.....	2,494	.....	.....	29	
	.....	837,411	837,411	.....	8,003	8,003

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Fruit—*continued.*						
Dried—Dates.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.		£	£
Victoria	.....	18,987	.....	.....	152	
Queensland	.....	17,874	.....	.....	138	
South Australia	.....	1,196	.....	.....	10	
Western Australia ...	.....	11,650	.....	.....	91	
Tasmania	.....	7,440	.....	.....	58	
New Zealand	.....	20,160	.....	.....	147	
Fiji	.....	1,360	.....	.....	11	
New Caledonia	.....	4,826	.....	.....	39	
South Sea Islands	.....	120	.....	.....	1	
	.....	83,613	83,613	.....	647	6
Dried—Other Dried and Candied.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	15,282	.....	.....	314	
Queensland	.....	92,400	.....	.....	1,933	
South Australia... ...	.....	13,374	.....	.....	260	
Western Australia ...	.....	34,946	.....	.....	705	
Tasmania	.....	5,065	.....	.....	95	
New Zealand	.....	1,913	.....	.....	408	
United Kingdom	.....	2,001	.....	.....	36	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1,270	.....	.....	26	
Fiji	.....	2,116	.....	.....	59	
Hong Kong	.....	432	.....	.....	9	
India	.....	154	.....	.....	3	
Mauritius	.....	100	.....	.....	2	
New Guinea	.....	1,221	.....	.....	21	
Norfolk Island	.....	53	.....	.....	1	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	93	.....	.....	2	
Austria	.....	2,240	.....	.....	50	
Belgium	.....	100	.....	.....	2	
Chili	.....	93	.....	.....	2	
France	.....	120	.....	.....	3	
New Caledonia	.....	216	.....	.....	4	
Germany	.....	50	.....	.....	1	
Marshall Islands	.....	50	.....	.....	1	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	64	.....	.....	1	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	110	.....	.....	2	
Italy	.....	145	.....	.....	3	
Mexico	.....	60	.....	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	.....	2,978	.....	.....	71	
Guam	.....	55	.....	.....	1	
United States	.....	1,205	.....	.....	25	
	.....	177,906	177,906	.....	4,041	4,0
Edible Nuts—Cocoanuts.						
Australasia—		No.	No.			
Victoria	.....	60,370	.....	.....	229	
Queensland	.....	35,100	.....	.....	165	
South Australia	.....	18,050	.....	.....	70	
Western Australia ...	.....	9,030	.....	.....	44	
Tasmania	.....	6,040	.....	.....	26	
New Zealand	.....	460	.....	.....	2	
	.....	129,050	129,050	.....	536	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Fruit—*continued.*						
Edible Nuts—Other.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	129,176	.....	.....	1,251	
Queensland	.....	15,384	.....	.....	574	
South Australia	.....	4,054	.....	.....	48	
Western Australia ...	.....	13,091	.....	.....	330	
Tasmania...	.....	448	.....	.....	16	
New Zealand	.....	19,618	.....	.....	602	
Fiji	.....	647	.....	.....	10	
Hong Kong	.....	140	.....	.....	2	
New Caledonia	.....	2,672	.....	.....	40	
South Sea Islands	.....	354	.....	.....	4	
	.....	185,584	185,584	.....	2,877	2,877
Fungus.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
Hong Kong...	.....	3,125	.....	.....	4,936	
	.....	3,126	3,126	.....	4,939	4,939
Furniture and Upholstery.						
Furniture.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	455	686	1,141	902	1,832	2,734
Queensland	562	858	1,420	1,678	3,015	4,693
South Australia	96	615	711	288	1,227	1,515
Western Australia ...	634	593	1,227	1,967	2,653	4,620
Tasmania...	255	143	398	397	590	987
New Zealand	107	194	301	469	795	1,264
United Kingdom	.....	150	150	.....	2,534	2,534
Cape Colony	.....	10	10	.....	45	45
Fiji	93	91	184	348	312	660
New Guinea	16	15	31	22	43	65
Norfolk Island	56	215	271	98	390	488
New Caledonia	29	51	80	76	130	206
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
New Pommern (New Britain) ..	6	9	15	52	50	102
Japan	.....	25	25	.....	60	60
South Sea Islands	51	44	95	137	219	356
	2,360	3,700	6,060	6,434	13,899	20,333
Furniture Springs and Materials.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	26	26	.....	63	63
Queensland	31	45	76	41	166	207
Western Australia ...	.....	2	2	.....	1	1
New Zealand	.....	14	14	.....	98	98
	31	87	118	41	328	369

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	T
Furniture and Upholstery—*continued.*						
Upholstery.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	
Victoria	7	10	17	11	239	
Queensland...	6	79	85	9	369	
South Australia	20	3	23	56	13	
Western Australia ...	4	31	35	8	41	
Tasmania	3	38	41	3	109	
New Zealand	7	110	117	10	370	
Fiji	7	29	36	33	65	
Norfolk Island	.....	1	1	.....	2	
Belgium	15	.....	15	20	.....	
New Caledonia	1	12	13	4	25	
Germany	43	.....	43	65	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	1	.....	1	7	.....	
South Sea Islands	5	11	16	11	29	
	119	324	443	237	1,262	
Furs.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1	10	11	2	255	
Queensland	6	3	9	327	245	
South Australia... ...	1	.....	1	12	.....	
Western Australia ...	6	1	7	355	6	
New Zealand	12	1	13	483	10	
United Kingdom	4	.....	4	118	.....	
Cape Colony	1	.....	1	18	.....	
Germany	2	.....	2	56	.....	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	1	1	.....	25	
	33	16	49	1,371	541	
Gas-fittings.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	2	19	21	12	319	
Queensland	3	72	75	33	354	
South Australia	.....	11	11	.....	82	
Western Australia ...	.....	21	21	.....	172	
Tasmania...	.....	2	2	.....	7	
New Zealand	.....	23	23	.....	145	
United Kingdom	.....	1	1	.....	25	
Fiji	1	.....	1	6	.....	
New Caledonia	.....	7	7	.....	46	
	6	156	162	51	1,150	
Gasoline.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Victoria	336	600	936	27	60	
Queensland	.....	158	158	.....	17	
South Australia... ...	.....	10	10	.....	1	
Western Australia ...	.....	8	8	.....	1	
Tasmania	16	.....	16	2	.....	
New Zealand	8	48	56	1	6	
New Caledonia	2,360	.....	2,360	198	.....	
	2,720	824	3,544	228	85	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Gelatine and Isinglass.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	2,090	.....	.....	278	
Queensland	.....	5,336	.....	.....	363	
South Australia... ...	.....	468	.....	.....	32	
Western Australia ...	.....	1,307	.....	.....	72	
Tasmania	.....	224	.....	.....	20	
New Zealand	.....	3,640	.....	.....	183	
United States	.....	418	.....	.....	68	
	.....	13,483	13,483	.....	1,016	1,016
Ginger—*Dried and Green.*						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	1,463	.....	.....	20	
Queensland	.....	1,441	.....	.....	32	
South Australia... ...	.....	140	.....	.....	2	
Tasmania	.....	800	.....	.....	10	
New Zealand	.....	2,478	.....	.....	49	
Fiji	.....	671	.....	.....	17	
New Caledonia	.....	123	.....	.....	3	
South Sea Islands	.....	168	.....	.....	4	
	.....	7,284	7,284	.....	137	137
Glass.						
Looking.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
Queensland	1	34	35	5	82	87
South Australia... ...	.....	2	2	.....	11	11
Western Australia ...	.....	9	9	.....	215	215
Fiji	.....	2	2	.....	12	12
South Sea Islands	.....	2	2	.....	7	7
	1	50	51	5	330	335
Plate.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	14	.....	.....	363	
Queensland	.....	15	.....	.....	292	
Western Australia ...	.....	2	.....	.....	35	
Tasmania	.....	6	.....	.....	44	
	.....	37	37	.....	734	734
Window.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	357	357	.....	172	172
Queensland	.....	851	851	.....	491	491
South Australia	.....	136	136	.....	152	152
Western Australia ...	.....	20	20	.....	22	22
Tasmania	5	137	142	17	101	118
New Zealand	.....	198	198	.....	109	109
Fiji	.....	50	50	.....	54	54
New Guinea	.....	9	9	.....	6	6
Norfolk Island	.....	6	6	.....	7	7
New Caledonia	.....	11	11	.....	16	16
New Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	8	8	.....	9	9
Hawaiian Islands	.....	81	81	.....	52	52
South Sea Islands	.....	12	12	.....	26	26
	5	1,876	1,881	17	1,217	1,234

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	To
Fruit—*continued.*						
Dried—Dates.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.		£	
Victoria	.....	18,987	.....	.....	152	
Queensland	.....	17,874	.....	.....	138	
South Australia	.....	1,196	.....	.....	10	
Western Australia ...	.....	11,650	.....	.....	91	
Tasmania	.....	7,440	.....	.....	58	
New Zealand	.....	20,160	.....	.....	147	
Fiji	.....	1,360	.....	.....	11	
New Caledonia	.....	4,826	.....	.....	39	
South Sea Islands	.....	120	.....	.....	1	
	.....	83,613	83,613	.....	647	
Dried—Other Dried and Candied.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	15,282	.....	.....	314	
Queensland	.....	92,400	.....	.....	1,933	
South Australia... ...	.....	13,374	.....	.....	260	
Western Australia ...	.....	34,946	.....	.....	705	
Tasmania	.....	5,065	.....	.....	95	
New Zealand	.....	1,913	.....	.....	408	
United Kingdom	.....	2,001	.....	.....	36	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1,270	.....	.....	26	
Fiji	.....	2,116	.....	.....	59	
Hong Kong	.....	432	.....	.....	9	
India	.....	154	.....	.....	3	
Mauritius	.....	100	.....	.....	2	
New Guinea	.....	1,221	.....	.....	21	
Norfolk Island	.....	53	.....	.....	1	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	93	.....	.....	2	
Austria	.....	2,240	.....	.....	50	
Belgium	.....	100	.....	.....	2	
Chili	.....	93	.....	.....	2	
France	.....	120	.....	.....	3	
New Caledonia	.....	216	.....	.....	4	
Germany	.....	50	.....	.....	1	
Marshall Islands	.....	50	.....	.....	1	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	64	.....	.....	1	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	110	.....	.....	2	
Italy	.....	145	.....	.....	3	
Mexico	.....	60	.....	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	.....	2,978	.....	.....	71	
Guam	.....	55	.....	.....	1	
United States	.....	1,205	.....	.....	25	
	.....	177,906	177,906	.....	4,041	
Edible Nuts—Cocoanuts.						
Australasia—		No.	No.			
Victoria	.....	60,370	.....	.....	229	
Queensland	.....	35,100	.....	.....	165	
South Australia	.....	18,050	.....	.....	70	
Western Australia ...	.....	9,030	.....	.....	44	
Tasmania	.....	6,040	.....	.....	26	
New Zealand	.....	460	.....	.....	2	
	.....	129,050	129,050	.....	536	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

ınd Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
l Size.						
lasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
oria	.....	112	112	.....	5	5
ensland	385	2,554	2,939	8	60	68
nania	.....	1,008	1,008	.....	25	25
Zealand	.....	896	896	.....	23	23
... ...	.....	70	70	.....	1	1
... ...	2,510	.....	2,510	29	.....	29
	2,895	4,640	7,535	37	114	151
ces.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Kingdom	7,288	1,850	9,138	2,402	605	3,007
m	172	.....	172	55	.....	55
... ...	4	.....	4	1	.....	1
ny	158	.....	158	51	.....	51
... ...	4,897	.....	4,897	1,825	.....	1,825
States	314	.....	314	118	.....	118
	12,833	1,850	14,683	4,452	605	5,057
s.						
lasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
oria	.....	11	11	.....	30	30
nsland	4	4	8	15	23	38
tern Australia ...	1	.....	1	6	.....	6
Zealand	.....	26	26	.....	99	99
Kingdom	452	.....	452	1,015	.....	1,015
States	371	.....	371	2,764	.....	2,764
	828	41	869	3,800	152	3,952
a.						
oin.)						
nd Dust, and contained in Matte.						
lasia—	oz.	oz.	oz.			
oria	1,335	.....	1,335	5,132	.....	5,132
Kingdom	63,533	110	63,643	210,834	411	211,245
... ...	17,839	.....	17,839	67,127	.....	67,127
	82,707	110	82,817	283,093	411	283,504
: and Concentrates.						
asia—	pkg.		pkg.			
oria	7,157	.....	.....	14,405	.....	
nsland	570	.....	.....	564	.....	
h Australia	4,256	.....	.....	4,528	.....	
Kingdom	9,806	.....	.....	77,518	.....	
ny	49	.....	.....	20	.....	
States	852	.....	.....	650	.....	
	22,690	.....	22,690	97,685	.....	97,685
f.						
lasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
oria	.....	3	.....	.....	85	
nsland	.....	4	.....	.....	90	
h Australia	.....	1	.....	.....	24	
tern Australia ...	.....	1	.....	.....	13	
Zealand	.....	8	.....	.....	161	
	.....	17	17	.....	373	373

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tot
Grain, Pulse, &c.*						
Barley.						
Australasia—	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.	£	£	
Victoria	4,118	3,144	7,262	526	432	
Queensland	168	10,091	10,259	24	1,354	1
Western Australia ...	.....	1,256	1,256	.....	175	
New Zealand	25	.....	25	3	.....	
Hong Kong	.....	20	20	.....	3	
New Caledonia	72	92	164	11	13	
	4,383	14,603	18,986	564	1,977	
Barley (prepared or pearl).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	4	17	21	2	7	
Queensland	9	5	14	3	4	
Fiji	10	.....	10	7	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	2	2	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	1	.....	1	1	.....	
	24	24	48	13	12	
Beans.						
Australasia—	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
Victoria	.....	11	11	.....	3	
Queensland	272	1,562	1,834	90	412	
South Australia... ...	.....	174	174	.....	63	
Western Australia ...	.....	381	381	.....	148	
Fiji	3	4	7	1	1	
New Caledonia	23	61	84	9	24	
Marshall Islands	.....	12	12	.....	5	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	3	3	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	29	44	73	13	16	
	327	2,252	2,579	113	673	
Bran.						
Australasia—	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
Victoria	45,870	1,280	47,150	1,873	44	1
Queensland	2,446	148	2,594	80	4	
South Australia	10,774	5,972	16,746	356	199	
Western Australia ...	495,155	8,214	503,369	16,550	304	16
Burma	264	.....	264	7	.....	
Fiji	896	24	920	30	1	
Hong Kong	.....	27	27	.....	1	
India	16,143	.....	16,143	615	.....	
New Guinea	120	.....	120	4	.....	
Straits Settlements... ...	.....	64	64	.....	2	
China	56	.....	56	2	.....	
Cochin China	25	.....	25	1	.....	
New Caledonia	2,041	910	2,951	70	37	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	80	.....	80	3	.....	
Java...	480	.....	480	19	.....	
South Sea Islands	1,024	256	1,280	37	11	
	575,374	16,895	592,269	19,647	603	

* The following are the accepted weights :—

Barley, 1 bushel	50 lb.	Maize, 1 bushel	56 lb.	Pollard, 1 bushel	20 lb.	Flour 1 cwt or	
Beans ,,	60 ,,	Oats ,,	40 ,,	Sharps ,,	20 ,,	,, 1 ton	
Bran ,,	20 ,,	Peas ,,	60 ,,	Wheat ,,	60 ,,		

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Gelatine and Isinglass.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	2,090	.....	.....	278	
Queensland	.....	5,336	.....	.....	363	
South Australia... ...	.....	468	.....	.....	32	
Western Australia ...	.....	1,307	.....	.....	72	
Tasmania	.....	224	.....	.....	20	
New Zealand	.....	3,640	.....	.....	183	
United States	.....	418	.....	.....	68	
	.....	13,483	13,483	.....	1,016	1,016
Ginger—*Dried and Green.*						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	1,463	.....	.....	20	
Queensland	.....	1,441	.....	.....	32	
South Australia... ...	.....	140	.....	.....	2	
Tasmania	.....	800	.....	.....	10	
New Zealand	.....	2,478	.....	.....	49	
Fiji	.....	671	.....	.....	17	
New Caledonia	.....	123	.....	.....	3	
South Sea Islands	.....	168	.....	.....	4	
	.....	7,284	7,284	.....	137	137
Glass.						
Looking.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
Queensland	1	34	35	5	82	87
South Australia... ...	.....	2	2	.....	11	11
Western Australia ...	.....	9	9	.....	215	215
Fiji	.....	2	2	.....	12	12
South Sea Islands	.....	2	2	.....	7	7
	1	50	51	5	330	335
Plate.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	14	.....	.....	363	
Queensland	.....	15	.....	.....	292	
Western Australia ...	.....	2	.....	.....	35	
Tasmania	.....	6	.....	.....	44	
	.....	37	37	.....	734	734
Window.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	357	357	.....	172	172
Queensland	.....	851	851	.....	491	491
South Australia	.....	136	136	.....	152	152
Western Australia ...	.....	20	20	.....	22	22
Tasmania	5	137	142	17	101	118
New Zealand	.....	198	198	.....	109	109
Fiji	.....	50	50	.....	54	54
New Guinea	.....	9	9	.....	6	6
Norfolk Island	.....	6	6	.....	7	7
New Caledonia	.....	11	11	.....	16	16
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	8	8	.....	9	9
Hawaiian Islands	.....	81	81	.....	52	52
South Sea Islands	.....	12	12	.....	26	26
	5	1,876	1,881	17	1,217	1,234

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tota
Grain, Pulse, &c.*—*continued.						
Rice (Ground).						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	72	.....	72	1	.....	
Tasmania...	600	195	795	8	3	
	672	195	867	9	3	
Sharps.						
Australasia—	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
Victoria	.....	400	400	.....	25	
Western Australia ...	.....	54	54	.....	3	
Fiji	30,934	969	31,903	1,978	60	2,
New Caledonia	36	.....	36	2	.....	
South Sea Islands	108	.....	108	5	.....	
	31,078	1,423	32,501	1,985	88	2,
Wheat.						
Australasia—	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
Victoria	305,290	200	305,490	63,504	47	63,
Queensland	11,938	189,394	201,332	2,685	33,910	36,
South Australia	69	6,312	6,381	17	1,312	1,
Western Australia ...	1,480	7,435	8,915	333	1,450	1,
Tasmania	.....	3,682	3,682	.....	751	
New Zealand	28	.....	28	5	.....	
Fiji	44	.....	44	9	.....	
New Caledonia	5,800	56,879	62,679	1,305	11,150	12,
South Sea Islands	4	.....	4	1	.....	
	324,653	263,902	588,555	67,859	48,620	116,
Grease.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	15	64	79	19	135	
Queensland	1,072	442	1,514	967	732	1,
South Australia... ...	5	39	44	6	93	
Western Australia ...	41	34	75	43	60	
Tasmania	1	9	10	1	18	
Fiji	110	8	118	75	17	
New Guinea	.....	2	2	.....	4	
New Caledonia	1	.....	1	2	.....	
South Sea Islands	.....	4	4	.....	8	
	1,245	602	1,847	1,113	1,067	2,
Grindery.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	2	154	156	35	1,546	1,
Queensland	45	775	820	382	6,371	6,
South Australia... ...	1	54	55	7	401	
Western Australia ...	37	15	52	849	181	1,
Tasmania	10	6	16	174	81	
New Zealand	106	71	177	1,524	672	2,
United Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	32	
Fiji	1	1	2	5	7	
New Caledonia	2	9	11	42	47	
	204	1,087	1,291	3,018	9,338	

* See foot-note, page 210.

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l Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
ia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
ia	8	72	80	24	252	276
ıland	.....	14	14	.....	113	113
Australia	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
rn Australia ...	2	2	4	1	9	10
nia	.....	2	2	.....	5	5
ealand	.....	19	19	.....	121	121
Kingdom	1,180	132	1,312	1,130	371	1,501
Dominion ...	20	.....	20	18	.....	18
... ...	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
... ...	245	.....	245	365	.....	365
... ...	34	88	122	50	87	137
... ...	.....	50	50	.....	290	290
... ...	424	112	536	337	278	615
... ...	4	.....	4	11	.....	11
tates	765	.....	765	381	.....	381
	2,682	493	3,175	2,317	1,532	3,849
ia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
a	13,473	.....	13,473	576	.....	576
ıland	90	5,230	5,320	7	197	204
Australia	546	80	626	15	4	19
rn Australia ...	3,696	150	3,846	83	10	93
nia	100	.....	100	6	.....	6
Kingdom	131,253	79,126	210,379	6,543	3,271	9,814
... ...	560	.....	560	26	.....	26
... ...	5,741	3,247	8,988	310	169	479
... ...	5,165	2,530	7,695	223	112	335
... ...	2,635	1,317	3,952	160	88	248
... ...	7,833	4,416	12,249	383	215	598
... ...	142	.....	142	7	.....	7
	171,234	96,096	267,330	8,339	4,066	12,405
and Ironmongery.						
ia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ia	24	586	610	116	2,606	2,722
ıland	318	3,576	3,894	1,149	16,907	18,056
Australia	25	383	408	79	1,588	1,667
rn Australia ...	25	599	624	372	3,552	3,924
nia	16	326	342	22	1,382	1,404
ealand	48	637	685	156	3,886	4,042
Kingdom	3	57	60	14	536	550
... ...	20	1,306	1,326	60	4,932	4,992
... ...	.....	3	3	.....	9	9
inea	2	179	181	5	863	868
e Islands	2	55	57	3	222	225
... ...	.....	66	66	.....	195	195
... ...	.....	2	2	.....	9	9
edonia	8	586	594	60	2,445	2,505
r	.....	27	27	.....	225	225
l Islands	.....	5	5	.....	34	34
nern (New Britain) ..	3	83	86	11	346	357
a Islands	2	.....	2	4	.....	4
... ...	.....	2	2	.....	14	14
a Islands	24	1,027	1,051	156	4,897	5,053
tates	.....	47	47	.....	941	941
	520	9,552	10,072	2,207	45,589	47,796

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	To
Grain, Pulse, &c.*—*continued.*						
Maizena and Cornflour.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	
Victoria	4,480	320	4,800	55	5	
Queensland	19,466	10,783	30,249	293	190	
South Australia	5,240	.....	5,240	64	.....	
Western Australia ...	2,548	.....	2,548	28	.....	
Tasmania	6,820	12,240	19,060	99	196	
New Zealand	4,000	3,400	7,400	50	39	
Cape Colony	800	.....	800	10	.....	
Fiji	1,320	510	1,830	19	8	
New Guinea	160	120	280	2	2	
New Caledonia	80	120	200	1	2	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	80	.....	80	1	.....	
South Sea Islands	80	760	840	1	9	
	45,074	28,253	73,327	623	451	
Oatmeal.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	71	17	88	56	12	
Queensland	821	1,154	1,975	918	964	
South Australia... ...	258	160	418	241	120	
Western Australia ...	50	1	51	38	1	
New Zealand	19	.....	19	28	.....	
Fiji	74	4	78	72	4	
New Guinea	4	5	9	3	4	
Norfolk Island	3	.....	3	2	.....	
New Caledonia	7	4	11	8	3	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	1	.....	1	1	.....	
South Sea Islands	12	8	20	13	6	
	1,320	1,353	2,673	1,380	1,114	
Oats.						
Australasia—	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
Victoria	794	3,044	3,838	108	359	
Queensland	10,291	52,319	62,610	1,195	5,687	
South Australia	120	10,296	10,416	14	1,180	
Western Australia ...	1,090	30,468	31,558	160	3,734	
Tasmania...	35	24	59	3	2	
Cape Colony	.....	656	656	.....	66	
Fiji	8	.....	8	1	.....	
Hong Kong	.....	213	213	.....	25	
India	.....	180	180	.....	19	
New Guinea	.....	16	16	.....	2	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	400	400	.....	50	
New Caledonia	596	815	1,411	66	95	
South Sea Islands	8	194	202	1	20	
	12,942	98,625	111,567	1,548	11,239	

* See foot-note, page 210.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

ıd Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
ıse, &c.*—*continued.*						
Dried and Split).						
asia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
ria	.....	19	19	.....	13	13
nsland	101	1,789	1,890	73	1,252	1,325
ı Australia	2	45	47	2	39	41
ern Australia ...	52	38	90	20	32	52
ania	.....	22	22	.....	13	13
Zealand	.....	40	40	.....	14	14
... ...	10	62	72	7	47	54
ong	.....	6	6	.....	2	2
ıinea	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
: Island	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
... ...	.....	14	14	.....	8	8
ledonia	179	104	283	174	76	250
ll Islands	.....	11	11	.....	7	7
mern (New Britain) ..	.....	7	7	.....	4	4
ea Islands	34	9	43	21	7	28
	378	2,168	2,546	297	1,516	1,813
Pollard.						
asia—	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
ria	12,663	.....	12,663	529	.....	529
nsland	1,215	.....	1,215	65	.....	65
ı Australia	30	.....	30	1	.....	1
ern Australia ...	83,096	4,250	87,346	2,809	150	2,959
ania	64	.....	64	2	.....	2
ıledonia	21	.....	21	1	.....	1
ea Islands	68	.....	68	2	.....	2
	97,157	4,250	101,407	3,409	150	3,559
Rice.						
asia—		cwt.	cwt.			
ria	.....	1,761	.....	.....	787	
nsland	.....	2,703	.....	.....	1,488	
ı Australia	.....	237	.....	.....	127	
ern Australia ...	.....	179	.....	.....	101	
ania	.....	497	.....	.....	287	
Zealand	.....	3,149	.....	.....	1,795	
Kingdom	.....	57	.....	.....	31	
ın Dominion ...	.....	29	.....	.....	15	
... ...	.....	5,376	.....	.....	2,457	
ong	.....	24	.....	.....	10	
... ...	.....	4	.....	.....	2	
us	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
ıinea	.....	1,251	.....	.....	562	
: Island	.....	183	.....	.....	90	
Settlements ...	.....	4	.....	.....	2	
... ...	.....	8	.....	.....	4	
... ...	.....	4	.....	.....	2	
ıledonia	.....	1,535	.....	.....	616	
ll Islands	.....	1,249	.....	.....	613	
mern (New Britain) ..	.....	43	.....	.....	20	
... ...	.....	4	.....	.....	2	
ea Islands	.....	5,474	.....	.....	2,678	
States	.....	27	.....	.....	15	
	.....	23,800	23,800	.....	11,705	11,705

* See foot-note, page 210.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tot
Grain, Pulse, &c.*—*continued.*						
Rice (Ground).						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	72	.....	72	1	.....	
Tasmania...	600	195	795	8	3	
	672	195	867	9	3	
Sharps.						
Australasia—	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
Victoria	.....	400	400	.....	25	
Western Australia ...	.....	54	54	.....	3	
Fiji	30,934	969	31,903	1,978	60	2
New Caledonia	36	.....	36	2	.....	
South Sea Islands	108	.....	108	5	.....	
	31,078	1,423	32,501	1,985	88	2
Wheat.						
Australasia—	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
Victoria	305,290	200	305,490	63,504	47	63
Queensland	11,938	189,394	201,332	2,685	33,910	36
South Australia	69	6,312	6,381	17	1,312	1
Western Australia ...	1,480	7,435	8,915	333	1,450	1
Tasmania	.....	3,682	3,682	.....	751	
New Zealand	28	.....	28	5	.....	
Fiji	44	.....	44	9	.....	
New Caledonia	5,800	56,879	62,679	1,305	11,150	12
South Sea Islands	4	.....	4	1	.....	
	324,653	263,902	588,555	67,859	48,620	116
Grease.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	15	64	79	19	135	
Queensland	1,072	442	1,514	967	732	1
South Australia... ...	5	39	44	6	93	
Western Australia ...	41	34	75	43	60	
Tasmania	1	9	10	1	18	
Fiji	110	8	118	75	17	
New Guinea	.....	2	2	.....	4	
New Caledonia	1	.....	1	2	.....	
South Sea Islands	.....	4	4	.....	8	
	1,245	602	1,847	1,113	1,067	2
Grindery.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	2	154	156	35	1,546	1
Queensland	45	775	820	382	6,371	6
South Australia... ...	1	54	55	7	401	
Western Australia ...	37	15	52	849	181	1
Tasmania	10	6	16	174	81	
New Zealand	106	71	177	1,524	672	2
United Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	32	
Fiji	1	1	2	5	7	
New Caledonia	2	9	11	42	47	
	204	1,087	1,291	3,018	9,338	

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No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

d Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
sia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
ria	8	72	80	24	252	276
sland	.....	14	14	.....	113	113
Australia	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
rn Australia ...	2	2	4	1	9	10
nia	.....	2	2	.....	5	5
Zealand	.....	19	19	.....	121	121
Kingdom	1,180	132	1,312	1,130	371	1,501
n Dominion ...	20	.....	20	18	.....	18
... ...	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
... ...	245	.....	245	365	.....	365
... ...	34	88	122	50	87	137
... ...	.....	50	50	.....	290	290
y	424	112	536	337	278	615
... ...	4	.....	4	11	.....	11
States	765	.....	765	381	.....	381
	2,682	493	3,175	2,317	1,532	3,849
sia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
ria	13,473	.....	13,473	576	.....	576
sland	90	5,230	5,320	7	197	204
Australia	546	80	626	15	4	19
rn Australia ...	3,696	150	3,846	83	10	93
nia	100	.....	100	6	.....	6
Kingdom	131,253	79,126	210,379	6,543	3,271	9,814
... ...	560	.....	560	26	.....	26
... ...	5,741	3,247	8,988	310	169	479
... ...	5,165	2,530	7,695	223	112	335
y	2,635	1,317	3,952	160	88	248
... ...	7,833	4,416	12,249	383	215	598
... ...	142	.....	142	7	.....	7
	171,234	96,096	267,330	8,339	4,066	12,405
and Ironmongery.						
sia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ria	24	586	610	116	2,606	2,722
sland	318	3,576	3,894	1,149	16,907	18,056
Australia	25	383	408	79	1,588	1,667
rn Australia ...	25	599	624	372	3,552	3,924
nia	16	326	342	22	1,382	1,404
Zealand	48	637	685	156	3,886	4,042
Kingdom	3	57	60	14	536	550
... ...	20	1,306	1,326	60	4,932	4,992
... ...	.....	3	3	.....	9	9
inea	2	179	181	5	863	868
les Islands	2	55	57	3	222	225
... ...	.....	66	66	.....	195	195
... ...	.....	2	2	.....	9	9
ledonia	8	586	594	60	2,445	2,505
y	.....	27	27	.....	225	225
ll Islands	.....	5	5	.....	34	34
mern (New Britain) ..	3	83	86	11	346	357
n Islands	2	.....	2	4	.....	4
... ...	.....	2	2	.....	14	14
lan Islands	24	1,027	1,051	156	4,897	5,053
States	.....	47	47	.....	941	941
	520	9,552	10,072	2,207	45,589	47,796

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total
Hats and Caps.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	
Victoria	.....	12	.....	.....	158	
Queensland	.....	238	.....	.....	3,066	
South Australia	.....	24	.....	.....	683	
Western Australia ...	.....	81	.....	.....	1,813	
Tasmania...	.....	43	.....	.....	573	
New Zealand	.....	33	.....	.....	456	
United Kingdom	.....	70	.....	.....	908	
Fiji	.....	19	.....	.....	231	
New Guinea	.....	1	.....	.....	7	
Norfolk Island	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
New Caledonia	.....	8	.....	.....	77	
Marshall Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	8	
South Sea Islands	.....	3	.....	.....	20	
	.....	534	534	.....	8,003	8,[illegible]
Hatters' Materials.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	5	5	.....	270	[illegible]
Queensland	8	2	10	45	8	
New Zealand	.....	4	4	.....	38	
	8	11	19	45	316	[illegible]
Hay and Chaff.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	26,338	190	26,528	4,635	42	4,[illegible]
Queensland	11,880	13,794	25,674	2,690	3,114	5,[illegible]
South Australia... ...	3,121	1,148	4,269	484	271	[illegible]
Western Australia ...	11,540	933	12,473	1,842	221	2,[illegible]
New Zealand	176	.....	176	35	.....	
United Kingdom	.....	102	102	.....	20	
Cape Colony	1,443	6	1,449	228	1	
Fiji	785	17	802	143	4	
Hong Kong	243	.....	243	38	.....	
India	1,101	3,000	4,101	142	740	[illegible]
New Guinea	59	13	72	13	3	
Straits Settlements ...	200	20	220	35	5	
China	65	.....	65	15	.....	
Cochin China	30	.....	30	8	.....	
New Caledonia	2,839	1,242	4,081	594	287	[illegible]
Marshall Islands	21	.....	21	4	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	189	.....	189	39	.....	
Java...	.....	360	360	.....	84	
South Sea Islands	122	30	152	27	6	
	60,152	20,855	81,007	10,972	4,798	[illegible]
Hemp.						
(See Flax and Hemp.)						

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

d Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
are.						
asia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
ria	.....	93	.....	.....	797	
aland	.....	54	.....	.....	176	
Australia... ...	.....	61	.....	.....	570	
ern Australia ...	.....	78	.....	.....	558	
ania...	.....	29	.....	.....	224	
Zealand	.....	9	.....	.....	71	
... ...	.....	198	.....	.....	152	
ainea	.....	27	.....	.....	79	
ledonia	.....	93	.....	.....	129	
mern (New Britain) ..	.....	27	.....	.....	80	
lea Islands... ...	.....	72	.....	.....	139	
	.....	741	741	.....	2,975	2,975
asia—	lb.		lb.			
ria	2,700	.....	.....	29	.....	
aland	1,031	.....	.....	21	.....	
Australia... ...	312	.....	.....	5	.....	
ern Australia ...	90	.....	.....	2	.....	
Kingdom	2,640	.....	.....	29	.....	
olony	112	.....	.....	1	.....	
... ...	384	.....	.....	6	.....	
ainea	896	.....	.....	12	.....	
... ...	15,792	.....	.....	202	.....	
ledonia	112	.....	.....	2	.....	
mern (New Britain) ..	368	.....	.....	5	.....	
	24,437	.....	24,437	314	.....	314
asia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
ria	18	.....	18	3	.....	3
Kingdom	1,931	1,500	3,431	239	143	382
... ...	6	.....	6	1	.....	1
y	43	.....	43	5	.....	5
... ...	72	.....	72	12	.....	12
... ...	1,862	1,400	3,262	457	269	726
	3,932	2,900	6,832	717	412	1,129
asia—		lb.	lb.			
ria	.....	82,944	.....	.....	3,070	
aland	.....	165,288	.....	.....	6,559	
Australia... ...	.....	27,746	.....	.....	1,249	
ern Australia ...	.....	28,949	.....	.....	1,220	
ania	.....	17,471	.....	.....	749	
Zealand	.....	10,505	.....	.....	542	
... ...	.....	450	.....	.....	11	
ainea	.....	180	.....	.....	5	
ledonia	.....	2,876	.....	.....	94	
y	.....	600	.....	.....	20	
l Islands	.....	40	.....	.....	1	
mern (New Britain) ..	.....	60	.....	.....	2	
ea Islands	.....	370	.....	.....	10	
	.....	337,479	337,479	.....	13,532	13,[illegible]

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

rticle and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tota
rns.						
Cattle.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
Victoria	4,312	.....	4,312	13	.....	
South Australia... ...	4,010	.....	4,010	23	.....	
United Kingdom	611,146	397,000	1,008,146	6,119	4,474	10
Belgium	2,520	.....	2,520	28	.....	
France	124,878	120,000	244,878	1,473	1,450	2
Germany	500	.....	500	5	.....	
Italy	6,460	4,500	10,960	79	48	
Japan	1,613	.....	1,613	12	.....	
	755,439	521,500	1,276,939	7,752	5,972	13
Sheep.						
	cwt.		cwt.			
United Kingdom	220	.....	.....	31	.....	
France	6	.....	.....	1	.....	
	226	.....	226	32	.....	
e.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Tasmania	46	.....	.....	57	.....	
New Zealand	4	.....	.....	4	.....	
	50	.....	50	61	.....	
ndia-rubber Goods.						
Packing.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	23	.....	.....	301	
Queensland	.....	20	.....	.....	114	
South Australia	.....	2	.....	.....	9	
New Zealand	.....	6	.....	.....	77	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
	.....	52	52	.....	503	
Piping.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	193	.....	.....	1,452	
Queensland	.....	68	.....	.....	489	
South Australia	.....	25	.....	.....	361	
Western Australia ...	.....	11	.....	.....	117	
Tasmania	.....	7	.....	.....	24	
New Zealand	.....	29	.....	.....	496	
United Kingdom	.....	1	.....	.....	15	
Fiji	.....	10	.....	.....	43	
	.....	344	344	.....	2,997	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
India-rubber Goods—*continued.*						
Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	94	94	.....	1,407	1,407
Queensland	.....	177	177	.....	1,069	1,069
South Australia	2	1	15	8	108	116
Western Australia ...	1	9	10	10	83	93
Tasmania	.....	7	7	.....	81	81
New Zealand	.....	59	59	.....	380	380
United Kingdom	.....	303	303	.....	494	494
Cape Colony	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
Fiji	.....	3	3	.....	23	23
New Caledonia	1	3	4	4	23	27
South Sea Islands	.....	1	1	.....	7	7
United States	.....	3	3	.....	60	60
	4	673	677	22	3,740	3,762
Instruments.						
(See also Dentists' Tools and Materials.)						
Optical.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	2	.....	.....	60	
Queensland	.....	25	.....	.....	837	
South Australia... ...	.....	6	.....	.....	146	
Western Australia ...	.....	2	.....	.....	39	
Tasmania	.....	1	.....	.....	25	
New Zealand	.....	2	.....	.....	45	
United Kingdom	.....	5	.....	.....	73	
Fiji	.....	1	.....	.....	20	
South Sea Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
	.....	45	45	.....	1,248	1,248
Surgical.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	2	.....	.....	41	
Queensland	.....	4	.....	.....	35	
South Australia... ...	.....	4	.....	.....	123	
Western Australia ...	.....	1	.....	.....	30	
New Zealand	.....	3	.....	.....	39	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
Germany	.....	1	.....	.....	200	
South Sea Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	4	
	.....	17	17	.....	474	474
Other Scientific.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	13	.....	.....	368	
Queensland	.....	31	.....	.....	178	
South Australia... ...	.....	5	.....	.....	56	
Western Australia ...	.....	3	.....	.....	41	
New Zealand	.....	4	.....	.....	18	
United Kingdom	.....	5	.....	.....	33	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	.....	.....	20	
Fiji	.....	12	.....	.....	23	
South Sea Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
United States	.....	38	.....	.....	150	
	.....	113	113	.....	889	889

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	T
Instruments (Musical).						
Harmoniums and Organs.						
Australasia—		No.	No.		£	
Victoria	.....	19	.....	.....	408	
Queensland	.....	25	.....	.....	317	
South Australia	.....	11	.....	.....	96	
Western Australia ...	.....	17	.....	.....	175	
New Zealand	.....	6	.....	.....	96	
United Kingdom	.....	2	.....	.....	65	
Fiji	.....	1	.....	.....	8	
New Guinea	.....	1	.....	.....	15	
Norfolk Island	.....	1	.....	.....	15	
South Sea Islands	.....	6	.....	.....	50	
	.....	89	89	.....	1,245	
Pianofortes.						
Australasia—		No.	No.			
Victoria	.....	69	.....	.....	1,764	
Queensland	.....	401	.....	.....	10,304	
South Australia	.....	25	.....	.....	562	
Western Australia ...	.....	127	.....	.....	2,820	
Tasmania	.....	4	.....	.....	101	
New Zealand	.....	30	.....	.....	664	
United Kingdom	.....	5	.....	.....	209	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	.....	.....	42	
Cape Colony	.....	1	.....	.....	30	
Fiji	.....	8	.....	.....	283	
China	.....	1	.....	.....	30	
New Caledonia	.....	4	.....	.....	108	
Germany	.....	1	.....	.....	18	
Japan	.....	1	.....	.....	50	
South Sea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	41	
United States	.....	1	.....	.....	50	
	.....	681	681	.....	17,076	
Other.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	32	.....	.....	391	
Queensland	.....	37	.....	.....	592	
South Australia	.....	29	.....	.....	194	
Western Australia ...	.....	21	.....	.....	340	
Tasmania	.....	2	.....	.....	8	
New Zealand	.....	7	.....	.....	108	
United Kingdom	.....	1	.....	.....	100	
Fiji	.....	3	.....	.....	19	
New Guinea	.....	1	.....	.....	7	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	2	.....	.....	8	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
South Sea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	82	
United States	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
	.....	139	139	.....	1,859	
Materials.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Queensland	.....	2	.....	.....	5	
Western Australia ...	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
New Zealand	.....	1	.....	.....	13	
Germany	.....	1	.....	.....	15	
	.....	5	5	.....	38	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Iron and Steel.						
Angle, Bar, and Rod.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	772	772	.....	642	642
Queensland	1,895	16,371	18,266	1,149	7,620	8,769
South Australia	78	187	265	30	97	127
Western Australia ...	.....	679	679	.....	386	386
Tasmania...	184	745	929	66	287	353
New Zealand	1,952	2,567	4,519	758	1,301	2,059
United Kingdom	.....	217	217	.....	170	170
Fiji	57	1,706	1,763	23	794	817
Hong Kong	.....	64	64	.....	24	24
New Guinea	.....	35	35	.....	19	19
New Caledonia	.....	243	243	.....	92	92
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	12	12	.....	5	5
South Sea Islands	.....	51	51	.....	24	24
	4,166	23,649	27,815	2,026	11,461	13,487
Hoop.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	224	.....	.....	96	
Queensland	.....	2,055	.....	.....	1,077	
South Australia... ...	.....	20	.....	.....	8	
Western Australia ...	.....	93	.....	.....	42	
Tasmania	.....	70	.....	.....	40	
New Zealand	.....	224	.....	.....	114	
Fiji	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
New Guinea	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	49	.....	.....	26	
South Sea Islands	.....	10	.....	.....	6	
	.....	2,749	2,749	.....	1,411	1,411
Plate and Sheet.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	83	414	497	32	193	225
Queensland	194	5,103	5,297	90	2,524	2,614
South Australia... ...	.....	536	536	.....	239	239
Western Australia ...	469	46	515	242	21	263
Tasmania	.....	144	144	.....	75	75
New Zealand	2,000	2,466	4,466	878	1,141	2,019
United Kingdom	.....	10	10	.....	5	5
Fiji	.....	173	173	.....	105	105
New Caledonia	.....	21	21	.....	10	10
South Sea Islands	.....	4	4	.....	2	2
	2,746	8,917	11,663	1,242	4,315	5,557
Pipes (Wrought).						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	525	2,000	2,525	377	1,565	1,942
Queensland	.....	15,961	15,961	.....	12,529	12,529
South Australia	.....	1,977	1,977	.....	1,493	1,493
Western Australia ...	1,816	3,664	5,480	1,490	2,820	4,310
Tasmania...	.....	216	216	.....	177	177
New Zealand	.....	3,936	3,936	.....	3,086	3,086
United Kingdom	.....	25	25	.....	15	15
Fiji	.....	675	675	.....	497	497
Norfolk Island	.....	3	3	.....	2	2
New Caledonia	.....	464	464	.....	340	340
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	4	4	.....	3	3
South Sea Islands	.....	34	34	.....	25	25
	2,341	28,959	31,300	1,867	22,552	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Iron and Steel—*continued.*						
Pipes (Cast).						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	
Victoria	.....	120	120	.....	40	
Queensland	36	2,255	2,291	14	673	6
South Australia	.....	211	211	.....	70	
Western Australia ...	16,195	611	16,806	8,150	172	8,3
Tasmania	646	96	742	193	27	2
New Zealand	.....	1,944	1,944	.....	653	6
Fiji	150	240	390	50	78	1
New Caledonia	.....	909	909	.....	264	2
	17,027	6,386	23,413	8,407	1,977	10,3
Other Castings.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	27	38	65	26	18	
Queensland	126	441	567	126	433	5
South Australia	3	16	19	2	13	
Western Australia ...	50	451	501	60	192	2
Tasmania	22	32	54	23	24	
New Zealand	101	224	325	153	203	3
Fiji	46	61	107	30	50	
New Guinea	.....	2	2	.....	1	
New Caledonia	50	57	107	33	39	
South Sea Islands	22	29	51	15	32	
	447	1,351	1,798	468	1,005	1,4
Other Wrought.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	11	11	.....	9	
Queensland	66	1,612	1,678	57	825	8
South Australia	.....	9	9	.....	7	
Western Australia ...	3	290	293	4	156	1
Tasmania	.....	13	13	.....	6	
New Zealand	.....	209	209	.....	103	1
Fiji	.....	30	30	.....	32	
New Guinea	20	.....	20	28	.....	
New Caledonia	.....	22	22	.....	15	
	89	2,196	2,285	89	1,153	1,
Bolts, Spikes, Nuts, & Screws.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	54	54	.....	79	
Queensland	.....	1,619	1,619	.....	1,651	1,
South Australia	.....	95	95	.....	115	
Western Australia ...	13	290	303	18	394	
Tasmania...	.....	37	37	.....	38	
New Zealand	6	262	268	8	250	
Fiji	8	334	342	9	385	
New Guinea	.....	9	9	.....	11	
Norfolk Island	.....	2	2	.....	3	
New Caledonia	62	93	155	73	113	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	14	14	.....	25	
South Sea Islands	1	63	64	1	84	
	90	2,872	2,962	109	3,148	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
d Steel—*continued.*						
Chains.						
alasia—		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
toria	.....	45	.....	.....	46	
eensland	.....	680	.....	.....	597	
uth Australia	.....	37	.....	.....	34	
estern Australia ...	.....	54	.....	.....	53	
smania...	.....	16	.....	.....	14	
w Zealand	.....	132	.....	.....	125	
... ...	.....	158	.....	.....	147	
Guinea	.....	26	.....	.....	26	
Caledonia	.....	9	.....	.....	9	
hall Islands	.....	20	.....	.....	21	
ommern (New Britain) ..	.....	8	.....	.....	8	
Sea Islands	.....	111	.....	.....	100	
	.....	1,296	1,296	.....	1,180	1,180
irders and Joists.						
alasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
toria	.....	410	.....	.....	189	
eensland	.....	839	.....	.....	382	
estern Australia ...	.....	3,936	.....	.....	1,840	
smania	.....	519	.....	.....	182	
w Zealand	.....	1,448	.....	.....	613	
Caledonia	.....	110	.....	.....	70	
	.....	7,262	7,262	.....	3,276	3,276
Nails.						
alasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
toria	.....	306	.....	.....	194	
eensland	.....	2,838	.....	.....	1,567	
uth Australia	.....	602	.....	.....	366	
estern Australia ...	.....	1,278	.....	.....	794	
smania	.....	492	.....	.....	259	
w Zealand	.....	316	.....	.....	179	
... ...	.....	400	.....	.....	318	
Guinea	.....	63	.....	.....	34	
olk Island	.....	21	.....	.....	12	
Caledonia	.....	149	.....	.....	89	
any	.....	27	.....	.....	36	
hall Islands	.....	5	.....	.....	4	
ommern (New Britain) ..	.....	40	.....	.....	24	
h Sea Islands	.....	335	.....	.....	229	
	.....	6,872	6,872	.....	4,105	4,105
Rivets.						
alasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
toria	.....	129	129	.....	122	122
eensland	.....	217	217	.....	210	210
uth Australia	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
estern Australia ...	200	11	211	150	10	160
w Zealand	.....	134	134	.....	125	125
... ...	.....	53	53	.....	46	46
alk Island	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
Caledonia	.....	5	5	.....	5	5
	200	551	751	150	521	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tot
Iron and Steel—*continued.*						
Tanks.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	
Victoria	.....	62	62	.....	116	
Queensland	.....	188	188	.....	483	
South Australia... ...	.....	266	266	.....	520	
Western Australia ...	.....	707	707	.....	1,399	1
Tasmania...	.....	2	2	.....	5	
New Zealand	.....	13	13	.....	31	
United Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	4	
Fiji	.....	208	208	.....	396	
New Guinea	.....	18	18	.....	34	
Norfolk Island	.....	10	10	.....	20	
New Caledonia	.....	100	100	.....	227	
Marshall Islands	.....	5	5	.....	11	
New Pommern (New Britain)...	.....	53	53	.....	140	
South Sea Islands... ...	2	88	90	11	194	
United States	.....	2	2	.....	3	
	2	1,724	1,726	11	3,583	3
Scrap and Old.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	1,195	.....	.....	135	
Queensland	.....	5,340	.....	.....	716	
South Australia... ...	.....	36	.....	.....	3	
New Zealand	.....	355	.....	.....	47	
United Kingdom	.....	34,097	.....	.....	3,418	
Hong Kong	.....	1,328	.....	.....	193	
Italy	.....	11,136	.....	.....	1,114	
Japan	.....	82	.....	.....	24	
	.....	53,569	53,569	.....	5,650	5
Wire—not galvanised (Black Wire).						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	1,105	.....	.....	441	
Queensland	.....	11,910	.....	.....	4,781	
South Australia... ...	.....	126	.....	.....	47	
Western Australia ...	.....	1,137	.....	.....	448	
Tasmania	.....	3,884	.....	.....	1,510	
New Zealand	.....	4,352	.....	.....	1,585	
Fiji	.....	368	.....	.....	143	
New Guinea	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	157	.....	.....	62	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	12	.....	.....	5	
South Sea Islands	.....	55	.....	.....	22	
	.....	23,108	23,108	.....	9,045	9
Wire Rope.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	426	.....	.....	865	
Queensland	.....	686	.....	.....	1,363	
South Australia... ...	.....	197	.....	.....	407	
Western Australia ...	.....	257	.....	.....	558	
Tasmania	.....	178	.....	.....	418	
New Zealand	.....	416	.....	.....	886	
United Kingdom	.....	20	.....	.....	45	
Fiji	.....	45	.....	.....	81	
New Caledonia	.....	6	.....	.....	13	
South Sea Islands	.....	31	.....	.....	69	
	.....	2,262	2,262	.....	4,705	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

d Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Steel—*continued.*						
nnised Hoop.						
sia—		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
ria	.....	10	.....	.....	7	
aland	.....	157	.....	.....	105	
rn Australia ...	.....	281	.....	.....	184	
nia	.....	3	.....	.....	2	
Zealand	.....	20	.....	.....	13	
ledonia	.....	8	.....	.....	5	
	.....	479	479		316	316
ed Manufactures.						
sia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
ria	5	83	88	9	79	88
aland	13	3	16	26	8	34
Australia	36	12	48	55	17	72
rn Australia ...	18	28	46	25	50	75
... ...	300	55	355	412	77	489
inea	51	12	63	70	19	89
Island	10	3	13	16	5	21
ledonia	39	60	99	50	93	143
l Islands	2	.....	2	4	.....	4
mern (New Britain)...	48	15	63	80	21	101
n Islands	121	46	167	154	67	221
	643	317	960	901	436	1,337
d Sheets and Bars.						
sia—		cwt.	cwt.			
ia	.....	9,755	.....	.....	7,935	
aland	.....	43,705	.....	.....	33,331	
Australia	.....	2,421	.....	.....	1,849	
rn Australia ...	.....	5,265	.....	.....	4,043	
nia	.....	1,398	.....	.....	1,074	
Zealand	.....	999	.....	.....	756	
... ...	.....	3,577	.....	.....	2,749	
inea	.....	535	.....	.....	420	
Island	.....	103	.....	.....	82	
edonia	.....	954	.....	.....	727	
l Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
mern (New Britain)...	.....	452	.....	.....	365	
n Islands	.....	1,630	.....	.....	1,272	
	.....	70,795	70,795	.....	54,604	54,604
d Wire (Barbed).						
sia—		cwt.	cwt.			
ia	.....	379	.....	.....	212	
aland...	.....	2,336	.....	.....	1,413	
Australia	.....	71	.....	.....	56	
rn Australia ...	.....	200	.....	.....	125	
nia...	.....	241	.....	.....	146	
Zealand	.....	1,130	.....	.....	681	
... ...	.....	355	.....	.....	219	
inea	.....	10	.....	.....	6	
Island	.....	50	.....	.....	30	
edonia	.....	162	.....	.....	98	
mern (New Britain) ...	.....	5	.....	.....	3	
n Islands	.....	447	.....	.....	272	
	.....	5,386	5,386	.....	3,261	3,261

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	T
Iron and Steel—*continued.*						
Galvanised Wire (Telegraphic)		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	6	6	.....	4	
Galvanised Wire (Other).						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	270	.....	.....	129	
Queensland	.....	1,129	.....	.....	568	
South Australia	.....	13	.....	.....	6	
Western Australia ...	.....	440	.....	.....	218	
Tasmania	.....	471	.....	.....	220	
New Zealand	.....	856	.....	.....	401	
Fiji	.....	55	.....	.....	26	
New Guinea	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Norfolk Island	.....	20	.....	.....	10	
New Caledonia	.....	40	.....	.....	20	
Marshall Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
	.....	3,300	3,300	.....	1,601	
Galvanised Wire Netting.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	8,718	174	8,892	8,800	160	
Queensland	30,724	921	31,645	30,033	1,150	
South Australia	8,667	666	9,333	8,786	520	
Western Australia ...	528	10	538	536	9	
Tasmania	1,736	30	1,766	1,812	37	
New Zealand	387	55	442	426	60	
Fiji	40	21	61	35	19	
New Guinea	14	10	24	12	9	
New Caledonia	25	5	30	23	4	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	5	11	16	4	10	
South Sea Islands	26	29	55	23	31	
	50,870	1,932	52,802	50,490	2,009	
Iron—Pig.						
Australasia—		tons.	tons.			
Victoria	.....	31	.....	.....	120	
Queensland	.....	530	.....	.....	1,907	
South Australia... ...	.....	38	.....	.....	142	
Western Australia ...	.....	64	.....	.....	197	
New Zealand	.....	774	.....	.....	2,865	
New Caledonia	.....	8	.....	.....	31	
South Sea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	8	
	.....	1,447	1,447	.....	5,270	
Iron—Oxide of.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Victoria	998	.....	.....	101	.....	
Queensland	637	.....	.....	76	.....	
South Australia... ...	3,670	.....	.....	365	.....	
New Zealand	2,090	.....	.....	246	.....	
New Caledonia	113	.....	.....	13	.....	
	7,508	.....	7,508	801	.....	
Ironmongery.						
(See Hardware and Ironmongery.)						

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Countries to which exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
ine and Isinglass.)						
(Vegetable).		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
ingdom	.....	1,491	.....	.....	442	
... ...	.....	3,821	.....	.....	1,189	
	.....	5,312	5,312	.....	1,631	1,631
ellies.						
a—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
... ...	797	41,592	42,389	18	580	598
and	13,024	31,852	44,876	267	546	813
ustralia	288	4,392	4,680	4	68	72
Australia ...	12,408	5,461	17,869	175	86	261
ia	.....	639	639	.....	12	12
aland	.....	1,164	1,164	.....	18	18
ingdom	330	6,041	6,371	5	101	106
Dominion ...	.....	4,146	4,146	.....	74	74
ny	216	.....	216	3	.....	3
... ...	6,156	14,158	20,314	110	278	388
ig	.....	1,692	1,692	.....	27	27
... ...	.....	288	288	.....	4	4
... ...	72	400	472	1	8	9
... ...	.....	120	120	.....	2	2
ea	648	2,160	2,808	9	39	48
land	.....	144	144	.....	2	2
... ...	.....	120	120	.....	2	2
... ...	.....	306	306	.....	4	4
... ...	720	.....	720	8	.....	8
... ...	.....	547	547	.....	8	8
lonia	4,248	9,996	14,244	52	183	235
... ...	.....	60	60	.....	1	1
rn (New Britain) ...	120	156	276	2	3	5
... ...	1,164	144	1,308	17	2	19
Islands	1,724	10,424	12,148	29	209	238
Islands... ...	.....	72	72	.....	1	1
ates	.....	1,905	1,905	.....	33	33
	41,915	137,979	179,894	700	2,291	2,991
nd Precious Stones.						
a—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
... ...	1	9	10	9	719	728
land	.....	16	16	.....	1,003	1,003
ustralia	.....	8	8	.....	1,126	1,126
Australia ...	.....	15	15	.....	491	491
ia	.....	3	3	.....	28	28
aland	.....	4	4	.....	214	214
ngdom	2	4	6	95	201	296
... ...	.....	3	3	.....	35	35
lonia	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
... ...	.....	4	4	.....	150	150
Islands	.....	1	1	.....	20	20
... ...	.....	1	1	.....	50	50
Islands	.....	4	4	.....	12	12
ates	1	1	2	144	20	164
	4	74	78	248	4,074	4,322

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tot
Jewellers' and Mint Sweepings.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	33	.....	33	115	.....	
South Australia... ...	1	.....	1	50	.....	
United Kingdom	83	.....	83	1,035	.....	1
Germany	4	4	8	110	45	
	121	4	125	1,310	45	1
Kapok.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	10	.....	.....	24	
Queensland	.....	370	.....	.....	758	
South Australia... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	4	
Tasmania	.....	60	.....	.....	160	
New Zealand	.....	1,315	.....	.....	3,151	
Fiji	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
New Caledonia	.....	6	.....	.....	16	
South Sea Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
United States	.....	595	.....	.....	892	
	.....	2,360	2,360	.....	5,010	5
Kerosene Shale.						
Australasia—	tons.		tons.			
Victoria	81	.....	.....	187	.....	
Queensland	33	.....	.....	84	.....	
South Australia... ...	502	.....	.....	1,090	.....	
Western Australia ...	12	.....	.....	25	.....	
Tasmania...	120	.....	.....	319	.....	
New Zealand	481	.....	.....	1,214	.....	
United Kingdom	1,431	.....	.....	3,156	.....	
Cape Colony	24	.....	.....	50	.....	
Fiji	24	.....	.....	48	.....	
Hong Kong	50	.....	.....	105	.....	
Ceylon	25	.....	.....	63	.....	
Belgium	205	.....	.....	500	.....	
Chili	2,016	.....	.....	4,148	.....	
China	80	.....	.....	220	.....	
Ecuador	202	.....	.....	525	.....	
Italy	5,713	.....	.....	13,675	.....	
Netherlands	2,267	.....	.....	5,000	.....	
Java...	54	.....	.....	150	.....	
Peru	400	.....	.....	1,007	.....	
United States	500	.....	.....	1,280	.....	
	14,220	.....	14,220	32,846	.....	32
Lampware.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	225	225	.....	684	
Queensland	5	142	147	15	536	
South Australia	1	43	44	4	210	
Western Australia ...	3	72	75	13	673	
Tasmania...	1	56	57	1	635	
New Zealand	.....	94	94	.....	1,153	1
United Kingdom	.....	4	4	.....	38	
Fiji	.....	68	68	.....	162	
New Guinea	.....	10	10	.....	16	
Norfolk Island	.....	2	2	.....	7	
New Caledonia	.....	16	16	.....	87	
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	8	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	8	8	.....	25	
South Sea Islands	.....	43	43	.....	100	
	10	784	794	33	4	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
lasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
oria	8,691	6,384	15,075	155	112	267
ensland	1,346	.....	1,346	24	.....	24
h Australia	4,408	893	5,301	86	14	100
tern Australia ...	4,157	.....	4,157	82	.....	82
ian Dominion ...	176	.....	176	3	.....	3
... ...	378	1,308	1,686	8	24	32
... ...	405	.....	405	5	.....	5
Guinea	384	.....	384	8	.....	8
aledonia	17,859	25,065	42,924	274	417	691
mmern (New Britain) ..	448	.....	448	8	.....	8
Sea Islands	2,471	768	3,239	61	13	74
	40,723	34,418	75,141	714	580	1,294
Pig.						
lasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
ensland	75	2,668	2,743	36	1,544	1,580
tern Australia ...	402	98	500	223	55	278
mania	.....	348	348	.....	203	203
Zealand	.....	6,004	6,004	.....	3,525	3,525
l Kingdom	.....	18,300	18,300	.....	9,500	9,500
... ...	.....	34	34	.....	20	20
Kong	.....	29,960	29,960	.....	16,249	16,249
Settlements ...	.....	200	200	.....	112	112
... ...	.....	2,560	2,560	.....	1,320	1,320
aledonia	.....	93	93	.....	54	54
... ...	.....	100	100	.....	56	56
l States	.....	1,161	1,161	.....	588	588
	477	61,526	62,003	259	33,226	33,485
heet and Roll.						
lasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
oria	.....	3	3	.....	2	2
ensland	2,484	501	2,985	1,715	348	2,063
h Australia ...	12	.....	12	8	.....	8
tern Australia ...	98	.....	98	67	.....	67
mania...	563	.....	563	390	.....	390
Zealand	9,817	.....	9,817	6,870	.....	6,870
... ...	24	.....	24	16	.....	16
Guinea	3	.....	3	2	.....	2
k Island	10	.....	10	7	.....	7
aledonia	3	.....	3	2	.....	2
	13,014	504	13,518	9,077	350	9,427
Pipes.						
lasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
oria	.....	3	3	.....	2	2
ensland	441	.....	441	364	.....	364
tern Australia ...	3	.....	3	3	.....	3
mania	279	.....	279	249	.....	249
Zealand	493	.....	493	443	.....	443
... ...	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
aledonia	24	.....	24	18	.....	18
	1,240	4	1,244	1,077	3	1,080

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	T
Lead—*continued.*						
Old.		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	
Hong Kong	.....	152	152	.....	73	
Leather.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	346	92	438	6,488	3,295	
Queensland	83	249	332	562	7,306	
South Australia ...	120	11	131	2,206	206	
Western Australia ...	178	4	182	2,436	48	
Tasmania...	38	19	57	793	215	
New Zealand	119	76	195	2,227	1,618	
United Kingdom	13,945	25	13,970	304,459	988	3
Cape Colony	8	.....	8	135	.....	
Fiji	26	1	27	215	1	
Hong Kong	9	.....	9	151	.....	
Ceylon	3	1	4	68	88	
Mauritius	26	.....	26	539	.....	
New Guinea	2	.....	2	3	.....	
Austria	13	.....	13	358	.....	
Belgium	22	.....	22	318	.....	
Denmark	2	.....	2	44	.....	
Egypt	1	.....	1	12	.....	
{ France	3	.....	3	24	.....	
{ New Caledonia	38	7	45	565	30	
Germany	26	.....	26	472	.....	
Hawaiian Islands... ...	8	.....	8	113	.....	
Italy	26	.....	26	364	.....	
Japan	104	1	105	2,327	40	
Java...	2	.....	2	31	.....	
South Sea Islands	6	.....	6	16	.....	
United States	11	9	20	63	137	
	15,165	495	15,660	324,989	13,972	3
Lime.						
Australasia—	tons.	tons.	tons.			
Victoria	27	19	46	42	40	
Queensland	102	.....	102	225	.....	
South Australia	1	.....	1	2	.....	
New Zealand	35	.....	35	71	.....	
Fiji	262	.....	262	496	.....	
New Guinea	1	.....	1	2	.....	
South Sea Islands	1	.....	1	2	.....	
	429	19	448	840	40	
Limejuice.						
In Bulk.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	192	.....	.....	12	
Queensland	.....	471	.....	.....	45	
South Australia	.....	199	.....	.....	18	
Western Australia ...	.....	742	.....	.....	69	
New Zealand	.....	256	.....	.....	25	
	.....	1,860	1,860	.....	169	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
e—*continued.*						
In Bottle.						
lasia—		gal.	gal.	£	£	£
oria	.....	35	.....	.....	8	
nsland	.....	194	.....	.....	60	
h Australia... ...	.....	16	.....	.....	3	
tern Australia ...	.....	486	.....	.....	123	
nania	.....	6	.....	.....	2	
Zealand	.....	6	.....	.....	2	
Kingdom	.....	27	.....	.....	7	
... ...	.....	28	.....	.....	6	
ins	.....	5	.....	.....	1	
uinea	.....	12	.....	.....	3	
Settlements ...	.....	6	.....	.....	1	
n	.....	12	.....	.....	3	
aledonia	.....	60	.....	.....	16	
ea Islands	.....	6	.....	.....	1	
States	.....	21	.....	.....	5	
	.....	920	920	.....	241	241
asia—		cwt.	cwt.			
oria	.....	347	.....	.....	190	
nsland	.....	689	.....	.....	367	
h Australia	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
ern Australia ...	.....	6	.....	.....	4	
... ...	.....	5	.....	.....	3	
aledonia	.....	8	.....	.....	5	
ea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
	.....	1,059	1,059	.....	571	571
l and Vermicelli.						
asia—		lb.	lb.			
oria	.....	2,234	.....	.....	38	
nsland	.....	14,436	.....	.....	241	
h Australia... ..	.....	112	.....	.....	2	
nania	.....	896	.....	.....	15	
Zealand	.....	1,534	.....	.....	24	
... ...	.....	180	.....	.....	3	
nern (New Britain) ..	.....	56	.....	.....	1	
ea Islands	.....	616	.....	.....	10	
	.....	20,064	20,064	.....	334	334
y.						
gricultural.						
asia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
oria	19	119	138	72	632	704
nsland	8	191	199	92	727	819
h Australia	2	6	8	15	55	70
ern Australia ...	.....	70	70	.....	278	278
nania...	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
Zealand	3	30	33	23	130	153
... ...	1	13	14	4	72	76
aledonia	.....	19	19	.....	105	105
ea Islands	1	1	2	20	4	24
	34	450	484	226	2,006	2,232

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Machinery—*continued.*						
Electrical.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	5	.....	.....	124	
Queensland	.....	4	.....	.....	137	
South Australia	.....	1	.....	.....	4	
Western Australia ...	.....	2	.....	.....	50	
New Zealand	.....	7	.....	.....	222	
	.....	19	19	.....	537	5
Engines—Portable.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	4	.....	.....	319	
Queensland	.....	5	.....	.....	425	
South Australia	.....	9	.....	.....	450	
Western Australia ...	.....	1	.....	.....	50	
	.....	19	19	.....	1,244	1,2
Engines—Steam.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	5	.....	.....	1,196	
Queensland	.....	6	.....	.....	1,422	
South Australia... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	160	
Western Australia ...	.....	13	.....	.....	1,006	
Tasmania...	.....	2	.....	.....	200	
New Zealand	.....	16	.....	.....	676	
	.....	44	44	.....	4,660	4,6
Engines—Boilers for.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	2	6	8	350	430	7
Queensland	3	11	14	95	312	4
South Australia	.....	2	2	.....	150	1
Western Australia ...	4	26	30	105	886	9
Chili	.....	3	3	.....	70	
	9	48	57	550	1,848	2,3
Engines—Parts of.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	7	235	242	28	545	5
Queensland	.....	6	6	.....	33	
South Australia	4	78	82	10	279	2
Western Australia ...	1	63	64	3	240	2
Tasmania	.....	1	1	.....	2	
United Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	48	
Fiji	.....	5	5	.....	14	
New Caledonia	2	18	20	6	85	
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	18	
South Sea Islands	.....	6	6	.....	9	
	14	415	429	47	1,273	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
ury—continued.						
ighing Machines.						
lasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
toria	.....	6	6	.....	45	45
ensland	.....	39	39	.....	271	271
th Australia	.....	5	5	.....	14	14
stern Australia ...	.....	48	48	.....	201	201
r Zealand	.....	3	3	.....	17	17
d Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	12	12
. ...	1	10	11	4	57	61
Guinea	.....	1	1	.....	12	12
mmern (New Britain) ..	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
Sea Islands	.....	16	16	.....	62	62
	1	131	132	4	695	699
chinery—Other.						
lasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
toria	215	1,389	1,604	1,812	20,334	22,146
ensland	737	2,901	3,638	3,150	22,761	25,911
th Australia	174	397	571	1,580	8,304	9,884
stern Australia ...	234	1,032	1,266	3,027	11,192	14,219
mania...	47	122	169	695	1,143	1,838
r Zealand	20	1,459	1,479	307	10,812	11,119
d Kingdom	7	262	269	38	8,033	8,071
Colony	26	5	31	353	65	418
. ...	12	285	297	117	2,132	2,249
Guinea	9	7	16	78	43	121
m	.....	1	1	.....	10	10
Caledonia	5	34	39	60	172	232
any	.....	13	13	.....	390	390
mmern (New Britain) ..	4	4	8	14	29	43
ian Islands	.....	1	1	.....	9	9
. ...	.....	106	106	.....	320	320
Sea Islands	.....	8	8	.....	48	48
n	.....	5	5	.....	800	800
d States	.....	3	3	.....	89	89
	1,490	8,034	9,524	11,231	86,686	97,917
lasia—		bshl.	bshl.			
toria	.....	55	.....	.....	12	
ensland	.....	11,978	.....	.....	3,461	
th Australia	.....	2,140	.....	.....	622	
stern Australia ...	.....	2,758	.....	.....	732	
r Zealand	.....	548	.....	.....	150	
Caledonia	.....	60	.....	.....	17	
	.....	17,539	17,539	.....	4,994	4,994

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tot
Manures.						
Bone-dust.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	28,288	.....	28,288	3,883	.....	3,
Queensland	74	.....	74	19	.....	
South Australia... ...	994	6,000	6,994	154	1,050	1,
Western Australia ...	1,703	.....	1,703	277	.....	
Tasmania...	24,904	.....	24,904	4,152	.....	4,
New Zealand	72,248	.....	72,248	12,236	.....	12,
United Kingdom	1,280	.....	1,280	180	.....	
Fiji	322	.....	322	55	.....	
Mauritius	5,029	.....	5,029	748	.....	
Java...	20	.....	20	4	.....	
	134,862	6,000	140,862	21,708	1,050	22,
Guano.						
Australasia—	.....	cwt.	cwt.	.....		
Queensland		83	.....		45	
Western Australia ...	.....	6	.....	.....	4	
New Zealand	.....	692	.....	.....	138	
	.....	781	781	.....	187	
Other.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	6,670	8,069	14,739	1,094	3,109	4,
Queensland	230	620	850	71	209	
South Australia... ...	3,725	1,387	5,112	529	554	1,
Western Australia ...	890	.....	890	202	.....	
Tasmania	7,973	940	8,913	1,593	184	1,
New Zealand	50,925	3,420	54,345	10,186	1,120	11,
United Kingdom	60	.....	60	20	.....	
Fiji	4,812	.....	4,812	1,773	.....	1,
India	4	.....	4	1	.....	
Mauritius	59,882	.....	59,882	14,012	.....	14,
Germany	40	.....	40	6	.....	
Hawaiian Islands	432	.....	432	107	.....	
Japan	1,041	.....	1,041	159	.....	
Java	17,233	.....	17,233	2,717	.....	2,
	153,917	14,436	168,353	32,470	5,176	37,
Marble (exclusive of Statuary and Monuments).						
Wrought—Other than Mantel-pieces.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	118	118	.....	259	
Queensland	1	192	193	10	384	
South Australia... ...	.....	29	29	.....	79	
Western Australia ...	.....	54	54	.....	158	
Tasmania	.....	13	13	.....	35	
New Zealand	2	86	88	9	230	
Fiji	.....	3	3	.....	20	
Belgium	.....	3	3	.....	26	
New Caledonia	1	.....	1	2	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	1	1	.....	5	
South Sea Islands	.....	3	3	.....	26	
	4	502	506	21	1,222	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
(exclusive of Statuary and Monuments)—*continued.*						
Unwrought.						
lasia—		pkg.	pkg.		£	£
oria	.....	67	.....	.....	149	
nsland	.....	253	.....	.....	167	
h Australia... ...	.....	71	.....	.....	206	
ern Australia ...	.....	13	.....	.....	32	
ania...	.....	10	.....	.....	16	
Zealand	.....	88	.....	.....	135	
aledonia	.....	3	.....	.....	18	
	.....	505	505	.....	723	723
and Vestas.						
Wax.						
lasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
oria	.....	143	.....	.....	203	
nsland	.....	278	.....	.....	495	
h Australia	.....	146	.....	.....	213	
ern Australia ...	.....	584	.....	.....	836	
ania...	.....	49	.....	.....	64	
Zealand	.....	20	.....	.....	27	
Kingdom	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
... ...	.....	68	.....	.....	147	
uinea	.....	35	.....	.....	48	
Island	.....	7	.....	.....	10	
aledonia	.....	153	.....	.....	351	
amern (New Britain) ..	.....	2	.....	.....	3	
Sea Islands	.....	130	.....	.....	242	
	.....	1,616	1,616	.....	2,640	2,640
Wooden.						
asia—		pkg.	pkg.			
oria	.....	6	.....	.....	19	
nsland	.....	8	.....	.....	26	
h Australia... ...	.....	12	.....	.....	35	
ern Australia ...	.....	19	.....	.....	73	
ania...	.....	97	.....	.....	205	
Zealand	.....	52	.....	.....	199	
... ...	.....	119	.....	.....	461	
uinea	.....	14	.....	.....	48	
aledonia	.....	203	.....	.....	668	
... ...	.....	400	.....	.....	450	
Sea Islands	.....	75	.....	.....	291	
	.....	1,005	1,005	.....	2,475	2,475

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	To
Mats and Matting.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	
Victoria	5	47	52	15	102	
Queensland	14	117	131	73	227	
South Australia... ...	1	95	96	2	168	
Western Australia ...	4	55	59	15	128	
Tasmania	.....	3	3	.....	11	
New Zealand	1	79	80	2	228	
United Kingdom	1	.....	1	1	.....	
Fiji	1	2	3	3	5	
India	.....	1	1	.....	2	
Norfolk Island	.....	1	1	.....	2	
New Caledonia	1	.....	1	3	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	4	.....	4	6	.....	
South Sea Islands	.....	3	3	.....	4	
	32	403	435	120	877	
Mattresses.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	3	4	7	9	3	
Queensland	2	5	7	5	14	
South Australia... ...	66	6	72	35	8	
Western Australia ...	21	.....	21	52	.....	
Tasmania	.....	4	4	.....	14	
Fiji	50	9	59	45	11	
New Caledonia	9	.....	9	7	.....	
Marshall Islands	.....	1	1	.....	5	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	1	1	2	6	2	
Japan	.....	2	2	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	13	5	18	11	3	
	165	37	202	170	61	
Meat.						
Bacon and Ham.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	6,782	4,012	10,794	158	178	
Queensland	1,739	6,325	8,064	51	237	
South Australia	47,457	2,788	50,245	960	109	
Western Australia ...	100,573	7,068	107,641	2,391	193	
Tasmania	.....	196	196	.....	7	
New Zealand	504	1,624	2,128	19	49	
United Kingdom	.....	2,143	2,143	.....	72	
Cape Colony	525	520	1,045	13	12	
Fiji	551	1,036	1,587	16	28	
Hong Kong...	123	2,675	2,798	4	100	
Ceylon	224	.....	224	6	.....	
New Guinea	2,923	1,262	4,185	63	39	
Norfolk Island	219	.....	219	5	.....	
China	118	.....	118	3	.....	
New Caledonia	29,724	12,084	41,808	729	365	
Marshall Islands	224	.....	224	5	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	370	448	818	9	16	
Japan	455	404	859	12	11	
Russia—Kamtschatka ...	.....	60	60	.....	2	
Java...	224	.....	224	5	.....	
Philippine Islands... ...	448	.....	448	16	.....	
South Sea Islands	3,409	3,106	6,515	95	142	
United States	.....	594	594	.....	22	
	196,592	46,345	242,937	4,560	1,582	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

d Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
ntinued.						
tract of Beef.						
asia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
ria	89	443	532	16	67	83
ern Australia ...	195	10	205	42	2	44
Kingdom	142,140	32,186	174,326	24,873	4,547	29,420
olony	62	.....	62	10	.....	10
... ...	2,672	56	2,728	382	19	401
uinea	50	3	53	8	1	9
aledonia	48	25	73	8	5	13
amern (New Britain) ..	128	.....	128	20	.....	20
lea Islands	10	61	71	1	10	11
	145,394	32,784	178,178	25,360	4,651	30,011
Fresh.						
asia—	cwt.		cwt.			
ria	1,276	.....	1,276	1,047	.....	1,047
Frozen Beef.	Domestic Produce.					
asia—	quarters.	cwt.	cwt.			
ria	88 or	170	.....	79	.....	
Kingdom	8,661 „	13,726	.....	8,123	.....	
olony	800 „	1,361	.....	1,200	.....	
... ...	438 „	737	.....	527	.....	
... ...	678 „	1,170	.....	1,123	.....	
... ...	2,501 „	4,280	.....	3,400	.....	
... ...	3,108 „	5,235	.....	2,052	.....	
an Islands	12 „	20	.....	14	.....	
	16,286 or	26,699	26,699	16,518	.....	16,518
ozen Mutton.						
asia—	carcases.	cwt.	cwt.			
ria	121,434 or	55,982	.....	48,722	.....	
Kingdom	1,207,643 „	540,174	.....	264,948	.....	
olony	14,276 „	6,387	.....	4,667	.....	
ar	6,000 „	2,850	.....	1,965	.....	
... ...	2,351 „	1,032	.....	854	.....	
... ...	10,501 „	4,407	.....	3,042	.....	
... ...	10,143 „	4,645	.....	2,676	.....	
an Islands	25 „	12	.....	5	.....	
	1,372,373 or	615,489	615,489	326,879	.....	326,879
x Tails and Kidneys.	cwt.		cwt.			
Kingdom	340	.....	.....	256	.....	
... ...	38	.....	.....	27	.....	
	378	.....	378	283	.....	283
ozen Poultry.	pkg.		pkg.			
Kingdom	9	.....	.....	12	.....	
an Dominion ...	1	.....	.....	1	.....	
	10	.....	10	13	.....	13

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.	
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.
Meat—*continued.*					
Game.					
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£
Victoria	2	.....	2	2	.....
Western Australia ...	1	.....	1	1	.....
United Kingdom	151	.....	151	408	.....
Ceylon	1	.....	1	1	.....
France	15	.....	15	30	.....
New Caledonia	4	1	5	7	18
	174	1	175	449	18
Rabbits.					
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.		
Queensland	7	.....	.....	9	.....
United Kingdom	282	.....	.....	325	.....
Cape Colony	32	.....	.....	48	.....
Ceylon	18	.....	.....	8	.....
	339	.....	339	390	.....
Preserved Meat.					
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.		
Victoria	645,647	15,940	661,587	6,684	396
Queensland	29,949	8,805	38,754	572	154
South Australia... ...	116,784	30,054	146,838	1,796	450
Western Australia ...	1,139,496	62,914	1,202,410	20,545	1,215
Tasmania...	35,320	11,800	47,120	738	164
New Zealand	9,720	53,916	63,636	157	838
United Kingdom	8,859,583	2,394,909	11,254,492	119,382	32,290
Aden	72	.....	72	1	.....
Canadian Dominion ...	87,653	22,520	110,173	1,366	309
Cape Colony	114,906	14,952	129,858	1,845	225
Fiji	380,173	246,940	627,113	5,683	3,645
Hong Kong...	50,608	48	50,656	705	1
India	7,900	1,680	9,580	151	26
Ceylon	2,088	.....	2,088	42	.....
Mauritius	.....	72	72	.....	1
New Guinea	24,068	17,551	41,619	357	280
Norfolk Island	2,632	72	2,704	38	2
Straits Settlements... ...	.....	576	576	.....	8
Belgium	216	11,584	11,800	3	182
Chili	.....	1,180	1,180	.....	20
China	144	.....	144	4	.....
Egypt	72	.....	72	1	.....
France	4,577,237	1,105	4,578,342	53,652	18
Cochin China	.....	576	576	.....	8
New Caledonia	24,990	71,544	96,534	493	1,271
Germany	45,792	11,360	57,152	568	147
Marshall Islands	5,316	3,384	8,700	100	48
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	9,992	14,032	24,024	167	209
Hawaiian Islands	.....	144	144	.....	2
Italy	90,504	696	91,200	1,315	11
Japan	4,208	72	4,280	79	1
Java...	300	.....	300	10	.....
South Sea Islands	80,950	140,555	221,505	1,653	2,046
Caroline Islands	5,520	384	5,904	184	6
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	432	432	.....	6
United States	96	672	768	1	9
	16,351,936	3,140,469	19,492,405	218,292	43,987

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

...s and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
—continued.						
Salt Beef.						
...alasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
...stern	15	3	18	9	3	12
...ueensland	3	9	12	3	9	12
...uth Australia	3	27	30	3	20	23
Western Australia ...	272	38	310	231	30	261
New Zealand	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
...ed Kingdom	.....	27	27	.....	25	25
...e Colony	79	.....	79	86	.....	86
... ...	162	113	275	134	93	227
...ng Kong	47	.....	47	42	.....	42
...pan	18	.....	18	18	.....	18
...nition	129	10	139	123	10	133
...w Guinea	76	9	85	76	8	84
...lk Island	7	.....	7	6	.....	6
...ts Settlements ...	68	.....	68	62	.....	62
...ia	3	.....	3	3	.....	3
... ...	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
...w Caledonia	2,918	1,353	4,271	2,447	1,170	3,617
...many	48	.....	48	51	.....	51
...shall Islands	619	45	664	508	42	550
...mern (New Britain) ..	455	186	641	394	167	501
...mon Islands	2	.....	2	2	.....	2
... ...	3	.....	3	3	.....	3
...h Sea Islands	1,502	250	1,752	1,291	216	1,507
...line Islands	.....	11	11	.....	8	8
...ippine Islands... ...	.....	5	5	.....	4	4
	6,431	2,086	8,517	5,494	1,805	7,299
Salt Mutton.						
...alasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
...estern Australia ...	35	.....	.....	35	.....	
...ria	1	.....	.....	1	.....	
... Caledonia	1	.....	.....	1	.....	
	37	.....	37	37	.....	37
Salt Pork.						
...alasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
...uth Australia... ...	317	.....	.....	626	.....	
...estern Australia ...	304	.....	.....	651	.....	
... ...	2	.....	.....	4	.....	
...ng Kong	1	.....	.....	2	.....	
... Guinea	7	.....	.....	14	.....	
... ...	1	.....	.....	2	.....	
...shall Islands	32	.....	.....	70	.....	
...ermern (New Britain) ..	45	.....	.....	90	.....	
...h Sea Islands	2	.....	.....	4	.....	
	711	.....	711	1,463	.....	1,463
Old.						
...alasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
...ctoria	.....	360	.....	.....	430	
...ed Kingdom	.....	274	.....	.....	315	
...ng Kong	.....	4,191	.....	.....	5,657	
	.....	4,825	4,825	.....	6,402	6,402

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tota
Meat—*continued.*						
Game.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	2	.....	2	2	.....	
Western Australia ...	1	.....	1	1	.....	
United Kingdom	151	.....	151	408	.....	
Ceylon	1	.....	1	1	.....	
France	15	.....	15	30	.....	
New Caledonia	4	1	5	7	18	
	174	1	175	449	18	
Rabbits.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Queensland	7	.....	.....	9	.....	
United Kingdom	282	.....	.....	325	.....	
Cape Colony	32	.....	.....	48	.....	
Ceylon	18	.....	.....	8	.....	
	339	.....	339	390	.....	
Preserved Meat.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	645,647	15,940	661,587	6,684	396	7,
Queensland	29,949	8,805	38,754	572	154	
South Australia... ...	116,784	30,054	146,838	1,796	450	2,
Western Australia ...	1,139,496	62,914	1,202,410	20,545	1,215	21
Tasmania...	35,320	11,800	47,120	738	164	
New Zealand	9,720	53,916	63,636	157	838	
United Kingdom	8,859,583	2,394,909	11,254,492	119,382	32,290	151
Aden	72	.....	72	1	.....	
Canadian Dominion ...	87,653	22,520	110,173	1,366	309	1
Cape Colony	114,906	14,952	129,858	1,845	225	2
Fiji	380,173	246,940	627,113	5,683	3,645	9
Hong Kong...	50,608	48	50,656	705	1	
India	7,900	1,680	9,580	151	26	
Ceylon	2,088	.....	2,088	42	.....	
Mauritius	.....	72	72	.....	1	
New Guinea	24,068	17,551	41,619	357	280	
Norfolk Island	2,632	72	2,704	38	2	
Straits Settlements... ...	.....	576	576	.....	8	
Belgium	216	11,584	11,800	3	182	
Chili	.....	1,180	1,180	.....	20	
China	144	.....	144	4	.....	
Egypt	72	.....	72	1	.....	
France	4,577,237	1,105	4,578,342	53,652	18	53
Cochin China	.....	576	576	.....	8	
New Caledonia	24,990	71,544	96,534	493	1,271	1
Germany	45,792	11,360	57,152	568	147	
Marshall Islands	5,316	3,384	8,700	100	48	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	9,992	14,032	24,024	167	209	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	144	144	.....	2	
Italy	90,504	696	91,200	1,315	11	1
Japan	4,208	72	4,280	79	1	
Java...	300	.....	300	10	.....	
South Sea Islands	80,950	140,555	221,505	1,653	2,046	3
Caroline Islands	5,520	384	5,904	184	6	
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	432	432	.....	6	
United States	96	672	768	1	9	
	16,351,936	3,140,469	19,492,405	218,292	43,988	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

l Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
tinued.						
Salt Beef.						
sia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
ia	15	3	18	9	3	12
sland	3	9	12	3	9	12
Australia	3	27	30	3	20	23
rn Australia ...	272	38	310	231	30	261
Zealand	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Kingdom	.....	27	27	.....	25	25
lony	79	.....	79	86	.....	86
... ...	162	113	275	134	93	227
ong	47	.....	47	42	.....	42
... ...	18	.....	18	18	.....	18
s	129	10	139	123	10	133
inea	76	9	85	76	8	84
Island	7	.....	7	6	.....	6
ettlements ...	68	.....	68	62	.....	62
... ...	3	.....	3	3	.....	3
... ...	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
edonia	2,918	1,353	4,271	2,447	1,170	3,617
... ...	48	.....	48	51	.....	51
Islands	619	45	664	508	42	550
ern (New Britain) ..	455	186	641	394	167	561
Islands	2	.....	2	2	.....	2
... ...	3	.....	3	3	.....	3
a Islands	1,502	250	1,752	1,291	216	1,507
Islands	.....	11	11	.....	8	8
e Islands... ...	.....	5	5	.....	4	4
	6,431	2,086	8,517	5,494	1,805	7,299
lt Mutton.						
sia—	cwt.		cwt.			
rn Australia ...	35	.....	.....	35	.....	
... ...	1	.....	.....	1	.....	
edonia	1	.....	.....	1	.....	
	37	.....	37	37	.....	37
alt Pork.						
sia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Australia... ...	317	.....	.....	626	.....	
rn Australia ...	304	.....	.....	651	.....	
... ...	2	.....	.....	4	.....	
ong	1	.....	.....	2	.....	
nea	7	.....	.....	14	.....	
... ...	1	.....	.....	2	.....	
Islands	32	.....	.....	70	.....	
ern (New Britain) ..	45	.....	.....	90	.....	
s Islands	2	.....	.....	4	.....	
	711	.....	711	1,463	.....	1,463
Old.						
sia—		cwt.	cwt.			
ia	.....	360	.....	.....	430	
Kingdom	.....	274	.....	.....	315	
ng	.....	4,191	.....	.....	5,657	
	.....	4,825	4,825	.....	6,402	6,402

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Milk.						
Concentrated.						
Australasia—	lb.		lb.	£	£	£
Queensland	2,717	.....	.....	56	.....	
South Australia... ...	359	.....	.....	6	.....	
Western Australia ...	3,936	.....	.....	82	.....	
Cape Colony	400	.....	.....	7	.....	
Ceylon	284	.....	.....	5	.....	
	7,696	.....	7,696	156	.....	15
Condensed and Preserved.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	13,351	.....	.....	278	
Queensland	.....	60,155	.....	.....	1,204	
South Australia... ...	.....	37,187	.....	.....	807	
Western Australia ...	.....	35,708	.....	.....	777	
Tasmania	.....	2,652	.....	.....	53	
New Zealand	.....	38,996	.....	.....	884	
United Kingdom	.....	26,382	.....	.....	439	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1,038	.....	.....	22	
Fiji	.....	27,903	.....	.....	649	
Hong Kong...	.....	372	.....	.....	8	
India	.....	161	.....	.....	4	
Mauritius	.....	226	.....	.....	5	
New Guinea	.....	4,553	.....	.....	94	
Straits Settlements... ...	.....	161	.....	.....	4	
Chili	.....	408	.....	.....	9	
New Caledonia	.....	8,537	.....	.....	190	
Marshall Islands	.....	45	.....	.....	1	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	.....	672	.....	.....	15	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	45	.....	.....	1	
Italy	.....	48	.....	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	.....	10,867	.....	.....	243	
Caroline Islands	.....	45	.....	.....	1	
United States	.....	647	.....	.....	14	
	.....	270,159	270,159	.....	5,703	5,7
Milk Foods.						
(See Farinaceous and Milk Foods.)						
Millinery.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	93	93	.....	3,053	3,0
Queensland	1	49	50	3	699	7
South Australia... ...	.....	15	15	.....	288	2
Western Australia ...	1	7	8	5	110	1
New Zealand	.....	3	3	.....	45	4
United Kingdom	.....	4	4	.....	154	1
Fiji	3	4	7	4	10	
New Caledonia	.....	1	1	.....	5	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	.....	1	1	.....	2	
South Sea Islands	.....	1	1	.....	14	
	5	178	183	12	4,380	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Countries to which exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
ot otherwise enumerated).						
a—	cwt.		cwt.	£	£	£
... ...	39	.....	.....	23		
ngdom	1,104	.....	.....	564		
... ...	29	.....	.....	25		
	1,172	.....	1,172	612	.....	612
ters.						
ted and Mineral Waters.)						
	lb.		lb.			
ngdom	400	.....	400	10	.....	10
a—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
... ...	50,423	1	50,424	8,815	2	8,817
and	10	86	96	8	129	137
ustralia	2	2	4	1	2	3
Australia ...	7	3	10	7	3	10
ia	63	19	82	9	10	19
aland	1,162	92	1,254	562	49	611
ngdom	201	1	202	30	1	31
Dominion ...	25	.....	25	23	.....	23
... ...	12	.....	12	9	.....	9
ea	5	4	9	4	5	9
aland	2	.....	2	1	.....	1
ttlements ...	2	.....	2	2	.....	2
lonia	80	2	82	12	2	14
ern (New Britain)...	6	.....	6	3	.....	3
Islands	2	6	8	2	7	9
	52,002	216	52,218	9,488	210	9,698
a—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
... ...	.....	881	881	.....	48	48
and	.....	24,907	24,907	.....	1,212	1,212
ustralia	.....	1,448	1,448	.....	65	65
Australia ...	.....	696	696	.....	49	49
ia...	.....	8,672	8,672	.....	428	428
aland	.....	5,976	5,976	.....	326	326
... ...	.....	740	740	.....	33	33
lonia	.....	2,812	2,812	.....	155	155
ern (New Britain)...	.....	112	112	.....	6	6
Islands	83	480	563	5	28	33
	83	46,724	46,807	5	2,350	2,355
a—		gal.	gal.			
... ...	.....	708	.....	.....	143	
and	.....	174	.....	.....	53	
ustralia	.....	15	.....	.....	2	
aland	.....	941	.....	.....	188	
	.....	1,838	1,838	.....	386	386

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	T
Oakum.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	
Queensland	.....	122	.....	.....	142	
South Australia... ...	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
Western Australia ...	.....	4	.....	.....	8	
Tasmania...	.....	3	.....	.....	7	
Fiji	.....	68	.....	.....	58	
New Guinea	.....	3	.....	.....	4	
New Caledonia	.....	97	.....	.....	75	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	4	.....	.....	7	
South Sea Islands	.....	6	.....	.....	10	
	.....	308	308	.....	312	
Oars.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	.....	30	30	.....	5	
Queensland	.....	630	630	.....	150	
South Australia	.....	142	142	.....	25	
Western Australia ...	.....	30	30	.....	6	
Tasmania	2	10	12	2	2	
New Zealand	71	18	89	37	6	
Fiji	.....	1,040	1,040	.....	190	
New Guinea	.....	142	142	.....	26	
Norfolk Island	.....	48	48	.....	10	
New Caledonia	.....	492	492	.....	83	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	476	476	.....	97	
South Sea Islands	.....	503	503	.....	97	
	73	3,561	3,634	39	697	
Oilcloth.						
(See Floorcloth & Oilcloth.)						
Oilmen's Stores* (not otherwise enumerated).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	52	1,075	1,127	107	2,029	
Queensland	65	566	631	151	1,383	
South Australia	117	428	545	98	879	
Western Australia ...	145	228	373	225	305	
Tasmania...	7	901	908	29	1,075	
New Zealand	12	346	358	59	593	
United Kingdom	25	.....	25	8	.....	
Fiji	340	1,551	1,891	611	2,534	
India	.....	2	2	.....	5	
New Guinea	5	207	212	7	434	
Norfolk Island	1	76	77	1	122	
New Caledonia	97	296	393	144	533	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	2	27	29	5	57	
Hawaiian Islands	1	.....	1	1	.....	
South Sea Islands	204	935	1,139	406	2,026	
	1,073	6,638	7,711	1,852	11,975	1
Oils (in bulk).						
Black.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Queensland		5,099	.....	.....	477	
Western Australia ...	.....	160	.....	.....	16	
Tasmania...	.....	480	.....	.....	49	
Fiji	.....	42	.....	.....	4	
	.....	5,781	5,781	.....	546	

* Includes curry-powder, desiccated cocoanut, &c.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

nd Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
bulk)—*continued.*						
Castor.						
lasia—		gal.	gal.		£	£
oria	.....	6,334	.....	.....	638	
ensland	.....	35,544	.....	.....	3,784	
h Australia	.....	959	.....	.....	89	
tern Australia ...	.....	1,156	.....	.....	117	
nania...	.....	4,260	.....	.....	420	
Zealand	.....	5,311	.....	.....	509	
Kingdom	.....	306	.....	.....	38	
... ...	.....	4,038	.....	.....	439	
Kong...	.....	1,657	.....	.....	165	
uinea	.....	432	.....	.....	42	
China	.....	170	.....	.....	16	
aledonia	.....	4,748	.....	.....	518	
ny	.....	238	.....	.....	28	
nmern (New Britain) ..	.....	370	.....	.....	39	
ian Islands	.....	750	.....	.....	75	
Sea Islands	.....	901	.....	.....	92	
	.....	67,174	67,174	.....	7,009	7,009
China.						
lasia—		gal.	gal.			
oria	.....	3,950	.....	.....	459	
ensland	.....	7,405	.....	.....	866	
h Australia	.....	1,200	.....	.....	143	
tern Australia ...	.....	1,070	.....	.....	127	
nania	.....	960	.....	.....	108	
Zealand	.....	1,040	.....	.....	118	
Kingdom	.....	230	.....	.....	30	
an Dominion ...	.....	250	.....	.....	29	
... ...	.....	1,185	.....	.....	135	
Kong...	.....	70	.....	.....	8	
ius	.....	10	.....	.....	1	
uinea	.....	160	.....	.....	19	
m	.....	70	.....	.....	8	
... ...	.....	70	.....	.....	8	
aledonia	.....	1,860	.....	.....	216	
ny	.....	50	.....	.....	6	
nmern (New Britain) ..	.....	30	.....	.....	3	
... ...	.....	80	.....	.....	9	
Sea Islands	.....	585	.....	.....	71	
States	.....	310	.....	.....	35	
	.....	20,585	20,585	.....	2,399	2,399
*Cocoanut.**						
lasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
oria	.....	408	.....	.....	515	
ensland	.....	33	.....	.....	46	
h Australia... ...	.....	60	.....	.....	87	
tern Australia ...	.....	4	.....	.....	5	
nania	.....	12	.....	.....	15	
... ...	.....	4	.....	.....	5	
	.....	521	521	.....	673	673

* At ordinary temperature this oil is solid, and is sold by weight.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.	
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.
Oils (in bulk)—*continued.*					
Colza.					
Australasia—		gal.	gal.	£	£
Victoria	.....	25	.....	.....	4
Queensland	.....	175	.....	.....	25
Western Australia ...	.....	283	.....	.....	47
Tasmania	.....	35	.....	.....	6
New Zealand	.....	676	.....	.....	103
United Kingdom	.....	275	.....	.....	44
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	100	.....	.....	17
Ceylon	.....	15	.....	.....	2
Straits Settlements ...	.....	15	.....	.....	3
Belgium	.....	15	.....	.....	3
France	.....	35	.....	.....	6
South Sea Islands	.....	70	.....	.....	12
	.....	1,719	1,719	.....	272
Kerosene.					
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.		
Victoria	.....	13,650	13,650	.....	567
Queensland	.....	69,977	69,977	.....	2,750
South Australia	.....	12,088	12,088	.....	463
Western Australia ...	.....	14,672	14,672	.....	563
Tasmania	.....	65,464	65,464	.....	2,477
New Zealand	.....	32,632	32,632	.....	1,266
United Kingdom	.....	4,488	4,488	.....	183
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	888	888	.....	34
Cape Colony	.....	56	56	.....	2
Fiji	.....	70,096	70,096	.....	2,771
Hong Kong	.....	1,456	1,456	.....	59
India	.....	48	48	.....	2
Mauritius	.....	200	200	.....	8
New Guinea	.....	4,792	4,792	.....	175
Norfolk Island	.....	1,440	1,440	.....	59
Straits Settlements ...	.....	224	224	.....	8
Belgium	.....	120	120	.....	5
Chili	.....	408	408	.....	15
France	.....	560	560	.....	23
Cochin China	.....	96	96	.....	4
New Caledonia	80	65,428	65,508	4	2,637
Germany	.....	520	520	.....	21
Marshall Islands	.....	4,720	4,720	.....	178
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	1,256	1,256	.....	46
Hawaiian Islands	.....	120	120	.....	5
Italy	.....	96	96	.....	4
Japan	.....	72	72	.....	3
Russia—Kamtschatka ...	.....	72	72	.....	3
Mexico	.....	32	32	.....	1
Netherlands	.....	72	72	.....	3
Azores	.....	24	24	.....	1
South Sea Islands	.....	45,584	45,584	.....	1,800
Guam	.....	40	40	.....	2
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	80	80	.....	2
United States	.....	1,592	1,592	.....	[illegible]
	80	413,063	413,143	4	16[illegible]

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Oils (in bulk)—*continued.*						
Linseed.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	3,415	.....	.....	409	
Queensland	.....	11,983	.....	.....	1,441	
South Australia	.....	450	.....	.....	54	
Western Australia ...	.....	995	.....	.....	121	
Tasmania	.....	2,095	.....	.....	249	
New Zealand	.....	1,075	.....	.....	126	
United Kingdom	.....	25	.....	.....	3	
Fiji	.....	3,504	.....	.....	432	
India	.....	15	.....	.....	2	
New Guinea	.....	380	.....	.....	44	
Norfolk Island	.....	60	.....	.....	7	
New Caledonia	.....	2,080	.....	.....	249	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	445	.....	.....	53	
South Sea Islands	.....	1,770	.....	.....	212	
	.....	28,292	28,292	.....	3,402	3,402
Olive.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	1,255	.....	.....	242	
Queensland	.....	1,594	.....	.....	243	
Western Australia ...	.....	20	.....	.....	4	
Tasmania	.....	116	.....	.....	26	
New Zealand	.....	1,777	.....	.....	304	
Fiji	.....	20	.....	.....	4	
South Sea Islands	.....	214	.....	.....	28	
	.....	4,996	4,996	.....	851	851
Petroleum.						
Australasia—	gal.		gal.			
Victoria	23,114	.....	.....	378	.....	
Queensland	5,877	.....	.....	120	.....	
South Australia	1,911	.....	.....	48	.....	
Western Australia ...	845	.....	.....	24	.....	
Tasmania...	1,281	.....	.....	32	.....	
New Zealand	3,043	.....	.....	75	.....	
	36,071	.....	36,071	677	.....	677
Other.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Victoria	2,610	15,867	18,477	180	1,461	1,641
Queensland	5,909	30,167	36,076	383	2,655	3,038
South Australia... ...	43	2,602	2,645	5	310	315
Western Australia ...	452	4,153	4,605	32	472	504
Tasmania...	104	3,092	3,196	10	303	313
New Zealand	613	6,372	6,985	70	681	751
United Kingdom	180	1,294	1,474	20	173	193
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	756	756	.....	72	72
Fiji	1,322	2,589	3,911	171	336	507
Hong Kong...	.....	202	202	.....	24	24
New Guinea	.....	232	232	.....	28	28
Straits Settlements ...	.....	20	20	.....	2	2
Belgium	100	267	367	7	33	40
France	.....	686	686	.....	90	90
New Caledonia	1,314	1,762	3,076	98	199	297
Germany	.....	157	157	.....	11	11
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	16	16	.....	2	2
Hawaiian Islands	.....	42	42	.....	3	3
Japan	.....	88	88	.....	9	9
South Sea Islands	48	1,493	1,541	7	219	226
United States	.....	1,399	1,399	.....	177	177
	12,695	73,256	85,951	983	7,260	8,243

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tot
Oils (in bottle).						
Castor.						
Australasia—		doz. bott.	doz. bott.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	20	.....	.....	4	
Queensland	.....	53	.....	.....	10	
Western Australia ...	.....	16	.....	.....	3	
Tasmania	.....	192	.....	.....	36	
New Caledonia	.....	24	.....	.....	4	
South Sea Islands	.....	43	.....	.....	13	
	.....	348	348	.....	70	
Salad.						
Australasia—		doz. bott.	doz. bott.			
Victoria	.....	95	.....	.....	43	
Queensland	.....	243	.....	.....	105	
South Australia	.....	711	.....	.....	200	
Western Australia ...	.....	87	.....	.....	70	
Tasmania...	.....	576	.....	.....	151	
New Zealand	.....	83	.....	.....	60	
Fiji	.....	21	.....	.....	8	
New Guinea	.....	13	.....	.....	10	
Norfolk Island	.....	6	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	14	.....	.....	9	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	91	.....	.....	47	
South Sea Islands	.....	43	.....	.....	12	
	.....	1,983	1,983	.....	716	
Other.						
Australasia—		doz. bott.	doz. bott.			
Victoria	.....	75	.....	.....	9	
Queensland	.....	789	.....	.....	210	
Western Australia ...	.....	205	.....	.....	38	
Tasmania	.....	79	.....	.....	20	
New Zealand	.....	336	.....	.....	55	
Fiji	.....	13	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	6	.....	.....	2	
Marshall Islands	.....	60	.....	.....	15	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	22	.....	.....	12	
South Sea Islands	.....	41	.....	.....	7	
	.....	1,626	1,626	.....	369	
Onions.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Queensland	382	5,617	5,999	169	2,623	2
South Australia	24	211	235	8	76	
Western Australia ...	113	219	332	35	96	
Tasmania...	46	.....	46	24	.....	
New Zealand	.....	1,356	1,356	.....	731	
Canadian Dominion ...	12	.....	12	5	.....	
Fiji	50	254	304	23	106	
New Guinea	8	70	78	3	34	
New Caledonia	754	2,919	3,673	331	1,208	2
Marshall Islands	.....	21	21	.....	9	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	14	14	.....	6	
Hawaiian Islands	30	.....	30	14	.....	
South Sea Islands	51	165	216	24	74	1
Caroline Islands	5	.....	5	1	.....	
	1,475	10,846	12,321	637	4,963	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

cle and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
m.						
stralasia—		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Queensland	.....	192	.....	.....	340	
South Australia	.....	9	.....	.....	11	
Western Australia ...	.....	340	.....	.....	660	
Tasmania	.....	49	.....	.....	81	
i	.....	131	.....	.....	196	
w Caledonia	.....	38	.....	.....	75	
ith Sea Islands	.....	185	.....	.....	298	
	.....	944	944	.....	1,661	1,661
l.						
t otherwise enumerated.)	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
ited Kingdom	139	60	199	269	18	287
rmany	51	.....	51	43	.....	43
	190	60	250	312	18	330
ers (Fresh).						
stralasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	2,547	399	2,946	3,029	379	3,408
South Australia	12	.....	12	14	.....	14
Western Australia ...	113	10	123	146	10	156
Tasmania	51	.....	51	68	.....	68
New Zealand	5	.....	5	6	.....	6
i	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
	2,730	409	3,139	3,266	389	3,655
its and Colours.						
ints—*Mixed for Use.*						
stralasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	12	1,012	1,024	17	1,354	1,371
Queensland	133	1,235	1,368	190	1,573	1,763
South Australia	.....	205	205	.....	273	273
Western Australia ...	.....	541	541	.....	721	721
Tasmania	1	116	117	1	203	204
New Zealand	.....	341	341	.....	499	499
ited Kingdom	.....	45	45	.....	60	60
adian Dominion ...	.....	63	63	.....	73	73
pe Colony	26	4	30	34	5	39
i	14	766	780	23	1,016	1,039
ng Kong	.....	81	81	.....	106	106
uritius	.....	5	5	.....	6	6
w Guinea	.....	69	69	.....	92	92
rfolk Island	.....	10	10	.....	14	14
aits Settlements ...	.....	4	4	.....	5	5
li	.....	4	4	.....	6	6
nce	.....	15	15	.....	17	17
hin China	.....	4	4	.....	4	4
w Caledonia	10	266	276	15	465	480
Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	90	90	.....	101	101
waiian Islands	.....	7	7	.....	10	10
ly	.....	6	6	.....	9	9
an	.....	3	3	.....	3	3
xico	.....	4	4	.....	4	4
u...	.....	13	13	.....	15	15
th Sea Islands	43	255	298	63	329	392
ted States	.....	98	98	.....	120	120
	239	5,262	5,501	343	7,083	7,426

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total
Paints and Colours—*continued.*						
Paints—Dry.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	
Victoria	.....	40	.....	.....	35	
Queensland	.....	215	.....	.....	252	
South Australia... ...	.....	33	.....	.....	29	
Western Australia ...	.....	59	.....	.....	57	
New Zealand	.....	36	.....	.....	33	
United Kingdom	.....	38	.....	.....	36	
Fiji	.....	197	.....	.....	179	
Hong Kong	.....	3	.....	.....	3	
New Guinea	.....	61	.....	.....	48	
New Caledonia	.....	31	.....	.....	27	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	8	.....	.....	6	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	8	.....	.....	7	
South Sea Islands	.....	15	.....	.....	12	
United States	.....	60	.....	.....	48	
	.....	804	804	.....	772	7
Kalsomine.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Queensland	.....	16	.....	.....	32	
Western Australia ...	.....	2	.....	.....	3	
United Kingdom	.....	34	.....	.....	42	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	2	.....	.....	3	
South Sea Islands	.....	3	.....	.....	5	
	.....	57	57	.....	85	
Painters' Materials.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	84	78	162	152	214	3
Queensland	8	381	389	28	557	5
South Australia	.....	20	20	.....	74	
Western Australia ...	.....	36	36	.....	62	
Tasmania	.....	4	4	.....	34	
New Zealand	.....	12	12	.....	57	
Fiji	.....	2	2	.....	5	
Norfolk Island	.....	1	1	.....	1	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	1	1	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	.....	2	2	.....	27	
Paper, Books, &c.	92	537	629	180	1,032	1,
Bags (Plain).						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	4	92	96	3	92	
Queensland	.....	159	159	.....	222	
South Australia	38	260	298	47	273	
Western Australia ...	35	83	118	37	98	
Tasmania	6	179	185	6	357	
New Zealand	.....	25	25	.....	30	
Fiji	5	154	159	5	161	
New Caledonia	50	94	144	53	160	
South Sea Islands	.....	26	26	.....	30	
	138	1,072	1,210	151	1,423	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
oks, &c.—continued.						
n and Wrapping.						
lasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
oria	16	378	394	12	348	360
nsland	80	965	1,045	80	936	1,016
h Australia	.....	63	63	.....	74	74
tern Australia ...	25	441	466	30	490	520
nania	.....	123	123	.....	112	112
Zealand	.....	47	47	.....	115	115
Kingdom	.....	24	24	.....	24	24
... ...	.....	150	150	.....	154	154
uinea	.....	5	5	.....	5	5
t Island	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
aledonia	.....	206	206	.....	209	209
amarn (New Britain) ..	.....	5	5	.....	5	5
Sea Islands	.....	55	55	.....	62	62
	121	2,463	2,584	122	2,535	2,657
ulers and Advertising Matter.						
lasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
oria	9,468	17,393	26,861	327	574	901
nsland	8,886	10,777	19,663	304	386	690
h Australia	8,519	4,339	12,858	230	148	378
tern Australia ...	3,951	5,830	9,781	166	164	330
nania	1,118	3,893	5,011	29	121	150
Zealand	5,376	4,653	10,029	282	225	507
Kingdom	112	3,696	3,808	4	138	142
an Dominion ...	.....	224	224	.....	5	5
Colony	.....	224	224	.....	6	6
... ...	646	249	895	61	10	71
... ...	56	.....	56	3	.....	3
... ...	280	.....	280	6	.....	6
aledonia	224	112	336	12	3	15
ian Islands	.....	224	224	.....	10	10
Sea Islands	140	396	536	6	33	39
l States	.....	112	112	.....	5	5
	38,776	52,122	90,898	1,430	1,828	3,258
ng and News-paper.						
lasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
oria	.....	272	.....	.....	1,574	
nsland	.....	293	.....	.....	1,924	
h Australia	.....	123	.....	.....	525	
tern Australia ...	.....	209	.....	.....	1,434	
nania	.....	301	.....	.....	1,792	
Zealand	.....	364	.....	.....	2,339	
l Kingdom	.....	10	.....	.....	86	
... ...	.....	13	.....	.....	89	
aledonia	.....	81	.....	.....	642	
Sea Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
	.....	1,667	1,667	.....	10,408	10,408
Waste Paper.						
lasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
oria	567	.....	.....	107	.....	
nsland	727	.....	.....	216	.....	
nania	108	.....	.....	58	.....	
Zealand	3	.....	.....	1	.....	
... ...	13	.....	.....	6	.....	
	1,418	.....	1,418	388	.....	388

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	T
Paper, Books, &c.—*continued.*						
Writing, Note, Envelopes, and Fancy Paper.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	
Victoria	.....	113	113	.....	744	
Queensland	.....	119	119	.....	919	
South Australia ...	.....	10	10	.....	91	
Western Australia ...	.....	39	39	.....	382	
Tasmania	1	45	46	3	327	
New Zealand	.....	69	69	.....	619	
United Kingdom	.....	1	1	.....	5	
Fiji	.....	1	1	.....	1	
New Guinea	.....	2	2	.....	5	
New Caledonia	.....	4	4	.....	51	
	1	403	404	3	3,144	
Books and Periodicals.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	117	371	488	2,565	3,682	
Queensland	73	1,377	1,450	1,265	16,467	1
South Australia	34	91	125	664	1,201	
Western Australia ...	11	109	120	60	1,429	
Tasmania...	9	88	97	80	1,332	
New Zealand	31	227	258	694	2,989	
United Kingdom	41	134	175	1,132	1,581	
Canadian Dominion ...	1	2	3	2	11	
Cape Colony	3	1	4	20	1	
Fiji	.....	35	35	.....	245	
Hong Kong...	.....	2	2	.....	55	
India	.....	2	2	.....	24	
Ceylon	.....	3	3	.....	95	
New Guinea	.....	5	5	.....	16	
Norfolk Island	.....	1	1	.....	3	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	2	2	.....	160	
France	5	.....	5	150	.....	
New Caledonia	3	13	16	7	136	
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	1	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	1	1	.....	6	
Italy	.....	1	1	.....	4	
Japan	.....	3	3	.....	103	
South Sea Islands	4	27	31	55	225	
United States	4	9	13	609	193	
	336	2,505	2,841	7,303	29,959	3
Paperhangings.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	20	.....	.....	119	
Queensland	.....	9	.....	.....	51	
South Australia	.....	2	.....	.....	13	
Western Australia ...	.....	9	.....	.....	45	
Tasmania	.....	30	.....	.....	180	
New Zealand	.....	8	.....	.....	52	
United Kingdom	.....	1	.....	.....	8	
Norfolk Island	.....	2	.....	.....	31	
	.....	81	81	.....	499	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

le and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
shell.		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
ted Kingdom	.....	1,095	.....	.....	4,210	
nce	.....	72	.....	.....	255	
many	.....	24	.....	.....	68	
shall Islands	.....	20	.....	.....	140	
	.....	1,211	1,211	.....	4,673	4,673
r.						
tralasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
ictoria	1,511	12,910	14,421	34	231	265
ueensland	84	3,698	3,782	2	78	80
uth Australia	7,620	1,568	9,188	151	25	176
'estern Australia ...	1,792	.....	1,792	47	.....	47
asmania	156	2,520	2,676	4	61	65
ew Zealand	.....	5,063	5,063	.....	91	91
... ...	685	278	963	20	6	26
Caledonia	812	504	1,316	24	12	36
Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	144	144	.....	3	3
h Sea Islands	.....	808	808	.....	9	9
	12,660	27,493	40,153	282	516	798
ibulators.						
tralasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ictoria	.....	16	16	.....	18	18
ueensland	4	26	30	16	171	187
uth Australia	1	6	7	3	28	31
asmania	1	2	3	3	11	14
ew Zealand	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
... ...	2	3	5	4	7	11
h Sea Islands	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
	8	56	64	26	240	266
al Effects.						
tralasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ictoria	1,073	1,057	2,130	4,119	3,751	7,870
ueensland	186	132	318	647	568	1,215
uth Australia	142	1,673	1,815	472	3,853	4,325
'estern Australia ...	210	202	412	588	778	1,366
asmania...	90	121	211	185	369	554
ew Zealand	36	80	116	157	435	592
ted Kingdom	60	371	431	614	3,381	3,995
adian Dominion ...	.....	6	6	.....	28	28
Colony	12	11	23	65	39	104
... ...	3	7	10	11	49	60
g Kong...	.....	2	2	.....	17	17
a	.....	3	3	.....	18	18
Guinea	.....	9	9	.....	36	36
folk Island	.....	18	18	.....	105	105
its Settlements ...	.....	16	16	.....	50	50
gium	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
a	1	11	12	5	44	49
nce	.....	13	13	.....	70	70
Caledonia	.....	4	4	.....	20	20
many	.....	16	16	.....	162	162
shall Islands	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
raiian Islands	.....	12	12	.....	48	48
... ...	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
m	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
h Sea Islands	7	28	35	21	99	120
ted States	5	51	56	18	291	309
	1,825	3,847	5,672	6,902	14,226	21,128
atural Textile.						
e Flax and Hemp.)						

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.	
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.
Photographic Materials.					
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£
Victoria	35	128	163	207	1,380
Queensland	92	122	214	730	1,128
South Australia	11	113	124	142	475
Western Australia ...	41	24	65	295	279
Tasmania	25	1	26	114	6
New Zealand	53	6	59	410	19
United Kingdom	.....	4	4	.....	45
Cape Colony	.....	2	2	.....	54
Fiji	12	28	40	40	108
New Guinea	2	9	11	5	48
New Caledonia	12	13	25	26	76
South Sea Islands	17	11	28	97	41
	300	461	761	2,066	3,659
Pickles and Sauces.					
Australasia—	doz. bott.	doz. bott.	doz. bott.		
Victoria	193	1,433	1,626	44	380
Queensland	310	5,143	5,453	85	2,656
South Australia	193	2,044	2,237	51	602
Western Australia ...	478	2,930	3,408	125	910
Tasmania...	.....	1,241	1,241	.....	396
New Zealand	.....	257	257	.....	76
United Kingdom	.....	213	213	.....	56
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	4	4	.....	2
Fiji	72	352	424	18	155
Hong Kong	.....	21	21	.....	7
New Guinea	.....	23	23	.....	8
Norfolk Island	.....	8	8	.....	3
New Caledonia	25	208	233	6	72
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	90	90	.....	30
South Sea Islands	4	195	199	1	85
United States	.....	26	26	.....	7
	1,275	14,188	15,463	330	5,445
Pictures, Paintings, and Photographs.					
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.		
Victoria	38	72	110	1,617	4,473
Queensland	246	44	290	467	195
South Australia ...	10	25	35	36	232
Western Australia ...	24	5	29	172	42
Tasmania	5	5	10	141	61
New Zealand	14	8	22	291	105
United Kingdom	7	16	23	51	510
Canadian Dominion ...	1	.....	1	10	.....
Cape Colony	1	.....	1	2	.....
Fiji	9	.....	9	47	.....
Hong Kong...	1	.....	1	1	.....
India	1	.....	1	7	.....
Norfolk Island	.....	2	2	.....	15
China	.....	1	1	.....	12
France	1	.....	1	2	.....
New Caledonia	4	.....	4	9	.....
Germany	1	4	5	2	20
Italy	.....	1	1	.....	25
Japan	1	.....	1	1	.....
South Sea Islands... ...	4	1	5	7	2
Philippine Islands ...	6	.....	6	101	.....
United States	2	1	3	8	1
	376	185	561	2,972	5,69

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Picture Frames and Mouldings.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	10	41	51	67	244	311
Queensland	5	79	84	31	349	380
South Australia	9	40	49	130	866	996
Western Australia ...	2	24	26	25	251	276
Tasmania	.....	10	10	.....	82	82
New Zealand	.....	20	20	.....	299	299
Fiji	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
New Caledonia	3	2	5	12	15	27
United States	.....	3	3	.....	22	22
	29	221	250	265	2,131	2,396
Pitch and Tar.						
Australasia—	barrels.	barrels.	barrels.			
Victoria	33	4	37	9	6	15
Queensland	24	228	252	20	289	309
South Australia	1,294	15	1,309	289	20	309
Western Australia ...	18	4	22	11	5	16
Tasmania...	.....	11	11	.....	18	18
New Zealand	553	26	579	214	36	250
Fiji	35	24	59	21	31	52
New Guinea	6	14	20	3	20	23
New Caledonia	.....	8	8	.....	10	10
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ..	17	6	23	7	8	15
South Sea Islands	5	42	47	3	55	58
	1,985	382	2,367	577	498	1,075
Plants, Shrubs, and Trees.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	464	8	472	1,141	27	1,168
Queensland	579	26	605	1,638	63	1,701
South Australia	33	8	41	84	29	113
Western Australia ...	142	.....	142	590	.....	590
Tasmania...	28	.....	28	94	.....	94
New Zealand	105	16	121	365	92	457
United Kingdom	10	33	43	46	207	253
Aden	2	.....	2	8	.....	8
Cape Colony	3	.....	3	16	.....	16
Fiji	20	.....	20	43	.....	43
India	1	.....	1	5	.....	5
Ceylon	8	.....	8	42	.....	42
New Guinea	2	.....	2	6	.....	6
Norfolk Island	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
New Caledonia	4	.....	4	8	.....	8
Germany	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Hawaiian Islands	4	91	95	15	22	37
South Sea Islands	8	.....	8	17	.....	17
United States	7	.....	7	20	.....	20
	1,422	182	1,604	4,141	440	4,581

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tota
Plaster and Plaster of Paris.						
Australasia—		barrels.	barrels.	£	£	
Victoria	.....	124	.....	.....	88	
Western Australia ...	.....	219	.....	.....	131	
Tasmania	.....	25	.....	.....	17	
New Zealand	.....	40	.....	.....	21	
New Caledonia	.....	8	.....	.....	4	
	.....	416	416	.....	261	
Plate and Plated Ware.						
Silver.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	7	.....	.....	511	
Queensland	.....	1	.....	.....	109	
South Australia... ...	.....	6	.....	.....	452	
Western Australia ...	.....	1	.....	.....	40	
New Zealand	.....	2	.....	.....	265	
United Kingdom	.....	12	.....	.....	2,460	
Germany	.....	1	.....	.....	75	
	.....	30	30	.....	3,912	3,
Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	100	100	.....	2,459	2,
Queensland	1	103	104	5	4,240	4,
South Australia ...	.....	44	44	.....	1,679	1,
Western Australia ...	.....	15	15	.....	447	
Tasmania	.....	15	15	.....	134	
New Zealand	.....	77	77	.....	1,870	1,
United Kingdom	.....	35	35	.....	2,163	2,
Fiji	.....	5	5	.....	46	
New Guinea	.....	2	2	.....	19	
New Caledonia	.....	2	2	.....	11	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	.....	2	2	.....	19	
South Sea Islands	.....	1	1	.....	1	
	1	401	402	5	13,088	13,
Platinum.	oz.	oz.	oz.			
United Kingdom	2,438	14	2,452	3,459	20	3,
Platinum Ore.	cwt.		cwt.			
United Kingdom	10	.....	10	20	.....	
Playing Cards.						
Australasia—		doz. packs.	doz. packs.			
Victoria	.....	24	.....	.....	16	
Queensland	.....	46	.....	.....	7	
Western Australia ...	.....	130	.....	.....	30	
New Zealand	.....	80	.....	.....	16	
Fiji	.....	39	.....	.....	7	
South Sea Islands	.....	6	.....	.....	2	
United States	.....	25	.....	.....	6	
	.....	350	350	.....	84	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

d Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
inaware and Porcelain.)						
eans, Travelling Bags, &c.						
asia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
ria	.....	30	30	.....	327	327
nsland	1	17	18	2	36	38
Australia... ...	3	24	27	4	295	299
ern Australia ...	.....	2	2	.....	24	24
ania	3	5	8	19	17	36
Zealand	16	40	56	19	92	111
Kingdom	1	1	2	20	2	22
inea	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
ledonia	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
mern (New Britain) ...	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
ea Islands	.....	7	7	.....	25	25
	25	128	153	66	825	891
asia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
ria	11	837	848	2	119	121
nsland	28,077	204,518	232,595	5,405	37,029	42,434
Australia	282	2,604	2,886	44	446	490
ern Australia ...	300	894	1,194	53	117	170
ania	.....	156	156	.....	25	25
Zealand	316	1,825	2,141	52	294	346
olony	.....	1,760	1,760	.....	295	295
... ...	390	1,274	1,664	61	220	281
inea	21	162	183	4	27	31
Island	6	.....	6	1	.....	1
ledonia	5,299	18,342	23,641	870	3,451	4,321
ll Islands	.....	175	175	.....	36	36
mern (New Britain) ...	7	52	59	1	8	9
ea Islands	204	641	845	31	122	153
e Islands	10	.....	10	1	.....	1
	34,923	233,240	268,163	6,525	42,189	48,714
Live).						
asia—	pkg.		pkg.			
ria	590	.....	.....	234	.....	
nsland	113	.....	.....	246	.....	
Australia	5	.....	.....	9	.....	
ern Australia ...	46	.....	.....	93	.....	
ania...	4	.....	.....	8	.....	
Zealand	13	.....	.....	47	.....	
... ...	18	.....	.....	34	.....	
Kong	1	.....	.....	1	.....	
uinea	2	.....	.....	7	.....	
ledonia	26	.....	.....	80	.....	
mern (New Britain) ...	9	.....	.....	15	.....	
ea Islands	5	.....	.....	10	.....	
	832	.....	832	784	.....	784

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Powders.						
Baking, &c.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	4,208	399	4,607	227	25	25
Queensland	260	662	922	10	36	4
South Australia... ...	23,726	2,072	25,798	1,365	132	1,49
Western Australia ...	2,424	.....	2,424	113	.....	11
Tasmania	586	3,296	3,882	23	144	16
New Zealand	1,120	1,948	3,068	48	101	14
Fiji	423	.....	423	17	.....	1
New Guinea	56	.....	56	3	.....	
New Caledonia	200	.....	200	8	.....	
Marshall Islands	36	.....	36	2	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	56	.....	56	3	.....	
South Sea Islands	241	112	353	13	6	1
	33,336	8,489	41,825	1,832	444	2,27
Effervescing.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	10	.....	.....	1	
Fiji	.....	25	.....	.....	2	
	.....	35	35	.....	3	
Preserves.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	48	2,170	2,218	1	34	3
Queensland	348	127,978	128,326	5	2,352	2,35
South Australia	48	18,610	18,658	1	306	30
Western Australia ...	624	125,231	125,855	11	2,284	2,29
Tasmania...	.....	1,230	1,230	.....	25	2
New Zealand	.....	14,832	14,832	.....	261	26
United Kingdom	48	3,690	3,738	1	61	6
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1,134	1,134	.....	17	1
Fiji	.....	6,299	6,299	.....	108	10
Hong Kong	.....	204	204	.....	3	
India	.....	168	168	.....	3	
New Guinea	442	3,942	4,384	8	60	6
Straits Settlements ...	.....	48	48	.....	1	1
Chili	.....	120	120	.....	2	
Egypt	.....	72	72	.....	1	1
France	.....	72	72	.....	1	1
New Caledonia	.....	630	630	.....	14	1
Germany	.....	120	120	.....	2	
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	4,704	4,704	.....	80	8
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	768	768	.....	11	11
Italy	.....	54	54	.....	1	1
Japan	.....	48	48	.....	1	1
South Sea Islands	.....	9,336	9,336	.....	182	18
United States	.....	120	120	.....	2	2
	1,558	321,580	323,138	27	5,812	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
s' Materials.						
alasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
toria	25	110	135	273	895	1,168
ensland	63	322	385	298	1,729	2,027
th Australia	10	47	57	85	271	356
stern Australia ...	35	43	78	219	289	508
mania	12	29	41	45	162	207
w Zealand	28	205	233	97	1,938	2,035
d Kingdom	.....	6	6	.....	57	57
.. ..	2	4	6	15	27	42
lk Island	.....	3	3	.....	10	10
Caledonia	.....	5	5	.....	22	22
Sea Islands	.....	6	6	.....	14	14
d States	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
	175	781	956	1,032	5,419	6,451
alasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
eensland	.....	12	12	.....	6	6
w Zealand	.....	10	10	.....	7	7
.. ..	2	21	23	1	13	14
Sea Islands	.....	4	4	.....	2	2
	2	47	49	1	28	29
alasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
eensland	2,472	.....	2,472	1,686	.....	1,686
lver.						
alasia—		bottles.	bottles.			
toria	.....	1	.....	.....	8	
eensland	.....	144	.....	.....	1,161	
th Australia	.....	6	.....	.....	45	
stern Australia ...	.....	26	.....	.....	196	
mania	.....	5	.....	.....	42	
w Zealand	.....	7	.....	.....	58	
	.....	189	189	.....	1,510	1,510
alasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
toria	1,718	.....	.....	1,416	.....	
eensland	2,718	.....	.....	686	.....	
d Kingdom	1,182	.....	.....	3,863	.....	
... ...	14	.....	.....	8	.....	
	5,632	.....	5,632	5,973	.....	5,973
y and Tramway Plant.						
Rails.						
alasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
toria	.....	60	60	.....	22	22
eensland	41	16,793	16,834	17	4,686	4,703
stern Australia ...	.....	1,040	1,040	.....	301	301
w Zealand	213	1,185	1,398	75	375	450
.. ..	.....	2,440	2,440	.....	882	882
Caledonia	.....	320	320	.....	115	115
ommern (New Britain) ...	.....	40	40	.....	10	10
Sea Islands	.....	598	598	.....	207	207
	254	22,476	22,730	92	6,598	6,690

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	T
Railway and Tramway Plant—*continued.*						
Other Plant.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	
Victoria	.....	67	67	.....	120	
Queensland	121	405	526	223	2,298	
South Australia... ...	.....	10	10	.....	26	
Western Australia ...	1	9	10	1	25	
New Zealand	.....	1	1	.....	2	
United Kingdom	.....	105	105	.....	562	
Fiji	3	165	168	6	477	
New Caledonia	.....	57	57	.....	114	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	1	.....	1	3	.....	
South Sea Islands	1	38	39	4	80	
	127	857	984	237	3,704	
Resin.						
Australasia—		barrels.	barrels.			
Victoria	.....	194	.....	.....	233	
Queensland	.....	55	.....	.....	63	
Western Australia ...	.....	79	.....	.....	85	
New Zealand	.....	180	.....	.....	194	
Fiji	.....	4	.....	.....	4	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
		513	513		580	
Rugs.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1	45	46	8	221	
Queensland	.....	8	8	.....	44	
South Australia... ...	.....	2	2	.....	66	
Western Australia ...	18	9	27	339	178	
Tasmania	.....	1	1	.....	2	
New Zealand	.....	4	4	.....	41	
United Kingdom	3	2	5	40	13	
Cape Colony	1	.....	1	5	.....	
Fiji	.....	1	1	.....	10	
Belgium	1	.....	1	2	.....	
South Sea Islands... ...	.....	1	1	.....	2	
Transvaal	1	.....	1	28	.....	
	25	73	98	422	577	
Saddlers' Ware.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	22	13	35	90	125	
Queensland	.....	26	26	.....	96	
South Australia... ...	2	27	29	14	256	
Western Australia ...	20	2	22	119	17	
Tasmania	6	.....	6	34	.....	
New Zealand	5	.....	5	40	.....	
United Kingdom	1	.....	1	1	.....	
Fiji	2	3	5	28	7	
New Caledonia	.....	1	1	.....	3	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	.....	1	1	.....	3	
South Sea Islands	1	.....	1	12	.....	
	59	73	132	338	507	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
and Harness.						
lasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
oria	18	11	29	106	89	195
ensland	37	109	146	431	1,251	1,682
h Australia	16	25	41	225	175	400
tern Australia ...	90	52	142	926	871	1,797
nania	6	6	12	72	54	126
Zealand	18	17	35	156	137	293
an Dominion ...	1	.....	1	20	.....	20
olony	.....	1	1	.....	10	10
... ...	29	21	50	260	147	407
... ...	1	.....	1	10	.....	10
uinea	1	.....	1	11	.....	11
k Island	7	.....	7	35	.....	35
Settlements ...	2	.....	2	37	.....	37
aledonia	19	8	27	209	111	320
mmern (New Britain)...	1	4	5	3	14	17
ian Islands	.....	9	9	.....	153	153
Sea Islands	10	8	18	85	35	120
	256	271	527	2,586	3,047	5,633
d Doors (Iron & Steel)						
lasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
oria	.....	13	13	.....	319	319
ensland	.....	27	27	.....	773	773
h Australia	.....	13	13	.....	230	230
tern Australia ...	1	48	49	22	1,359	1,381
nania	.....	1	1	.....	11	11
Zealand	.....	16	16	.....	32	32
l Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	50	50
... ...	.....	5	5	.....	53	53
uinea	.....	1	1	.....	6	6
Sea Islands	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
	1	127	128	22	2,838	2,860
lasia—		lb.	lb.			
oria	.....	280	.....	.....	1	
ensland	.....	4,233	.....	.....	30	
h Australia	.....	3,720	.....	.....	16	
tern Australia ...	.....	952	.....	.....	5	
nania	.....	15,111	.....	.....	68	
ealand	.....	1,076	.....	.....	6	
... ...	.....	5,132	.....	.....	23	
k Island	.....	224	.....	.....	1	
aledonia	.....	224	.....	.....	1	
mmern (New Britain)...	.....	224	.....	.....	1	
Sea Islands	.....	666	.....	.....	3	
	.....	31,842	31,842	.....	155	155
ottle—(Table).						
lasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
oria	.....	8	.....	.....	3	
ensland	.....	2	.....	.....	2	
th Australia... ...	.....	22	.....	.....	9	
tern Australia ...	.....	18	.....	.....	9	
ian Dominion ...	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
... ...	.....	49	.....	.....	24	
Guinea	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Caledonia	.....	25	.....	.....	11	
mmern (New Britain)...	.....	26	.....	.....	11	
Sea Islands	.....	96	.....	.....	45	
	.....	250	250	.....	116	116

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.	
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.
Salt—*continued.*					
In Bags.					
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.	£	£
Victoria	.....	475	.....	.....	65
Queensland	.....	17,435	.....	.....	2,312
South Australia	.....	100	.....	.....	10
Western Australia ...	.....	42	.....	.....	7
Tasmania	.....	3,704	.....	.....	450
New Zealand	.....	23,319	.....	.....	2,743
United Kingdom	.....	1,199	.....	.....	91
Fiji	.....	2,093	.....	.....	210
New Guinea	.....	25	.....	.....	3
Norfolk Island	.....	140	.....	.....	16
Belgium	.....	119	.....	.....	9
New Caledonia	.....	6,305	.....	.....	510
Germany	.....	204	.....	.....	13
Marshall Islands	.....	20	.....	.....	3
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	20	.....	.....	2
South Sea Islands	.....	304	.....	.....	42
United States	.....	14	.....	.....	2
	.....	55,518	55,518	.....	6,488
Rock.					
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.		
Victoria	.....	250	.....	.....	23
Queensland	.....	2,310	.....	.....	127
South Australia	.....	120	.....	.....	10
Western Australia ...	.....	80	.....	.....	8
Tasmania	.....	675	.....	.....	61
New Zealand	.....	5,373	.....	.....	474
Fiji	.....	194	.....	.....	18
	.....	9,002	9,002	.....	721
Saltpetre.					
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.		
Victoria	.....	2	.....	.....	3
Queensland	.....	71	.....	.....	87
New Zealand	.....	35	.....	.....	48
Fiji	.....	1	.....	.....	1
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	10	.....	.....	14
South Sea Islands	.....	3	.....	.....	4
	.....	123	123	.....	158
Samples (Travellers').					
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.		
Victoria	.....	2,450	2,450	.....	20,803
Queensland	8	569	577	18	5,495
South Australia	.....	160	160	.....	1,376
Western Australia ...	4	150	154	15	1,525
Tasmania	.....	29	29	.....	247
New Zealand	.....	119	119	.....	848
United Kingdom	.....	23	23	.....	197
Cape Colony	.....	2	2	.....	11
Fiji	.....	24	24	.....	289
New Caledonia	.....	15	15	.....	202
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	6
South Sea Islands	.....	3	3	.....	7
	12	3,545	3,557	33	31,006

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
s Skins.						
alasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
toria	15	329	344	75	766	841
eensland	49	160	209	147	774	921
ith Australia... ...	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
stern Australia ...	16	26	42	29	70	99
mania	.....	23	23	.....	73	73
w Zealand	2	.....	2	4	.....	4
.. ..	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
um	1	.....	1	11	.....	11
e	8	.....	8	45	.....	45
any	170	3	173	494	2	496
... ...	15	.....	15	136	.....	136
d States	1	.....	1	5	.....	5
	277*	543	820	946	1,690	2,636
Garden.						
alasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
toria	287	435	722	805	1,752	2,557
eensland	680	300	980	2,358	1,094	3,452
ith Australia... ...	126	106	232	334	580	914
stern Australia ...	43	92	135	196	389	585
mania	77	114	191	158	515	673
w Zealand	175	110	285	277	269	546
d Kingdom	1,021	50	1,071	2,726	100	2,826
lian Dominion ...	6	3	9	13	2	15
Colony	4	.....	4	101	.....	101
.. ..	24	2	26	59	2	61
Kong	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Guinea	3	.....	3	7	.....	7
m	86	85	171	139	132	271
e	2	.....	2	14	.....	14
Caledonia	38	20	58	85	13	98
any	21	9	30	39	15	54
iian Islands	2	.....	2	9	.....	9
... ...	6	.....	6	20	.....	20
Sea Islands	3	1	4	9	2	11
vaal	1	.....	1	48	.....	48
d States	18	1	19	124	6	130
	2,624	1,328	3,952	7,522	4,871	12,393
Other.						
alasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
toria	.....	63	.....	.....	84	
eensland	.....	54	.....	.....	76	
ith Australia	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
stern Australia ...	.....	9	.....	.....	8	
mania	.....	65	.....	.....	154	
w Zealand	.....	9	.....	.....	11	
.. ..	.....	9	.....	.....	10	
Kong	.....	2	.....	.....	2	
lk Island	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
Caledonia	.....	16	.....	.....	9	
Sea Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
	.....	231	231	.....	357	357

* Sheep sausage skins.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tot
Salt—*continued.*						
In Bags.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	475	.....	.....	65	
Queensland	.....	17,435	.....	.....	2,312	
South Australia	.....	100	.....	.....	10	
Western Australia ...	.....	42	.....	.....	7	
Tasmania	.....	3,704	.....	.....	450	
New Zealand	.....	23,319	.....	.....	2,743	
United Kingdom	.....	1,199	.....	.....	91	
Fiji	.....	2,093	.....	.....	210	
New Guinea	.....	25	.....	.....	3	
Norfolk Island	.....	140	.....	.....	16	
Belgium	.....	119	.....	.....	9	
New Caledonia	.....	6,305	.....	.....	510	
Germany	.....	204	.....	.....	13	
Marshall Islands	.....	20	.....	.....	3	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	20	.....	.....	2	
South Sea Islands	.....	304	.....	.....	42	
United States	.....	14	.....	.....	2	
	.....	55,518	55,518	.....	6,488	6,
Rock.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	250	.....	.....	23	
Queensland	.....	2,310	.....	.....	127	
South Australia	.....	120	.....	.....	10	
Western Australia ...	.....	80	.....	.....	8	
Tasmania	.....	675	.....	.....	61	
New Zealand	.....	5,373	.....	.....	474	
Fiji	.....	194	.....	.....	18	
	.....	9,002	9,002	.....	721	
Saltpetre.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	2	.....	.....	3	
Queensland	.....	71	.....	.....	87	
New Zealand	.....	35	.....	.....	48	
Fiji	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	10	.....	.....	14	
South Sea Islands	.....	3	.....	.....	4	
	.....	123	123	.....	158	
Samples (Travellers').						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	2,450	2,450	.....	20,803	20,
Queensland	8	569	577	18	5,495	5,
South Australia	.....	160	160	.....	1,376	1,
Western Australia ...	4	150	154	15	1,525	1,
Tasmania	.....	29	29	.....	247	
New Zealand	.....	119	119	.....	848	
United Kingdom	.....	23	23	.....	197	
Cape Colony	.....	2	2	.....	11	
Fiji	.....	24	24	.....	289	
New Caledonia	.....	15	15	.....	202	
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	6	
South Sea Islands	.....	3	3	.....	7	
	12	3,545	3,557	33	31,006	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Sausage Skins.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	15	329	344	75	766	841
Queensland	49	160	209	147	774	921
South Australia... ...	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
Western Australia ...	16	26	42	29	70	99
Tasmania	.....	23	23	.....	73	73
New Zealand	2	.....	2	4	.....	4
Fiji	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
Belgium	1	.....	1	11	.....	11
France	8	.....	8	45	.....	45
Germany	170	3	173	494	2	496
Italy	15	.....	15	136	.....	136
United States	1	.....	1	5	.....	5
	277*	543	820	946	1,690	2,636
Seeds.						
Garden.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	287	435	722	805	1,752	2,557
Queensland	680	300	980	2,358	1,094	3,452
South Australia... ...	126	106	232	334	580	914
Western Australia ...	43	92	135	196	389	585
Tasmania	77	114	191	158	515	673
New Zealand	175	110	285	277	269	546
United Kingdom	1,021	50	1,071	2,726	100	2,826
Canadian Dominion ...	6	3	9	13	2	15
Cape Colony	4	.....	4	101	.....	101
Fiji	24	2	26	59	2	61
Hong Kong	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
New Guinea	3	.....	3	7	.....	7
Belgium	86	85	171	139	132	271
France	2	.....	2	14	.....	14
New Caledonia	38	20	58	85	13	98
Germany	21	9	30	39	15	54
Hawaiian Islands	2	.....	2	9	.....	9
Italy	6	.....	6	20	.....	20
South Sea Islands	3	1	4	9	2	11
Transvaal	1	.....	1	48	.....	48
United States	18	1	19	124	6	130
	2,624	1,328	3,952	7,522	4,871	12,393
Other.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	63	.....	.....	84	
Queensland	.....	54	.....	.....	76	
South Australia	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Western Australia ...	.....	9	.....	.....	8	
Tasmania	.....	65	.....	.....	154	
New Zealand	.....	9	.....	.....	11	
Fiji	.....	9	.....	.....	10	
Hong Kong	.....	2	.....	.....	2	
Norfolk Island	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	16	.....	.....	9	
South Sea Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
	.....	231	231	.....	357	357

* Sheep sausage skins.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Boots and Shoes.)						
alasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
toria	.....	30	.....	.....	2,105	
ensland	.....	45	.....	.....	872	
th Australia... ...	.....	4	.....	.....	501	
stern Australia ...	.....	9	.....	.....	698	
mania	.....	1	.....	.....	4	
w Zealand	.....	15	.....	.....	242	
d Kingdom	.....	3	.....	.....	176	
... ...	.....	1	.....	.....	13	
Kong...	.....	1	.....	.....	206	
Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	6	
... ...	.....	1	.....	.....	125	
Sea Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	52	
	.....	112	112	.....	5,000	5,000
Coin.						
Coin.)						
Ingots.	oz.	oz.	oz.			
d Kingdom	87,303	3,150	90,453	11,775	400	12,175
Lead.						
alasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
th Australia... ...	388,420	.....	388,420	788,530	.....	788,530
d Kingdom	3,044	200	3,244	6,080	257	6,337
	391,464	200	391,664	794,610	257	794,867
ntained in Matte.	oz.	oz.	oz.			
d Kingdom	115,486	127,268	242,754	14,743	15,849	30,592
Ore.						
alasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
toria	2,836	.....	2,836	2,082	.....	2,082
ensland	193	.....	193	369	.....	369
th Australia... ...	5,341,152	.....	5,341,152	955,644	.....	955,644
d Kingdom	2,675	46,755	49,430	5,538	22,575	28,113
um	.....	152,378	152,378	.....	75,471	75,471
any	405	30,498	30,903	690	15,230	15,920
... ...	.....	23,973	23,973	.....	11,986	11,986
	5,347,261	253,604	5,600,865	964,323	125,262	1,089,585
nd Hides.						
Horse.	No.	No.	No.			
d Kingdom	512	1,150	1,662	171	440	611
um	132	850	982	33	290	323
any	78	500	578	20	170	190
... ...	21	295	316	9	80	89
... ...	10	.....	10	4	.....	4
d States	125	2,000	2,125	34	650	684
	878	4,795	5,673	271	1,630	1,901

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tot
Skins and Hides—*continued.*						
Cattle.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	
Victoria	17,114	55,500	72,614	9,468	38,850	48
Queensland	1,542	.....	1,542	937	.....	
South Australia	8,015	15,250	23,265	3,890	8,450	12
Western Australia ...	7	.....	7	3	.....	
Tasmania...	609	1,200	1,809	370	830	1
New Zealand	9,145	16,500	25,645	5,737	12,850	18
United Kingdom	38,543	110,000	148,543	15,247	77,250	92
Canadian Dominion ...	1,200	.....	1,200	876	.....	
Belgium	10,559	20,200	30,759	6,113	12,250	18
Denmark	150	.....	150	98	.....	
Egypt	6	.....	6	4	.....	
France	2,930	6,800	9,730	1,426	4,190	5
Germany	3,688	8,500	12,188	1,968	5,000	6
Italy	3,621	6,200	9,821	1,980	4,340	6
Japan	635	.....	635	319	.....	
Netherlands	200	.....	200	153	.....	
United States	2,225	3,000	5,225	1,269	1,950	3
	100,189	243,150	343,339	49,858	165,960	215
Buffalo.						
Australasia—		No.	No.			
Victoria	.....	14	.....	.....	14	
United Kingdom	.....	3,673	.....	.....	4,620	
	.....	3,687	3,687	.....	4,634	4
Kangaroo.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	350	.....	350	1,558	.....	1
South Australia	419	.....	419	2,293	.....	2
United Kingdom	19	260	279	1,007	10,150	11
Belgium	1	.....	1	33	.....	
United States	117	338	455	4,951	13,265	18
	906	598	1,504	9,842	23,415	33
Other Marsupial.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	771	.....	771	8,019	.....	8
Queensland	36	.....	36	73	.....	
South Australia	970	.....	970	2,875	.....	3
Tasmania	1	.....	1	20	.....	
United Kingdom	969	110	1,079	23,992	3,000	2
Canadian Dominion ...	59	.....	59	1,889	.....	
Belgium	155	.....	155	3,159	.....	3
France	7	.....	7	220	.....	
Germany	163	.....	163	6,324	.....	4
Italy	13	.....	13	250	.....	
Japan	22	.....	22	320	.....	
United States	1,321	115	1,436	51,926	3,500	
	4,487	225	4,712	99,067	6,500	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

d Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Hides—*continued.*						
Rabbit.						
sia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
ria	379	.....	379	656	.....	656
Australia	774	... ..	774	1,836	.....	1,836
Kingdom	626	353	979	6,345	5,160	11,505
... ...	30	.....	30	292	.....	292
y	9	.....	9	97	.....	97
... ...	1	.....	1	11	.....	11
... ...	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
States	68	88	156	714	1,050	1,764
	1,888	441	2,329	9,952	6,210	16,162
p (with wool).						
sia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ria	8,976	4,150	13,126	32,246	12,500	44,746
sland	25	2	27	115	20	135
Australia... ...	3,630	1,600	5,230	11,744	5,800	17,544
Kingdom	1,996	1,950	3,946	23,028	21,150	44,178
... ...	643	330	973	8,060	4,125	12,185
... ...	5,332	3,155	8,487	70,634	43,560	114,194
y	465	250	715	6,205	3,200	9,405
... ...	38	12	50	500	150	650
... ...	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
ands	2	.....	2	32	.....	32
	21,108	11,449	32,557	152,567	90,505	243,072
(without wool).						
sia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ria	233	.....	233	1,203	.....	1,203
Australia	7	.....	7	105	.....	105
Kingdom	598	.....	598	8,129	.....	8,129
n Dominion ...	50	3	53	637	30	667
... ...	69	.....	69	768	.....	768
... ...	10	.....	10	116	.....	116
y	9	.....	9	137	.....	137
... ...	22	.....	22	185	.....	185
States	66	.....	66	831	.....	831
	1,064	3	1,067	12,111	30	12,141
l other kinds.						
sia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ria	94	... ..	94	284	.....	284
nsland	5	14	19	10	40	50
ania	2	.....	2	5	.....	5
Zealand	852	.....	852	4,649	.....	4,649
Kingdom	59	.....	59	197	.....	197
... ...	3	.....	3	12	.....	12
... ...	1	.....	1	7	.....	7
y	2	.....	2	15	.....	15
... ...	72	.....	72	414	.....	414
... ...	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
States	31	.....	31	211	.....	211
	1,122	14	1,136	5,806	40	5,846

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tot
Slates.						
Roofing.						
Australasia—		No.	No.	£	£	
Victoria	.....	27,000	.....	.....	228	
Queensland	.....	14,800	.....	.....	137	
Western Australia ...	.....	7,500	.....	.....	83	
Tasmania	.....	37,050	.....	.....	348	
	.....	86,350	86,350	.....	796	
Slabs.						
Australasia—		No.	No.			
Victoria	.....	18	.....	.....	26	
Queensland	.....	3	.....	.....	4	
New Zealand	.....	19	.....	.....	26	
	.....	40	40	.....	56	
Soap.						
Toilet, Fancy, and Scented.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	4,540	4,540	.....	689	
Queensland	1,311	3,671	4,982	31	407	
South Australia	.....	2,192	2,192	.....	275	
Western Australia ...	.....	943	943	.....	104	
Tasmania...	.....	180	180	.....	23	
New Zealand	.....	1,508	1,508	.....	108	
Fiji	.....	70	70	.....	7	
New Caledonia	.....	229	229	.....	35	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	57	57	.....	4	
South Sea Islands... ...	.....	46	46	.....	4	
	1,311	13,436	14,747	31	1,656	1,
Common.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	353	322	675	318	441	
Queensland	420	483	903	411	728	1.
South Australia	263	575	838	180	718	
Western Australia ...	292	1,109	1,401	232	1,684	1,
Tasmania	11	16	27	10	26	
New Zealand	260	304	564	121	481	
United Kingdom	.....	8	8	.....	12	
Cape Colony	101	.....	101	79	.....	
Fiji	441	11	452	334	13	
Hong Kong...	81	30	111	46	12	
Ceylon	246	.....	246	113	.....	
Mauritius	1,300	.....	1,300	680	.....	
New Guinea	58	.....	58	33	.....	
Norfolk Island	43	.....	43	32	.....	
Straits Settlements... ...	13	.....	13	7	.....	
China	1,696	.....	1,696	769	.....	
New Caledonia	1,270	71	1,341	723	43	
Marshall Islands	120	.....	120	71	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	94	.....	94	57	.....	
Japan	9	.....	9	5	.....	
South Sea Islands	1,895	3	1,898	1,234	2	
	8,966	2,932	11,898	5,455	4,160	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
ock.*						
	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
d Kingdom	8,265	.....	8,265	6,383	.....	6,383
ım	30	515	545	22	417	439
any	508	.....	508	409	.....	409
d States	350	.....	350	315	.....	315
	9,153	515	9,668	7,129	417	7,546
Alkalies.)						
ens of Natural History.						
alasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
toria	9	13	22	67	70	137
eensland	28	23	51	122	95	217
ıth Australia	6	.....	6	60	.....	60
estern Australia ...	1	.....	1	20	.....	20
w Zealand	7	7	14	42	23	65
d Kingdom	10	6	16	97	28	125
lian Dominion ...	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
ıum	1	.....	1	30	.....	30
... ...	1	.....	1	4	.....	4
e	2	.....	2	15	.....	15
Caledonia	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
any	3	2	5	9	5	14
iian Islands	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
... ...	4	.....	4	60	.....	60
... ...	2	.....	2	10	.....	10
d States	2	16	18	13	300	313
	79	67	146	558	521	1,079
alasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
toria	1,512	2,645	4,157	33	77	110
eensland	112	5,111	5,223	5	295	300
ıth Australia	379	55	434	8	8	16
estern Australia ...	224	.....	224	3	.....	3
ımania	28	69	97	1	6	7
w Zealand	.....	988	988	.....	40	40
... ...	.....	131	131	.....	3	3
lk Island	.....	56	56	.....	1	1
Caledonia	52	20	72	2	1	3
Sea Islands	30	30	60	1	2	3
	2,337	9,105	11,442	53	433	486

* Principally Olein.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tot
Spirits.						
Brandy.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.		£	
Victoria	.....	4,070	.....	.....	2,251	
Queensland	.....	9,133	.....	.....	4,858	
South Australia	.....	1,004	.....	.....	582	
Western Australia ...	.....	3,146	.....	.....	2,352	
Tasmania	.....	1,294	.....	.....	670	
New Zealand	.....	3,551	.....	.....	1,070	
United Kingdom	.....	1,599	.....	.....	503	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	12	.....	.....	11	
Fiji	.....	523	.....	.....	370	
Hong Kong...	.....	42	.....	.....	36	
India	.....	2	.....	.....	2	
New Guinea	.....	124	.....	.....	107	
Norfolk Island	.....	8	.....	.....	6	
Belgium	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Chili	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
France	.....	618	.....	.....	385	
New Caledonia	.....	45	.....	.....	11	
Germany	.....	530	.....	.....	168	
Marshall Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	2	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	44	.....	.....	38	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	202	.....	.....	82	
Japan	.....	80	.....	.....	52	
South Sea Islands	.....	406	.....	.....	325	
United States	.....	62	.....	.....	54	
	.....	26,501	26,501	.....	13,937	13,
Geneva and Schnapps.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	1,112	.....	.....	284	
Queensland	.....	4,392	.....	.....	2,016	
South Australia	.....	448	.....	.....	169	
Western Australia ...	.....	576	.....	.....	188	
Tasmania	.....	1,640	.....	.....	693	
New Zealand	.....	4,982	.....	.....	2,335	
United Kingdom	.....	84	.....	.....	16	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	47	.....	.....	11	
Fiji	.....	1,308	.....	.....	222	
Hong Kong...	.....	12	.....	.....	4	
Mauritius	.....	6	.....	.....	3	
New Guinea	.....	27	.....	.....	5	
Norfolk Island	.....	33	.....	.....	6	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	16	.....	.....	3	
Belgium	.....	6	.....	.....	2	
France	.....	4	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	1,858	.....	.....	295	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	84	.....	.....	12	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	30	.....	.....	10	
South Sea Islands	.....	3,414	.....	.....	570	
United States	.....	152	.....	.....	28	
	.....	20,231	20,231	.....	6,873	6,

Proof Spirit.—Alcohol of the specific gravity of 0·92 at 60° Fahr. is proof spirit. The standard of pr which all mixtures of alcohol and water are judged contains 57·27 per cent. by volume, and 49·50 by weigh Spirits other than bitters, essences, sarsaparilla, tinctures, &c., are subject to a duty of 14s. per gallon of p proportionate reduction in the duty is allowed on spirits to 16·5 under proof, but on spirits of less strengt enforced as at that strength. The returns of spirits given in the general imports and exports are state measure, whereas the quantities shown in the Table of Revenue collected by the Customs Department are i spirit.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which xported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
—*continued.*						
Gin.						
alasia—		gal.	gal.		£	£
toria	.....	58	.....	.....	19	
eensland	.....	102	.....	.....	29	
ith Australia... ...	.....	68	.....	.....	20	
estern Australia ...	.....	248	.....	.....	71	
w Zealand	.....	20	.....	.....	6	
d Kingdom	.....	14	.....	.....	4	
.. ..	.....	30	.....	.....	8	
Guinea	.....	4	.....	.....	1	
e	.....	10	.....	.....	3	
Sea Islands... ...	.....	64	.....	.....	20	
d States	.....	22	.....	.....	7	
	.....	640	640	.....	188	188
Liqueurs.						
alasia—		gal.	gal.			
toria	.....	45	.....	.....	42	
eensland	.....	146	.....	.....	127	
ith Australia	.....	45	.....	.....	43	
estern Australia ...	.....	343	.....	.....	339	
w Zealand	.....	28	.....	.....	31	
d Kingdom	.....	11	.....	.....	14	
dian Dominion ...	.....	2	.....	.....	2	
.. ..	.....	20	.....	.....	20	
hall Islands	.....	8	.....	.....	6	
Sea Islands	.....	94	.....	.....	50	
d States	.....	4	.....	.....	5	
	.....	746	746	.....	679	679
Rum.						
alasia—		gal.	gal.			
toria	.....	1,418	.....	.....	202	
eensland	.....	6,009	.....	.....	991	
ith Australia	.....	1,667	.....	.....	204	
estern Australia ...	.....	3,702	.....	.....	731	
mania...	.....	1,656	.....	.....	284	
w Zealand	.....	1,116	.....	.....	140	
d Kingdom	.....	231	.....	.....	33	
dian Dominion ...	.....	124	.....	.....	18	
.. ..	.....	221	.....	.....	38	
... ...	.....	13	.....	.....	2	
Guinea	.....	203	.....	.....	36	
e	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Caledonia	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
any	.....	15	.....	.....	2	
Sea Islands	.....	222	.....	.....	71	
d States	.....	112	.....	.....	19	
	.....	16,713	16,713	.....	2,772	2,772

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total
Spirits—*continued.*						
Whisky.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.	£	£	
Victoria	.....	8,489	.....	.....	2,835	
Queensland	.....	14,512	.....	.....	6,144	
South Australia	.....	2,508	.....	.....	928	
Western Australia ...	.....	13,541	.....	.....	5,429	
Tasmania...	.....	3,199	.....	.....	1,283	
New Zealand	.....	5,675	.....	.....	2,248	
United Kingdom	.....	1,806	.....	.....	565	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	445	.....	.....	186	
Fiji	.....	2,443	.....	.....	1,019	
Hong Kong...	.....	176	.....	.....	72	
India	.....	24	.....	.....	10	
Ceylon	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Mauritius	.....	6	.....	.....	3	
New Guinea	.....	290	.....	.....	124	
Norfolk Island	.....	24	.....	.....	10	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	10	.....	.....	4	
Belgium	.....	8	.....	.....	4	
Chili	.....	23	.....	.....	10	
France	.....	66	.....	.....	26	
New Caledonia	.....	535	.....	.....	251	
Germany	.....	8	.....	.....	3	
Marshall Islands	.....	4	.....	.....	2	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)..	.....	42	.....	.....	19	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	175	.....	.....	77	
Japan	.....	14	.....	.....	6	
Netherlands	.....	4	.....	.....	2	
Peru	.....	8	.....	.....	4	
Azores	.....	6	.....	.....	3	
South Sea Islands	.....	1,569	.....	.....	708	
Guam	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
United States	.....	613	.....	.....	265	
	.....	56,229	56,229	.....	22,237	22,
All Other (Intoxicants).						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	41	.....	.....	36	
Tasmania	.....	90	.....	.....	24	
	.....	131	131	.....	60	
Distilled in the Colony.						
Australasia—	gal.		gal.			
Victoria	5,011	.....	.....	497	.....	
Queensland	30	.....	.....	3	.....	
Western Australia ...	461	.....	.....	46	.....	
Tasmania	58	.....	.....	5	.....	
New Zealand	12,841	.....	.....	1,287	.....	
Fiji	81	.....	.....	8	.....	
Chili	30	.....	.....	3	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)..	30	.....	.....	3	.....	
South Sea Islands	60	.....	.....	6	.....	
	18,602	.....	18,602	1,858	.....	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
Spirits—*continued.*						
Bitters.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	12	12	.....	14	14
Queensland	120	80	200	90	111	201
South Australia	.....	6	6	.....	7	7
Western Australia ...	.....	44	44	.....	47	47
Tasmania	.....	8	8	.....	13	13
New Zealand	.....	23	23	.....	21	21
United Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
Fiji	.....	6	6	.....	6	6
France	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
New Caledonia	.....	5	5	.....	9	9
South Sea Islands	.....	16	16	.....	9	9
	120	206	326	90	245	335
Essences (Flavouring).						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	12	12	.....	39	39
Queensland	.....	246	246	.....	446	446
South Australia	3	8	11	8	17	25
Western Australia ...	.....	42	42	.....	97	97
Tasmania...	.....	142	142	.....	132	132
New Zealand	.....	1,040	1,040	.....	664	664
Fiji	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
New Caledonia	.....	3	3	.....	7	7
Neu Pommern (New Britain)..	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
Hawaiian Islands	.....	40	40	.....	43	43
South Sea Islands	.....	7	7	.....	20	20
	3	1,542	1,545	8	1,469	1,477
Perfumes & Perfumed Waters.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	159	.....	.....	701	
Queensland	.....	175	.....	.....	583	
South Australia... ...	.....	31	.....	.....	100	
Western Australia ...	.....	89	.....	.....	179	
Tasmania	.....	35	.....	.....	89	
New Zealand ...	.....	21	.....	.....	84	
United Kingdom	.....	10	.....	.....	58	
Fiji	.....	73	.....	.....	140	
Hong Kong	.....	3	.....	.....	15	
Belgium	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
Chili	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
France	.....	1	.....	.....	10	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)..	.....	6	.....	.....	9	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	25	.....	.....	12	
South Sea Islands... ...	.....	73	.....	.....	153	
United States	.....	7	.....	.....	19	
	.....	710	710	.....	2,155	2,155

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Spirits—*continued.*						
Sarsaparilla.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Queensland	.....	168	.....	.....	208	
South Australia	.....	64	.....	.....	69	
Western Australia ...	.....	34	.....	.....	70	
Tasmania	.....	13	.....	.....	17	
New Zealand	.....	71	.....	.....	50	
Fiji	.....	7	.....	.....	16	
New Guinea	.....	5	.....	.....	10	
New Caledonia	.....	9	.....	.....	20	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	4	.....	.....	6	
South Sea Islands... ...	.....	22	.....	.....	43	
	.....	397	397	.....	509	50
*Tinctures, Fluid Extracts, &c.**						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	545	.....	.....	962	
Queensland	.....	1,213	.....	.....	1,695	
South Australia	.....	351	.....	.....	430	
Western Australia ...	.....	100	.....	.....	203	
Tasmania	.....	340	.....	.....	481	
New Zealand	.....	416	.....	.....	546	
Cape Colony	.....	4	.....	.....	3	
Fiji	.....	65	.....	.....	89	
New Guinea	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
New Caledonia	.....	15	.....	.....	27	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	7	.....	.....	19	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	48	.....	.....	53	
South Sea Islands	.....	39	.....	.....	58	
	.....	3,144	3,144	.....	4,568	4,56
Methylated.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
South Australia	.....	15	15	.....	2	
Western Australia ...	60	389	449	8	42	
Tasmania	155	196	351	19	21	
New Zealand	.....	238	238	.....	26	
Fiji	41	39	80	4	8	
South Sea Islands	.....	30	30	.....	4	
	256	907	1,163	31	103	1,
All other.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	189	.....	.....	26	
Queensland	.....	146	.....	.....	47	
Western Australia ...	.....	506	.....	.....	69	
New Zealand	.....	4,437	.....	.....	455	
Fiji	.....	59	.....	.....	11	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	131	.....	.....	19	
	.....	5,468	5,468	.....	627	

* Includes all medicines containing spirit.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

d Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
d Starch Powders.						
sia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
ria	176	4,837	5,013	2	53	55
sland	.....	44,036	44,036	.....	536	536
Australia	7,916	560	8,476	84	6	90
rn Australia ...	.....	438	438	.....	6	6
nia	.....	30,458	30,458	.....	369	369
Zealand	.....	38,820	38,820	.....	474	474
... ...	.....	5,244	5,244	.....	60	60
Island	.....	112	112	.....	1	1
ledonia	.....	3,696	3,696	.....	40	40
a Islands	.....	2,067	2,067	.....	24	24
	8,092	130,268	138,360	85	1,569	1,655
(Sundries).						
sia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ria	67	307	374	256	1,797	2,053
sland	119	767	886	586	4,969	5,555
Australia	25	157	182	105	1,079	1,184
rn Australia ...	54	243	297	386	2,114	2,500
nia	26	176	202	74	1,128	1,202
Zealand	62	371	433	184	2,411	2,595
Kingdom	7	13	20	80	161	241
n Dominion ...	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
... ...	42	142	184	226	777	1,003
ong	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
inea	3	9	12	20	36	56
Island	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
ledonia	5	8	13	33	74	107
y	1	.....	1	10	.....	10
mern (New Britain)	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
n Islands	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
... ...	1	.....	1	5	.....	5
a Islands	6	72	78	17	491	508
States	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
	418	2,272	2,690	1,982	15,054	17,036
nd Monuments.						
sia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
ia	.....	23	23	.....	79	79
sland	4	50	54	28	301	329
Australia	6	11	17	48	26	74
rn Australia ...	.....	25	25	.....	139	139
nia...	.....	10	10	.....	36	36
Zealand	.....	70	70	.....	363	363
Kingdom	2	1	3	150	10	160
... ...	32	50	82	159	350	509
edonia	2	1	3	5	2	7
mern (New Britain)	2	.....	2	10	.....	10
... ...	2	.....	2	10	.....	10
a Islands	6	25	31	18	99	117
	56	266	322	428	1,405	1,833
sia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Australia	.....	200	200	.....	4	4
rn Australia ...	7,183	.....	7,183	120	.....	120
nia...	4,769	.....	4,769	64	.....	64
	11,952	200	12,152	184	4	188

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	To
Stones.						
Building, Wrought.		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	
South Sea Islands	.....	1	1	.....	1	
Building, Unwrought.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Queensland	.....	18	18	.....	54	
Western Australia ...	129	.....	129	62	.....	
New Zealand	.....	2	2	.....	4	
Fiji	755	9	764	297	2	
	884	29	913	359	60	
Granite, Wrought.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	48	.....	.....	212	
Queensland	.....	16	.....	.....	83	
Tasmania	.....	2	.....	.....	10	
New Zealand	.....	11	.....	.....	55	
	.....	77	77	.....	360	
Granite, Unwrought.		pkg.	pkg.			
Fiji	.....	1	1	.....	2	
Grindstones.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	39	22	61	90	7	
Queensland	.....	206	206	.....	111	
South Australia	.....	91	91	.....	48	
Western Australia ...	.....	92	92	.....	88	
Tasmania	.....	2	2	.....	1	
New Zealand	285	235	520	47	60	
Fiji	11	44	55	5	25	
New Guinea	.....	14	14	.....	9	
Norfolk Island	.....	2	2	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	28	28	.....	10	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	24	24	.....	4	
South Sea Islands	.....	31	31	.....	13	
	335	791	1,126	142	377	
Millstones.						
Australasia—		No.	No.			
Queensland	.....	1	1	.....	8	
Other, Wrought.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Queensland	4	.....	.....	7	.....	
New Zealand	28	.....	.....	70	.....	
	32	.....	32	77	.....	
Other, Unwrought.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	80	.....	80	15	.....	
Queensland	.....	1	1	.....	2	
	80	1	81	15	2	
Straw.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Queensland	.....	10	10	.....	2	
New Zealand	98	.....	98	14	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	68	.....	68	9	.....	
	166	10	176	23	2	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

cle and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
r.						
Raw.						
tralasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
ictoria	.....	3,679	3,679	.....	2,961	2,961
ueensland	.....	2,085	2,085	.....	1,958	1,958
outh Australia	.....	1,276	1,276	.....	979	979
Western Australia ...	.....	921	921	.....	721	721
asmania	.....	52,552	52,552	.....	42,044	42,044
ew Zealand	.....	20,069	20,069	.....	15,441	15,441
ted Kingdom	.....	341	341	.....	261	261
adian Dominion ...	.....	140	140	.....	109	109
e Colony	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
... ...	100	3,614	3,714	73	2,822	2,895
ng Kong...	.....	142	142	.....	111	111
ia	.....	7	7	.....	5	5
lon	.....	4	4	.....	3	3
r Guinea	.....	311	311	.....	238	238
folk Island	.....	188	188	.....	136	136
its Settlements ...	.....	17	17	.....	13	13
gium	.....	17	17	.....	12	12
li	.....	30	30	.....	23	23
nce	.....	19	19	.....	14	14
r Caledonia	.....	4,635	4,635	.....	3,460	3,460
many	.....	7	7	.....	5	5
rshall Islands	.....	5	5	.....	4	4
Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	105	105	.....	90	90
waiian Islands	.....	17	17	.....	12	12
y	.....	11	11	.....	8	8
an	.....	6	6	.....	5	5
tico	.....	8	8	.....	6	6
herlands	.....	3	3	.....	2	2
a	.....	6	6	.....	5	5
res	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
th Sea Islands	5	1,233	1,238	4	965	969
oline Islands	.....	3	3	.....	2	2
ted States	.....	164	164	.....	126	126
	105	91,618	91,723	77	72,544	72,621
Refined.						
tralasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
ictoria	.....	7	.....	.....	10	
outh Australia	.....	115	.....	.....	142	
Western Australia ...	.....	8	.....	.....	11	
ted Kingdom	.....	40	.....	.....	54	
adian Dominion ...	.....	28	.....	.....	37	
... ...	.....	4	.....	.....	6	
ng Kong	.....	10	.....	.....	14	
ia	.....	2	.....	.....	3	
r Guinea	.....	5	.....	.....	7	
li	.....	2	.....	.....	3	
nce	.....	2	.....	.....	3	
r Caledonia	.....	3	.....	.....	4	
an	.....	2	.....	.....	3	
th Sea Islands	.....	10	.....	.....	13	
ted States	.....	26	.....	.....	35	
	.....	264	264	.....	345	345

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.	
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.
Sulphur.					
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.	£	£
Victoria	.....	61	.....	.....	30
Queensland	.....	2,412	.....	.....	689
Tasmania...	.....	61	.....	.....	30
New Zealand	.....	173	.....	.....	86
Fiji	.....	4	.....	.....	2
New Guinea	.....	21	.....	.....	10
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	2	.....	.....	1
	.....	2,734	2,734	.....	848
Tallow.					
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.		
Victoria	34,485	.....	34,485	27,827	.....
South Australia	8,771	.....	8,771	7,663	.....
Western Australia ...	348	.....	348	285	.....
United Kingdom	340,522	172,500	513,022	300,387	150,000
Fiji	24	.....	24	22	.....
Hong Kong...	1,125	.....	1,125	979	.....
India	40	.....	40	36	.....
Ceylon	259	.....	259	237	.....
Mauritius	205	.....	205	200	.....
New Guinea	11	.....	11	11	.....
Belgium	2,472	1,190	3,662	2,245	1,050
Chili	11,357	3,980	15,337	9,773	3,500
France	8	.....	8	7	.....
New Caledonia	76	.....	76	68	.....
Italy	24	.....	24	20	.....
Japan	2,346	1,980	4,326	1,925	1,550
Peru	1,781	.....	1,781	1,722	.....
United States	200	.....	200	159	.....
	404,054	179,650	583,704	353,566	156,100
Tanning Material. (See also Bark)					
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.		
Victoria	.....	193	.....	.....	167
Queensland	.....	1,169	.....	.....	1,180
New Zealand	.....	32	.....	.....	9
	.....	1,394	1,394	.....	1,356
Tapioca and Semolina.					
Australasia—		lb.	lb.		
Victoria	.....	27,958	.....	.....	112
Queensland	.....	51,467	.....	.....	243
South Australia... ...	.....	504	.....	.....	2
Western Australia ...	.....	1,126	.....	.....	6
Tasmania	.....	8,064	.....	.....	41
New Zealand	.....	7,556	.....	.....	39
Fiji	.....	392	.....	.....	2
New Caledonia	.....	154	.....	.....	1
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	224	.....	.....	1
South Sea Islands	.....	168	.....	.....	1
	.....	97,613	97,613	.....	44

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
s and Tents.						
s—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
a	5	2	7	33	5	38
sland	10	12	22	18	295	313
Australia	27	3	30	322	4	326
n Australia ...	3	3	6	31	30	61
... ...	1	.....	1	4	.....	4
nea	3	.....	3	12	.....	12
edonia	1	.....	1	10	.....	10
a Islands	4	.....	4	69	.....	69
	54	20	74	499	334	833
s—		lb.	lb.			
a	.....	514,134	.....	.....	13,519	
sland	.....	954,699	.....	.....	32,647	
Australia	.....	121,933	.....	.....	4,119	
n Australia ...	.....	114,905	.....	.....	3,744	
nia	.....	125,450	.....	.....	4,110	
ealand	.....	366,964	.....	.....	14,550	
ingdom	.....	112	.....	.....	6	
ony	.....	340	.....	.....	15	
... ...	.....	7,228	.....	.....	230	
nea	.....	984	.....	.....	33	
sland	.....	1,026	.....	.....	39	
... ...	.....	80	.....	.....	4	
edonia	.....	81,915	.....	.....	2,562	
... ...	.....	150	.....	.....	6	
Islands	.....	810	.....	.....	33	
ern (New Britain) ...	.....	280	.....	.....	11	
s Islands	.....	5,192	.....	.....	205	
	.....	2,296,202	2,296,202	.....	75,833	75,833
ic, Telephonic, and Electric Materials.						
ia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
a	.....	100	100	.....	1,239	1,239
sland	1	272	273	5	2,005	2,010
Australia	.....	117	117	.....	1,158	1,158
n Australia ...	4	93	97	24	1,837	1,861
nia	.....	81	81	.....	829	829
ealand	.....	81	81	.....	842	842
ingdom	.....	15	15	.....	372	372
... ...	.....	7	7	.....	50	50
edonia	.....	16	16	.....	116	116
ern (New Britain) ...	.....	1	1	.....	16	16
	5	783	788	29	8,464	8,493
Roofing.						
ia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
a	1,217	3,718	4,935	65	287	352
n Australia ...	.....	1,876	1,876	.....	129	129
	1,217	5,594	6,811	65	416	48

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Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tota
Tiles—*continued.*						
Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	
Victoria	13	115	128	10	72	
Queensland	.....	34	34	.....	72	
South Australia	.....	19	19	.....	60	
Western Australia ...	.....	20	20	.....	55	
Tasmania	.....	1	1	.....	2	
New Zealand	.....	12	12	.....	36	
Fiji	.....	1	1	.....	2	
	13	202	215	10	299	
Timber.						
Rough.						
Australasia—	Sup. ft.	Sup. ft.	Sup. ft.			
Victoria	948,855	285,765	1,234,620	5,313	1,403	
Queensland...	1,007,607	250,161	1,257,768	3,445	1,251	
South Australia... ...	133,668	303,571	437,239	1,196	1,538	
Western Australia ...	174,614	975,898	1,150,512	1,163	5,998	
Tasmania	4,780	128,487	133,267	20	617	
New Zealand	2,096,568	18,372	2,114,940	9,559	93	
United Kingdom	*2,771,856	52,282	2,824,138	12,649	245	1
Canadian Dominion ...	10,000	.....	10,000	55	.....	
Cape Colony	217,264	1,372	218,636	1,060	6	
Fiji	218,188	9,648	227,836	987	52	
Hong Kong	.....	20,192	20,192	.....	101	
India	.....	416	416	.....	2	
Ceylon	6,358	.....	6,358	64	.....	
New Guinea	52,557	29,007	81,564	238	139	
Norfolk Island	.....	5,805	5,805	.....	25	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	1,401	1,401	.....	7	
Belgium	827	.....	827	6	.....	
France	4,800	1,090	5,890	22	6	
New Caledonia	240,056	121,618	361,674	1,107	670	
Germany	90,919	.....	90,919	518	.....	
Marshall Islands	1,600	95,625	97,225	7	407	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)....	41,480	73,966	115,446	205	363	
Netherlands	830,000	.....	830,000	4,000	.....	
South Sea Islands	158,644	126,560	285,204	678	686	
Caroline Islands	2,500	21,449	23,949	11	96	
United States	7,000	.....	7,000	38	.....	
	9,020,141	2,522,685	11,542,826	42,341	13,705	5
Dressed.						
Australasia—	Sup. ft.	Sup. ft.	Sup. ft.			
Victoria	31,830	7,329	39,159	314	57	
Queensland	150	3,502	3,652	1	30	
South Australia	.....	34,422	34,422	.....	260	
Western Australia ...	.....	77,290	77,290	.....	549	
Tasmania	.....	1,000	1,000	.....	7	
United Kingdom	.....	28,084	28,084	.....	213	
Cape Colony	.....	2,339	2,339	.....	18	
Fiji	84	.....	84	2	.....	
Hong Kong	.....	701	701	.....	5	
India	.....	350	350	.....	2	
New Guinea	.....	2,932	2,932	.....	23	
Norfolk Island	.....	6,671	6,671	.....	38	
New Caledonia	2,048	4,925	6,973	25	34	
Marshall Islands	.....	1,050	1,050	.....	8	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)....	.....	6,087	6,087	.....	44	
South Sea Islands	4,940	37,524	42,464	34	286	
	39,052	214,206	253,258	376	1,574	

* Exported chiefly for conversion into wooden paving blocks.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

d Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
continued.						
Doors.						
asia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
ria	.....	62	62	.....	26	26
island	.....	8	8	.....	4	4
Australia	8	682	690	5	278	283
rn Australia ...	51	10,375	10,426	26	4,676	4,702
ania	.....	736	736	.....	322	322
Zealand	.....	350	350	.....	260	260
tinea	.....	18	18	.....	8	8
nern (New Britain)....	.....	57	57	.....	30	30
ea Islands	15	37	52	7	20	27
	74	12,325	12,399	38	5,624	5,662
Houses.						
asia—	No.		No.			
rn Australia ...	3	.....	.....	310	.....	
tinea	1	.....	.....	123	.....	
ledonia	1	.....	.....	114	.....	
ea Islands	2	.....	.....	237	.....	
	7	.....	7	784	.....	784
Laths.						
asia—		No.	No.			
ria	.....	9,040	.....	.....	8	
Australia	.....	140,360	.....	.....	102	
rn Australia ...	.....	308,820	.....	.....	229	
Kingdom	.....	6,000	.....	.....	5	
ledonia	.....	10,000	.....	.....	7	
	.....	474,220	474,220	.....	351	351
Palings.						
asia—	No.	No.	No.			
ria	100	.....	100	1	.....	1
ledonia	.....	100	100	.....	1	1
ea Islands	900	.....	900	5	.....	5
	1,000	100	1,100	6	1	7
Piles.						
asia—	No.		No.			
Zealand	24	.....	.....	36	.....	
... ...	47	.....	.....	85	.....	
an Islands	12	.....	.....	63	.....	
e Islands	82	.....	.....	40	.....	
	165	.....	165	224	.....	224
ts and Rails.						
asia—	No.		No.			
Australia	29	.....	.....	57	.....	
ledonia	8,000	.....	.....	250	.....	
	8,029	.....	8,029	307	.....	307

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.	
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.
Tobacco.					
Unmanufactured.		lb.	lb.	£	£
Australasia—					
Victoria	.....	2,827	.....	.....	134
Queensland	.....	20,357	.....	.....	965
South Australia	.....	3,332	.....	.....	165
Western Australia ...	.....	290	.....	.....	17
New Zealand	.....	770	.....	.....	30
United Kingdom	.....	17,444	.....	.....	690
	.....	45,020	45,020	.....	2,001
Manufactured.	lb.	lb.	lb.		
Australasia—					
Victoria	.....	29,973	29,973	.....	2,061
Queensland	.....	92,551	92,551	.....	5,494
South Australia	381	13,721	14,102	40	755
Western Australia ...	.....	15,255	15,255	.....	1,434
Tasmania	.....	8,941	8,941	.....	741
New Zealand	.....	14,947	14,947	.....	978
United Kingdom	.....	4,557	4,557	.....	314
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	2,193	2,193	.....	206
Cape Colony	.....	41	41	.....	4
Fiji	160	10,543	10,703	20	878
Hong Kong	.....	1,200	1,200	.....	86
India	.....	63	63	.....	4
Mauritius	.....	262	262	.....	20
New Guinea	.....	55,161	55,161	.....	2,767
Norfolk Island	.....	3,884	3,884	.....	224
Straits Settlements ...	.....	346	346	.....	22
Belgium	.....	381	381	.....	23
Chili	.....	1,018	1,018	.....	54
France	.....	303	303	.....	21
New Caledonia	.....	63,336	63,336	.....	3,111
Germany	.....	177	177	.....	13
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	772	772	.....	39
Marshall Islands	.....	29,343	29,343	.....	1,493
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	68,438	68,438	.....	3,410
Hawaiian Islands	.....	361	361	.....	23
Italy	.....	110	110	.....	6
Japan	.....	22	22	.....	2
Russia—Kamtschatka ...	.....	63	63	.....	8
Netherlands	.....	20	20	.....	1
Peru	.....	175	175	.....	9
Azores	.....	75	75	.....	7
South Sea Islands	300	114,363	114,663	39	5,804
Caroline Islands	.....	42	42	.....	4
Philippine Islands	.....	195	195	.....	15
United States	20	3,561	3,581	2	232
	861	536,393	537,254	101	30,263

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Timber—*continued.*						
Wooden Paving Blocks.	No.		No.	£	£	£
United Kingdom	1,100	.....	.....	6	.....	
New Caledonia	1,150	.....	.....	7	.....	
Germany	1,500	.....	.....	8	.....	
Italy	600	.....	.....	3	.....	
	4,350	.....	4,350	24	.....	24
Tin.						
Ingots.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Queensland	94	.....	94	282	.....	282
South Australia	387	.....	387	1,148	.....	1,148
Western Australia ...	110	.....	110	334	.....	334
New Zealand	1,479	.....	1,479	4,272	.....	4,272
United Kingdom	23,480	17,880	41,360	67,612	53,507	121,119
Canadian Dominion ...	1,060	.....	1,060	3,160	.....	3,160
Fiji	4	.....	4	12	.....	12
New Caledonia	70	.....	70	210	.....	210
United States	7,520	.....	7,520	22,182	.....	22,182
	*34,204	17,880	52,084	*99,212	53,507	152,719
Ore.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Queensland	1,939	.....	1,939	2,905	.....	2,905
Tin Plates.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	1,484	.....	.....	907	
Queensland	.....	7,099	.....	.....	4,974	
South Australia	.....	500	.....	.....	279	
Western Australia ...	.....	152	.....	.....	95	
Tasmania	.....	5,472	.....	.....	3,413	
New Zealand	.....	7,088	.....	.....	5,034	
Fiji	.....	11	.....	.....	7	
New Caledonia	.....	1,314	.....	.....	1,111	
	.....	23,120	23,120	.....	15,820	15,820
Tinware.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1	83	84	1	298	299
Queensland	16	41	57	60	138	198
South Australia	7	11	18	12	44	56
Western Australia ...	20	15	35	47	65	112
Tasmania	.....	4	4	.....	11	11
New Zealand	1	20	21	7	67	74
Cape Colony	.....	1	1	.....	6	6
Fiji	17	22	39	45	45	90
New Guinea	2	3	5	4	13	17
Norfolk Island	.....	2	2	.....	8	8
New Caledonia	8	3	11	13	14	27
Germany	.....	7	7	.....	30	30
South Sea Islands	3	12	15	12	52	64
	75	224	299	201	791	992

* Includes Tin refined from both New South Wales and imported ores.

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	T
Tobacco.						
Unmanufactured.		lb.	lb.	£	£	
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	2,827	.....	.....	134	
Queensland	.....	20,357	.....	.....	965	
South Australia	.....	3,332	.....	.....	165	
Western Australia ...	.....	290	.....	.....	17	
New Zealand	.....	770	.....	.....	30	
United Kingdom	.....	17,444	.....	.....	690	
	.....	45,020	45,020	.....	2,001	
Manufactured.	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	29,973	29,973	.....	2,061	
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Canadian Dominion ...	.....	2,193	2,193	.....	206	
Cape Colony	.....	41	41	.....	4	
Fiji	160	10,543	10,703	20	878	
Hong Kong	.....	1,200	1,200	.....	86	
India	.....	63	63	.....	4	
Mauritius	.....	262	262	.....	20	
New Guinea	.....	55,161	55,161	.....	2,767	
Norfolk Island	.....	3,884	3,884	.....	224	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	346	346	.....	22	
Belgium	.....	381	381	.....	23	
Chili	.....	1,018	1,018	.....	54	
France	.....	303	303	.....	21	
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Germany	.....	177	177	.....	13	
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	772	772	.....	39	
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Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	68,438	68,438	.....	3,410	
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Italy	.....	110	110	.....	6	
Japan	.....	22	22	.....	2	
Russia Kamtschatka ...	.....	63	63	.....	8	
Netherlands	.....	20	20	.....	1	
Peru	.....	175	175	.....	9	
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United States	20	3,561	3,581	2	232	
	861	536,393	537,254	101	30,263	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

nd Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
—continued.						
Cigars.		lb.	lb.		£	£
asia—						
ria	.....	19,483	.....	.....	3,636	
naland	.....	23,403	.....	.....	4,315	
Australia	.....	9,182	.....	.....	1,601	
ern Australia ...	.....	25,103	.....	.....	5,407	
ania	.....	3,850	.....	.....	1,066	
Zealand	.....	27,207	.....	.....	5,747	
Kingdom	.....	1,502	.....	.....	294	
an Dominion ...	.....	65	.....	.....	22	
olony	.....	15,514	.....	.....	2,166	
... ...	.....	778	.....	.....	156	
Kong	.....	38	.....	.....	12	
... ...	.....	12	.....	.....	2	
... ...	.....	1,091	.....	.....	160	
us	.....	7	.....	.....	1	
uinea	.....	106	.....	.....	18	
Island	.....	101	.....	.....	16	
Settlements ...	.....	41	.....	.....	7	
n	.....	14	.....	.....	2	
... ...	.....	213	.....	.....	33	
... ...	.....	120	.....	.....	25	
ledonia	.....	97	.....	.....	17	
y	.....	61	.....	.....	13	
ll Islands	.....	4	.....	.....	1	
amern (New Britain) ...	.....	160	.....	.....	41	
an Islands	.....	43	.....	.....	7	
... ...	.....	7	.....	.....	2	
... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
lands...	.....	7	.....	.....	1	
... ...	.....	49	.....	.....	8	
... ...	.....	7	.....	.....	2	
ea Islands	.....	2,465	.....	.....	512	
ine Islands... ...	.....	7	.....	.....	1	
States	.....	1,099	.....	.....	216	
Cigarettes.	.....	131,838	131,838	.....	25,508	25,508
lasia—		lb.	lb.			
ria	.....	2,765	.....	.....	956	
nsland	.....	31,662	.....	.....	8,846	
h Australia	.....	2,267	.....	.....	685	
ern Australia ...	.....	2,154	.....	.....	864	
ania...	.....	1,058	.....	.....	327	
Zealand	.....	1,256	.....	.....	397	
Kingdom	.....	127	.....	.....	45	
an Dominion ...	.....	17	.....	.....	6	
... ...	.....	359	.....	.....	113	
Kong...	.....	9	.....	.....	3	
... ...	.....	3	.....	.....	1	
uinea	.....	12	.....	.....	4	
Island	.....	17	.....	.....	6	
... ...	.....	105	.....	.....	21	
... ...	.....	426	.....	.....	275	
aledonia	.....	31	.....	.....	10	
ny	.....	7	.....	.....	2	
ll Islands	.....	6	.....	.....	2	
amern (New Britain) ...	.....	7	.....	.....	2	
... ...	.....	115	.....	.....	20	
Sea Islands	.....	321	.....	.....	73	
	.....	42,724	42,724	.....	12,658	12,658

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Tobacco—*continued.*						
Snuff.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.	£	£	
Western Australia ...	.....	36	36	.....	6	
Tobacco Pipes.	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	5	13	18	107	283	3
Queensland	11	90	101	199	896	1,0
South Australia	.....	13	13	.....	186	1
Western Australia ...	2	78	80	49	1,112	1,1
Tasmania	1	5	6	17	51	
New Zealand	5	4	9	88	100	1
United Kingdom	.....	3	3	.....	134	1
Fiji	.....	48	48	.....	52	
New Guinea	.....	1	1	.....	5	
Norfolk Island	.....	3	3	.....	5	
New Caledonia	.....	80	80	.....	55	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	21	21	.....	7	
South Sea Islands	.....	205	205	.....	144	1
	24	564	588	460	3,030	3,4
Tools of various Trades (not otherwise enumerated).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	5	392	397	27	1,041	1,0
Queensland	4	1,881	1,885	57	3,486	3,5
South Australia	.....	329	329	.....	956	9
Western Australia ...	3	464	467	15	1,386	1,4
Tasmania	.....	22	22	.....	73	
New Zealand	.....	118	118	.....	313	3
United Kingdom	.....	26	26	.....	115	1
Cape Colony	.....	53	53	.....	100	1
Fiji	1	299	300	1	868	8
New Guinea	.....	127	127	.....	317	3
Norfolk Island	.....	5	5	.....	7	
Straits Settlements... ...	.....	3	3	.....	30	
New Caledonia	3	108	111	2	397	3
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	.....	46	46	.....	120	1
South Sea Islands	.....	298	298	.....	969	9
	16	4,171	4,187	102	10,178	10,2
Tortoise-shell.		lb.	lb.			
United Kingdom	.....	2,191	.....	.....	1,489	
Belgium	.....	79	.....	.....	58	
	.....	2,270	2,270	.....	1,547	

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Toys.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	20	20	.....	159	159
Queensland	9	84	93	13	649	662
South Australia	.....	14	14	.....	97	97
Western Australia ...	1	19	20	3	149	152
Tasmania	1	14	15	2	58	60
New Zealand	.....	3	3	.....	12	12
United Kingdom	.....	3	3	.....	40	40
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
Fiji	.....	30	30	.....	92	92
India	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
Ceylon	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
New Guinea	.....	4	4	.....	19	19
Straits Settlements ...	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
New Caledonia	.....	8	8	.....	32	32
Marshall Islands	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
Hawaiian Islands	.....	1	1	.....	10	10
South Sea Islands	.....	4	4	.....	3	3
	11	209	220	18	1,338	1,356
Turnery and Woodenware.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	290	563	853	744	478	1,222
Queensland	49	480	529	73	638	711
South Australia	19	139	158	28	297	325
Western Australia ...	73	228	301	125	735	860
Tasmania	1	290	291	2	363	365
New Zealand	14	52	66	14	118	132
United Kingdom	37	2	39	52	3	55
Fiji	3	205	208	4	377	381
New Guinea	41	9	50	39	18	57
Norfolk Island	.....	3	3	.....	5	5
New Caledonia	22	36	58	13	34	47
Marshall Islands	.....	6	6	.....	12	12
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	4	5	9	15	12	27
Italy	10	.....	10	40	.....	40
South Sea Islands	70	267	337	44	471	515
	633	2,285	2,918	1,193	3,561	4,754
Turpentine.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	248	.....	.....	25	
Queensland...	.....	1,454	.....	.....	152	
South Australia	.....	64	.....	.....	6	
Western Australia ...	.....	938	.....	.....	98	
Tasmania	.....	904	.....	.....	90	
New Zealand	.....	2,480	.....	.....	254	
Fiji	.....	304	.....	.....	32	
New Caledonia	.....	920	.....	.....	92	
South Sea Islands	.....	90	.....	.....	9	
	.....	7,402	7,402	.....	758	758

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total
Type-writing Machines.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	176	.....	.....	2,884	
Queensland	.....	146	.....	.....	2,949	
South Australia	.....	74	.....	.....	1,563	
Western Australia ...	.....	126	.....	.....	2,389	
Tasmania	.....	6	.....	.....	142	
New Zealand	.....	48	.....	.....	929	
Fiji	.....	5	.....	.....	87	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	15	
		582	582	.....	10,958	10
Typewriters' Materials.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	53	.....	.....	422	
Queensland	.....	25	.....	.....	213	
South Australia	.....	40	.....	.....	205	
Western Australia ...	.....	61	.....	.....	839	
Tasmania	.....	4	.....	.....	63	
New Zealand	.....	5	.....	.....	79	
Fiji	.....	2	.....	.....	8	
	.....	190	190	.....	1,829	1
Upholstery.						
(See Furniture and Upholstery.)						
Varnish.						
With Spirit.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	138	138	.....	57	
Queensland	66	1,284	1,350	19	468	
Western Australia ...	.....	32	32	.....	15	
Tasmania	5	33	38	1	13	
New Zealand	.....	345	345	.....	148	
Fiji	.....	42	42	.....	20	
New Caledonia	.....	40	40	.....	15	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	127	127	.....	27	
South Sea Islands	.....	3	3	.....	1	
	71	2,044	2,115	20	764	
Without Spirit.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	1,057	.....	.....	467	
Queensland	.....	899	.....	.....	349	
South Australia... ...	.....	199	.....	.....	93	
Western Australia ...	.....	336	.....	.....	107	
Tasmania	.....	226	.....	.....	150	
New Zealand	.....	734	.....	.....	294	
United Kingdom	.....	23	.....	.....	19	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	13	.....	.....	6	
Fiji	.....	5	.....	.....	2	
Hong Kong	.....	22	.....	.....	10	
New Guinea	.....	6	.....	.....	3	
New Caledonia	.....	40	.....	.....	23	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	.....	8	.....	.....	3	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	16	.....	.....	8	
South Sea Islands	.....	53	.....	.....	21	
United States	.....	19	.....	.....		
	.....	3,656	3,6[illegible]			

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Vegetables.						
Fresh.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	6,116	1,660	7,776	1,520	240	1,760
Queensland	2,914	2	2,916	939	2	941
South Australia	13	66	79	9	14	23
Western Australia ...	305	5	310	44	4	48
Tasmania	174	.....	174	74	.....	74
New Zealand	453	.....	453	113	.....	113
Fiji	26	4	30	10	3	13
New Guinea	3	.....	3	2	.....	2
New Caledonia	1,124	50	1,174	335	46	381
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	13	.....	13	6	.....	6
South Sea Islands	15	16	31	7	8	15
	11,156	1,803	12,959	3,059	317	3,376
Preserved and Dried.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	9,626	.....	.....	177	
Queensland	.....	2,119	.....	.....	43	
South Australia	.....	4,344	.....	.....	81	
Western Australia ...	.....	20,012	.....	.....	438	
New Zealand	.....	120	.....	.....	2	
United Kingdom	.....	1,393	.....	.....	24	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	196	.....	.....	4	
Fiji	.....	1,211	.....	.....	25	
Hong Kong...	.....	488	.....	.....	9	
India	.....	144	.....	.....	3	
New Guinea	.....	1,348	.....	.....	26	
Chili	.....	48	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	2,216	.....	.....	43	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	.....	984	.....	.....	17	
South Sea Islands	.....	4,692	.....	.....	104	
United States	.....	568	.....	.....	12	
	.....	49,509	49,509	.....	1,009	1,009
Vermicelli.						
(See Macaroni & Vermicelli.)						
Vinegar.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Victoria	180	632	812	7	66	73
Queensland	231	453	684	24	66	90
South Australia	30	1,096	1,126	1	146	147
Western Australia ...	172	403	575	17	39	56
Tasmania	.....	110	110	.....	15	15
New Zealand	40	240	280	3	16	19
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	17	17	.....	2	2
Fiji	264	268	532	15	31	46
Hong Kong	.....	6	6	.....	1	1
New Guinea	30	90	120	1	9	10
Norfolk Island	.....	12	12	.....	2	2
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	.....	40	40	.....	6	6
South Sea Islands	117	154	271	6	22	28
	1,064	3,521	4,585	74	421	495

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Watches and Clocks.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	95	.....	.....	1,420	
Queensland	.....	68	.....	.....	412	
South Australia... ...	.....	34	.....	.....	666	
Western Australia ...	.....	72	.....	.....	789	
Tasmania	.....	13	.....	.....	109	
New Zealand	.....	7	.....	.....	217	
Fiji	.....	7	.....	.....	37	
New Caledonia	.....	7	.....	.....	24	
Japan	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
South Sea Islands	.....	5	.....	.....	16	
United States	.....	3	.....	.....	316	
	.....	312	312	.....	4,008	4,0
Watchmakers' Tools and Materials.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	1	.....	.....	81	
Queensland	.....	30	.....	.....	673	
New Zealand	.....	2	.....	.....	7	
Fiji	.....	2	.....	.....	6	
United States	.....	1	.....	.....	60	
	.....	36	36	.....	827	8
Wax.						
Beeswax.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	1,933	.....	1,933	68	.....	
Queensland	280	.....	280	14	.....	
New Zealand	1,075	56	1,131	58	3	
United Kingdom	33,005	112	33,117	1,670	6	1,6
Belgium	4,740	.....	4,740	247	.....	2
France	1,200	.....	1,200	62	.....	
New Caledonia	45	.....	45	2	.....	
	42,278	168	42,446	2,121	9	2,1
Paraffine.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	224	224	.....	3	
Queensland	.....	224	224	.....	3	
Western Australia ...	4,599	.....	4,599	57	.....	
	4,599	448	5,047	57	6	
Other.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Western Australia ...	.....	280	280	.....	3	
Whalebone.						
		cwt.	cwt.			
United Kingdom	.....	21	21	.....	525	5
Whiting and Chalk.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	1,992	.....	.....	201	
Queensland	.....	169	.....	.....	22	
South Australia	.....	14	.....	.....	2	
Western Australia ...	.....	119	.....	.....	25	
Tasmania	.....	322	.....	.....		
New Zealand	.....	609	.....	.....		
Fiji	.....	20	.....	.....		
New Caledonia	.....	57	.....			
South Sea Islands	.....	27	.....			
	.....	3,329	3,3			

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Sparkling.		gal.	gal.	£	£	£
lasia—						
oria	.....	591	.....	.....	1,115	
ensland	.....	583	.....	.....	1,259	
h Australia	.....	198	.....	.....	396	
tern Australia ...	.....	579	.....	.....	1,181	
nania	.....	214	.....	.....	471	
Zealand	.....	100	.....	.....	259	
Kingdom	.....	293	.....	.....	600	
an Dominion ...	.....	36	.....	.....	76	
... ...	.....	194	.....	.....	396	
Kong...	.....	54	.....	.....	108	
... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	4	
uinea	.....	4	.....	.....	10	
m	.....	46	.....	.....	90	
... ...	.....	32	.....	.....	65	
Sea Islands	.....	87	.....	.....	139	
States	.....	162	.....	.....	335	
	.....	3,175	3,175	.....	6,504	6,504
Other.						
lasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
oria	5,636	3,299	8,935	770	1,260	2,030
ensland	1,881	6,136	8,017	902	2,184	3,086
h Australia	.....	713	713	.....	227	227
tern Australia ...	1,899	1,740	3,639	823	908	1,731
nania...	121	1,830	1,951	54	613	667
Zealand	1,934	661	2,595	919	278	1,197
l Kingdom	6,394	1,087	7,481	1,218	270	1,488
an Dominion ...	8	64	72	5	47	52
... ...	1,165	339	1,504	405	223	628
Kong	20	100	120	10	56	66
... ...	442	.....	442	90	.....	90
uinea	591	59	650	112	17	129
k Island	.....	2	2	.....	1	1
Settlements ...	.....	2	2	.....	1	1
m	1,743	.....	1,743	239	.....	239
... ...	.....	4	4	.....	3	3
... ...	6	.....	6	3	.....	3
... ...	.....	6	6	.....	3	3
aledonia	2	.....	2	1	.....	1
all Islands	.....	8	8	.....	5	5
mmern (New Britain)	30	13	43	8	5	13
ian Islands	.....	8	8	.....	4	4
... ...	4	.....	4	2	.....	2
Sea Islands	2,301	533	2,834	449	149	598
pine Islands... ...	.....	2	2	.....	1	1
States	.....	173	173	.....	110	110
	24,177	16,779	40,956	6,010	6,365	12,375

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Tot
Wool.*						
Greasy.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	
Victoria	57,201,016	3,620,258	60,821,274	1,623,293	99,656	1,72
Queensland	256,816	.....	256,816	8,743	.....	8
South Australia... ...	15,467,043	265,178	15,732,221	384,849	7,380	39
United Kingdom	84,223,355	12,868,555	97,091,910	2,498,355	364,845	2,86
Hong Kong	20,212	.....	20,212	575	.....	
India	224	.....	224	7	.....	
Belgium	19,108,074	2,410,790	21,518,864	561,402	70,301	63
France	25,727,801	5,424,658	31,152,459	775,931	152,628	92
Germany	17,999,743	3,112,537	21,112,280	531,945	90,365	62
Italy	99,426	5,256	104,682	2,806	150	
Japan	30,226	4,560	34,786	848	125	
United States	3,456,954	862,578	4,319,532	116,853	25,885	14
	223,590,890	28,574,370	252,165,260	6,505,607	811,335	7,31
Scoured and Washed.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	4,395,876	505,250	4,901,126	187,921	25,155	21
Queensland	138,536	.....	138,536	6,927	.....	
South Australia... ...	3,150,586	32,088	3,182,674	117,724	1,280	11
Tasmania	900	.....	900	30	.....	
United Kingdom	29,842,739	4,040,480	33,883,219	1,426,576	201,375	1,62
Canadian Dominion ...	100	.....	100	5	.....	
India	100,952	.....	100,952	5,012	.....	
Belgium	2,235,179	325,870	2,561,049	108,951	16,120	12
France	6,225,670	1,042,695	7,268,365	304,509	52,025	35
Germany	1,779,722	221,565	2,001,287	87,185	10,568	9
Japan	429,290	23,278	452,568	19,709	1,660	2
United States	142,822	25,500	168,322	6,373	1,285	
	48,442,372	6,216,726	54,659,098	2,270,922	309,468	2,58
Total Wool—Greasy, Scoured, and Washed	272,033,262	34,791,096	306,824,358	8,776,529	1,120,803	9,89
Woollen Manufactures. (Not otherwise enumerated.) (See also Blankets.)						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	224	224	.....	8,911	8
Queensland	9	445	454	132	12,166	12
South Australia	.....	97	97	.....	3,493	3
Western Australia ...	.....	92	92	.....	4,770	4
Tasmania	.....	136	136	.....	3,622	3
New Zealand	.....	14	14	.....	738	
United Kingdom	.....	13	13	.....	399	
Fiji	.....	4	4	.....	92	
Hong Kong	.....	1	1	.....	52	
New Caledonia	.....	1	1	.....	24	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	1	1	.....	[illegible]	
South Sea Islands	.....	1	1	.....		
	9	1,029	1,038			

* The export of Wool during the Calendar Year does not [illegible] trade during the year January to December includes portions of t[illegible] ending on the 30th June. Shearing generally takes place betwee[illegible]

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

nd Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
:s.						
asia—		No.	No.	£	£	£
ria	.....	12,200	.....	.....	854	
naland	.....	145,156	.....	.....	10,733	
ı Australia... ...	.....	900	.....	.....	60	
ania...	.....	3,300	.....	.....	228	
Zealand	.....	1,900	.....	.....	134	
ledonia	.....	239	.....	.....	16	
mern (New Britain) ...	.....	100	.....	.....	8	
ea Islands	.....	50	.....	.....	4	
	.....	163,845	163,845	.....	12,037	12,037
etal.						
Sheets.						
asia—		pkg.	pkg.			
ria	.....	3	.....	.....	36	
naland	.....	234	.....	.....	3,139	
Australia	.....	6	.....	.....	75	
ern Australia ...	.....	5	.....	.....	60	
ania	.....	17	.....	.....	181	
Zealand	.....	15	.....	.....	182	
Kingdom	.....	6	.....	.....	65	
... ...	.....	47	.....	.....	430	
inea	.....	12	.....	.....	63	
edonia	.....	3	.....	.....	27	
nern (New Britain) ...	.....	1	.....	.....	10	
a Islands	.....	11	.....	.....	141	
	.....	360	360	.....	4,409	4,409
Nails.						
sia—		pkg.	pkg.			
ia	.....	2	.....	.....	3	
naland	.....	171	.....	.....	1,057	
ania	.....	8	.....	.....	31	
... ...	.....	36	.....	.....	138	
inea	.....	2	.....	.....	5	
edonia	.....	2	.....	.....	5	
a Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	10	
	.....	223	223	.....	1,249	1,249
d or *Manufactured.*						
sia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
ia	6	1	7	22	2	24
...	.....	2	2	.....	6	6
...	184	.....	184	588	.....	588
		4	4	.....	6	6
		1	1	.....	2	2
			198	610	16	626

No. 14.—Exports, 1896—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.	
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.
Zinc—*continued.*					
Plain Sheet.					
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.	£	£
Victoria	.....	20	.....	.....	22
Queensland	.....	54	.....	.....	62
South Australia	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Western Australia ...	.....	46	.....	.....	53
Tasmania	.....	5	.....	.....	6
New Zealand	.....	109	.....	.....	123
Fiji	.....	18	.....	.....	20
New Guinea	.....	4	.....	.....	5
New Pommern (New Britain) ..	.....	2	.....	.....	2
South Sea Islands	.....	11	.....	.....	12
		270	270	.....	306
Spelter.					
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.		
Victoria	309	6	315	33	7
Queensland	.....	12	12	.....	14
South Australia	.....	4	4	.....	5
United Kingdom	16,287	.....	16,287	6,844	.....
	16,596	22	16,618	6,877	26
Other Articles not classified.					
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.		
Victoria	345	19	364	614	55
Queensland	.....	13	13	.....	91
South Australia	20	33	53	5	6
Western Australia ..	4	.....	4	12	.....
United Kingdom	159	1	160	2,840	3
Fiji	.....	3	3	.....	5
India	6	.....	6	38	.....
Ceylon	3	.....	3	12	.....
Norfolk Island	.....	27	27	.....	13
Japan	27	5	32	103	1
South Sea Islands ..	.....	65	65	.....	146
United States	.....	37	37	.....	15
	524	203	727	3,624	335
Total Value of Exports of Merchandise				15,043,142	4,066,470
Total Value of Exports of Coin (Gold, Silver, and Bronze) ..	£ 1,412,457	£ 2,000,777	£ 3,413,233	1,6[illegible]	—
Total Value of Exports of Gold Bullion	283,003	411	283,394		
Total Value of all Exports—Merchandise, Coin, and Bullion					

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1896.

(Included in Returns of General Imports, pages 119 to 167.)

Article.	From— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
Acids—				
Acetic	53	.....	150	203
Sulphuric	55	.....	528	583
Tartaric	159	.....	608	767
Other	214	.....	433	647
Aerated and Mineral Waters	783	55	159	997
Agricultural Implements—				
Ploughs	10,983	4	142	11,129
Plough Materials	4,888	.....	.....	4,888
Reapers and Binders	3,735	150	.....	3,885
Other	20,113	71	569	20,753
Ale and Beer—				
In wood	5,273	471	3,450	9,194
In bottle	5,458	18	9,142	14,618
Alkalies—				
Bicarbonate of Soda	94	.....	274	368
Caustic Soda	189	4	588	781
Silicate of Soda	1	.....	119	120
Soda Ash	14	.....	7,431	7,445
Soda Crystals	241	3	2,293	2,537
Alum	8	.....	14	22
Animals (Live)—				
Horses	47,541	18,871	2,613	69,025
Cattle	31,637	523,408	6,687	561,732
Sheep	37,627	250,791	7,153	295,571
Pigs	2,764	2,616	825	6,205
Dogs	115	22	4	141
Mules	.....	59	.....	59
Other	39	4	.....	43
Apparel—Wearing	22,245	685	27,878	50,808
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives—				
Guns, Rifles, and Pistols	549	.....	94	643
Gun Caps	8	.....	8	16
Shot	201	.....	247	448
Cartridges and Cartridge Cases	604	.....	506	1,110
Powder (sporting)	428	.....	215	643
Powder (blasting)	79	.....	5,305	5,384
Fuse	29	.....	1,400	1,429
Dynamite and Lithofracteur	146	.....	19,652	19,798
Other Explosives	4	.....	717	721
Arrowroot	68	2	27	97
Asbestos	26	.....	6	32
Asphalt	.....	.....	33	33
Bags and Sacks—				
Bran	4,332	.....	221	4,553
Calico (plain)	118	.....	3	121
Corn Sacks	27,576	.....	.....	27,576
Gunny and Ore	6	.....	5,522	5,528
Other	65	.....	.....	65
Bark (non-medicinal)—Wattle	65	8	.....	73
Baskets and Basketware	153	.....	254	407
[illegible]	487	.....	480	967
[illegible]	.....	2	.....	2
[illegible]	188	.....	299	487
[illegible]	10,187	.....	5,168	15,355
[illegible]	401	.....	303	704
[illegible]	71	7	67	145

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	From— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.
	£	£	£
Biscuits	738	8	735
Blacking and Boot Polish	200	.....	400
Blankets	1,064	21	1,217
Blue	267	2	381
Boats	106	.....	14
Boots and Shoes	15,372	19	6,630
Boot Uppers	.....	.....	13
Bottles, empty	499	.....	719
Brassware	66	.....	1,801
Bricks—			
Building	142	.....	34
Fire	17	.....	804
Brushware and Brooms	1,383	13	1,772
Building Materials—not otherwise enumerated	70	4	.....
Butter	4,193	2	25,415
Candles	2,139	28	8,540
Canes, Willows, and Rattans	.....	.....	11
Canvas	702	.....	1,131
Carpeting and Druggeting	727	11	305
Carriages (complete), Carts, &c.—			
Carriages	2,405	54	852
Carts and Waggons	4,043	.....	516
Carriage Makers' Materials exclusive of Tools	2,309	.....	930
Cement	940	7	1,661
Charcoal	692	.....	25
Cheese	1,025	3	1,206
Chemical Products not otherwise enumerated	1,277	13	974
Chicory—Prepared	8	.....	90
Chinaware and Porcelan	169	.....	450
Chinese Goods (Fancy Goods)	1	.....	.....
Cider and Perry	.....	.....	114
Coal	112	.....	848
Cocoa (prepared) and Chocolate	627	6	1,582
Coffee—			
Raw	28	.....	203
Prepared	773	1	637
Coin—			
Gold	316,645	.....	37,000
Silver	4,180	.....	3,325
Bronze	5	.....	65
Coke	26	.....	134,831
Confectionery	1,070	.....	563
Copper—			
Ingots	.....	.....	77
Rod and Bar	6	.....	44
Sheet	5	.....	45
Wire	.....	.....	7
Cordage and Rope	3,476	32	1,859
Cordage (Old)	7	.....	105
Cordials (not containing spirit)	365	10	456
Corks and Bungs	266	.....	434
Cotton—			
Wick	1	.....	
Waste	81		
Cream of Tartar	404		
Cutlery	6		

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	From— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
s' Tools and Materials	137	.....	.....	137
y (not otherwise enumerated)	61,008	108	31,157	92,273
and Apothecaries' Ware (not otherwise merated.)	4,328	2	5,521	9,851
nware—				
ckeryware	2,802	.....	2,220	5,022
in Pipes	140	.....	9	149
er	474	.....	1,105	1,579
.. ..	52	15	9,818	9,885
:s	14,455	.....	.....	14,455
Goods (not otherwise enumerated) ...	4,682	15	3,829	8,526
:eous and Milk Foods	164	.....	337	501
.. ..	57	.....	25	82
.. ..	5	.....	.....	5
y	2	.....	220	222
od	913	.....	.....	913
rks	12	.....	10	22
sh and Frozen	355	28	1,297	1,680
ed and Preserved	2,646	24	5,055	7,725
oth and Oilcloth	993	.....	2,587	3,580
alts	35	.....	265	300
led or in Pulp	108	10	.....	118
tled	12	.....	149	161
sh—				
'ananas	165	38	1,417	1,620
ineapples	11	27	34	72
ther	12,517	207	15,176	27,900
ed—				
urrants and Raisins	4,131	84	3,553	7,768
ates	128	.....	433	561
ther Driod and Candied	191	.....	625	816
ble Nuts—				
oconuts	7	.....	34	41
ther	40	.....	528	568
ure and Upholstery—				
niture	9,165	37	2,900	12,102
holstery	51	.....	.....	51
... ...	134	.....	5	139
ttings	26	.....	626	652
ne	107	.....	18	125
e and Isinglass	55	.....	163	218
(Dried and Green)	77	.....	96	173
shing	30	.....	33	63
le	53	.....	54	107
ndow	454	.....	526	980
are	1,254	9	1,809	3,072
... ...	571	3	1,071	1,645
... ...	1	.....	23	24
... ...	.....	.....	2	2
... ...	52	.....	32	84

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	From— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
Glycerine	.....	.....	10	1
Gold—				
Bars and Dust	.....	119,550	.....	119,55
Quartz	.....	27	.....	2
Grain, Pulse, &c.—				
Barley	42	2	25	6
„ (prepared or pearl)	109	.....	117	22
Beans	7	.....	13	2
Bran	665	.....	13,061	13,72
Flour	3,742	322	42,533	46,59
Groats (patent)	27	.....	60	8
Maize	13	1,425	18	1,45
Maizena and Cornflour	458	7	439	90
Oatmeal	893	11	1,290	2,19
Oats	3,695	.....	2,776	6,47
Peas (dried and split)	191	.....	389	58
Pollard	387	.....	1,017	1,40
Rice	2,347	215	1,861	4,42
„ (ground)	6	.....	63	6
Wheat	7,354	.....	3,282	10,63
Grease	135	.....	495	63
Grindery	31	.....	124	15
Gum	.....	4	.....	4
Hair	136	43	43	22
Hardware and Ironmongery	20,938	20	10,074	31,03
Hats and Caps	1,397	9	3,642	5,04
Hay and Chaff	11,425	52	42,115	53,59
Hollow-ware	242	.....	269	511
Honey	98	.....	833	931
Hops	971	.....	1,717	2,68
Horns	.....	1	.....	1
Ice	22	.....	86	10
India-rubber Goods—				
Piping	146	.....	501	64
Other	132	2	2,337	2,47
Instruments—				
Optical	22	.....	.....	2
Surgical	194	.....	79	27
Other Scientific	286	34	494	81
Instruments (Musical)—				
Harmoniums and Organs	100	.....	128	22
Pianofortes	2,115	70	1,104	3,28
Other Musical	351	14	837	1,20
Iron and Steel—				
Angle, Bar, and Rod	2,416	.....	4,417	6,83
Hoop	331	.....	187	51
Plate and Sheet	121	.....	2,200	2,32
Pipes (cast)	437	.....	750	1,18
„ (wrought)	445	.....	2,639	3,08
Other castings	1,487	.....	3,338	4,82
„ wrought	106	.....	3,360	3,46
Bolts, Spikes, Nuts, and Screws	913	.....	2,209	3,12
Chains	205	.....	232	
Girders	9	.....	753	
Nails	1,248	.....	1,626	
Rivets	2	.....	41	
Tanks	1,028	.....	1,369	

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	From— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Total.
nd Steel—*continued.*	£	£	£	£
ap and Old	.....	.....	268	268
re (not galvanised)	10,454	296	5,174	15,924
re Rope	327	.....	2,110	2,437
lvanised Hoop...	84	.....	.....	84
„ Manufactures	1,868	.....	855	2,723
„ Sheets and Bars	8,854	135	5,459	14,448
„ Wire—Barbed	894	122	51	1,067
„ „ Telegraphic	36	.....	.....	36
„ „ Other	209	.....	196	405
„ „ Netting	11,243	1	1,249	12,493
... ...	.....	.....	349	349
... ...	.....	.....	111	111
nd Jellies	2,387	14	6,588	8,989
ery and Precious Stones	4,827	.....	1,584	6,411
... ...	216	.....	376	592
rare	478	.....	513	991
... ...	.....	.....	20	20
... ...	2	.....	22	24
et and Roll	337	.....	185	522
es	26	.....	73	99
r	2,206	290	1,841	4,337
... ...	614	57	43	714
ice (in bulk)	108	.....	240	348
(in bottle)...	67	.....	28	95
d	65	.....	69	134
oni and Vermicelli	61	.....	103	164
nery—				
ricultural	15,750	17	545	16,312
etrical...	46	3	54	103
gines—Portable	1,713	455	250	2,418
„ Steam	2,556	.....	577	3,133
„ Boilers for	517	.....	91	608
„ Parts of	160	.....	.....	160
gine-packing	34	.....	944	978
ighing Machines	191	.....	298	489
er Machinery...	14,204	9	43,135	57,348
... ...	2,317	.....	5,450	7,767
es—				
ne-dust...	1	.....	.....	1
ier	20	.....	4	24
—				
ought Mantelpieces	80	.....	.....	80
„ Other	113	.....	450	563
wrought	137	.....	.....	137
s and Vestas—				
x	1,635	25	2,096	3,756
oden	25	.....	398	423
nd Matting	147	.....	125	272
ses	518	.....	558	1,076
on and Ham	1,107	3	3,209	4,319
ract of Beef	16	.....	126	142
sh	2,492	.....	1,211	3,703
ne	4	.....	31	35

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	From— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Total
Meat—*continued.*	£	£	£	£
Preserved	359	15	900	1
Salt Beef	.....	.....	2	
Metal—Old	14	.....	.....	
Milk (fresh)	560	.....	4,434	5
„ (condensed and preserved)	525	7	8,132	8
Millinery	724	3	929	1
Minerals (not otherwise enumerated)	241	.....	.....	
Molasses	1,402	7	1,018	2
Mustard	738	.....	1,079	1
Naphtha	19	.....	1	
Oakum	3	.....	23	
Oars	20	.....	15	
Oilmen's Stores (not otherwise enumerated) ...	903	.....	1,149	2
Oils (in bulk)—				
Castor	598	.....	1,615	2
China	4	8	.....	
Cocoanut	.....	.....	62	
Colza	2	.....	.....	
Kerosene	4,584	50	5,225	5
Linseed	1,067	8	715	1
Olive	1	.....	.....	
Other	1,036	5	2,849	3
Oils (in bottle)—				
Castor	154	.....	133	
Salad	260	.....	363	
Other	331	.....	708	1
Onions	1,472	12	2,153	3
Opium	388	.....	1	
Oysters (fresh)	40	10	463	
Paints and Colours—				
Paints—Mixed for Use	1,242	.....	841	2
„ Dry	312	.....	293	
Kalsomine	31	.....	25	
Other	280	.....	571	
Painter's Materials	84	.....	158	
Paper, Books, &c.—				
Bags—Plain	334	.....	1,299	1
„ Printed	50	.....	.....	
Brown and Wrapping	348	.....	566	
Circulars and Advertising Matter	236	14	396	
Printing and News-paper	388	11	797	1
Waste Paper	11	.....	.....	
Writing, Note, Envelopes, and Fancy Paper ...	56	.....	272	
Books and Periodicals	1,048	1	1,659	2
Paperhangings	751	.....	892	1
Pepper	353	.....	547	
Perambulators	217	.....	439	
Personal Effects	7,462	141	3,302	[illegible]
Photographic Materials	474	50	302	
Pickles and Sauces	1,488	.....	5,168	[illegible]
Pictures, Paintings, and Photographs	893	17	670	[illegible]
Picture Frames and Mouldings	96	.....	261	
Pitch and Tar	178	.....	348	
Plants, Shrubs, and Trees	793	14	201	

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	From— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
' and Plaster of Paris	20	3	22	45
nd Plated Ware—				
'er	232	6	717	955
ier	272	.....	358	630
g Cards	10	.....	78	88
nteaus, Travelling Bags, &c.	131	.....	383	514
es	8,685	42	12,956	21,683
r	437	20	3,169	3,626
rs—				
ing, &c.	1,608	.....	1,924	3,532
ervescing	3	.....	.....	3
ies	266	21	637	924
's Materials	119	.....	796	915
.. ..	33	.....	48	81
... ...	25	.....	.....	25
ilver	16	9	.....	25
y and Tramway Plant—				
ls	3,097	.....	4,007	7,104
er Plant	899	.....	10,474	11,373
.. ..	54	.....	215	269
.. ..	178	.....	546	724
's Ware	1,237	72	1,531	2,840
and Harness...	4,460	11	848	5,319
nd Doors (Iron and Steel)	109	.....	.....	109
.. ..	242	.....	168	410
Bottles (Table)	17	.....	.....	17
Bags	2,774	204	9,759	12,737
k	503	23	50	576
re	24	.....	149	173
s (Travellers')	16,135	309	.....	16,444
Skins	225	.....	758	983
den	163	.....	1	164
er	2,728	12	355	3,095
Machines	1,015	75	1,501	2,591
ash	177	.....	4	181
.. ..	706	6	1,934	2,646
-Ore	3	.....	.....	3
nd Hides—				
se	.....	134	.....	134
le	351	80	.....	431
garoo...	23	662	.....	685
er Marsupial...	410	1,909	.....	2,319
ep—with wool	1,090	46	.....	1,136
other kinds	14	.....	.....	14
fing	300	.....	.....	300
s	10	.....	4	14
let, Fancy, and Scented	196	.....	515	711
mon	2,352	37	1,599	3,988
.. ..	437	.....	318	755
ndy	3,344	36	4,129	7,509
sva and Schnapps	1,165	29	1,100	2,294

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	From— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	To
Spirits—*continued.*	£	£	£	
Gin	288	1	699	
Liqueurs	44	.....	28	
Rum	553	20	457	
Whisky	8,257	82	7,993	
Other (Intoxicants)	194	.....	140	
Bitters	100	.....	136	
Essences (Flavouring)	180	.....	238	
Perfumes and Perfumed Waters	121	.....	261	
Sarsaparilla	71	.....	254	
Tinctures	75	.....	938	
Methylated	80	.....	59	
All other	73	.....	.....	
Starch and Starch Powders	771	10	832	
Stationery (sundries)	3,515	7	3,481	
Statuary and Monuments	180	5	73	
Stones—				
Ballast	250	.....	.....	
Building—Unwrought	86	14	.....	
Other—Wrought	28	.....	72	
Kerbing	5	.....	.....	
Grindstones	100	.....	94	
Other—Unwrought	39	1,000	.....	
Granite—Unwrought	24	.....	.....	
Straw	20	.....	56	
Sugar—				
Raw	38,143	2,765	26,944	
Refined	125	2	88	
Sulphur	164	4	563	
Tallow	62	.....	29	
Tapioca and Semolina	141	.....	215	
Tarpaulins and Tents	706	.....	730	
Tea	12,441	810	11,259	
Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Materials	128	.....	1,018	
Tiles—Roofing	1	.....	.....	
Timber—				
Rough	7,248	183	87,489	
Dressed	5,224	258	4,061	
Doors	721	.....	68	
Houses	30	.....	.....	
Laths	51	.....	32	
Palings	179	.....	1	
Posts and Rails	.....	.....	15	
Sashes	678	.....	118	
Shingles	61	10	.....	
Shooks and Staves	2,792	.....	732	
Shutters	10	.....	.....	
Tin—				
Ingots	109	.....	118	
Ore	.....	5,196	.....	
Tin Plates	647	.....	514	
Tinware	1,924	4	1,444	
Tobacco—				
Manufactured	9,699	3	7,4[illegible]	
Cigars	903	.....		
Cigarettes	101	.....		
Snuff	3	—		
Tobacco Pipes and Tobacconists' Ware	326			
Tools of various Trades—not otherwise enumerated	4,41[illegible]			

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	From— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
.. ..	210	2	1,083	1,295
y and Woodenware	1,008	5	952	1,965
tine	260	.....	179	439
riting Machines	20	.....	88	108
ı—				
h Spirit	101	.....	49	150
hout Spirit	338	.....	329	667
bles—				
sh	3,818	168	9,078	13,064
served...	57	2	470	529
r	737	7	806	1,550
es and Clocks...	639	.....	1,453	2,092
swax	2	1	10	13
ier	1	.....	.....	1
g and Chalk	272	.....	268	540
—				
rkling...	457	5	781	1,243
ıer	882	24	1,494	2,400
—				
ıasy	4,172	45,013	.....	49,185
ured and Washed	333	39,716	.....	40,049
n Manufactures—Not otherwise enumerated	25	18	9,327	9,370
acks	12,052	13	5,440	17,505
rforated or Manufactured	9	.....	20	29
in Sheet	51	.....	67	118
articles not classified...	267	33	98	398
Total Imports, Merchandise (Overland) £	784,605	901,280	959,016	2,644,901
Total Imports, Specie and Gold Bullion (Overland) ... ... £	320,830	119,550	40,390	480,770
Total Imports (Merchandise, Coin, and Gold Bullion), Overland ... £	1,105,435	1,020,830	999,406	3,125,671

Customs Collections at each Overland Station, 1896.

	£
Victoria— Albury, £22,514; Cobram, £1,153; Corowa, £5,404; Euston, £689; Genoa, £1; Howlong, £533; Moama, £9,812; Mulwala, £3,421; Swan Hill, £1,811; Tocumwal, £3,509; Wentworth, £6,795....	55,642
Queensland— Boggabilla, £238; Mungindi, £101; Wallangarra, £1,032	1,371
South Australia— Euston, £179; Wentworth, £728; Willyama (Broken Hill), £46,002	46,909
Inland Bonding Warehouses— Brewarrina, £1,395; Deniliquin, £9,108; Wilcannia, £11,791	35,155
... ... £	139,077

No. 16.—Exports Overland, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	To Victoria.			To Queensland.			To South Australia.			Total.		
	Domestic.	Other	Total.	Domestic	Other	Total.	Domestic.	Other	Total.	Domestic.	Other.	To
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
Instruments—												
Surgical	....	20	20	..	..	..	....	123	123	....	143	
Other Scientific.. ..	....	135	135	..		19	....	2	2	....	156	
Instruments (Musical)—					19							
Harmoniums and Organs..	....	100	100	..	..	..	....	63	63	....	163	
Pianofortes	...	414	414	..	116	116	....	446	446	....	976	
Other Musical	....	10	10	..	75	75	....	113	113	....	198	
Iron and Steel—												
Angle, Bar, and Rod..	....	5	5	..	86	86	....	..	....	....	91	
Pipes (wrought) ..	....	1	1	..	10	10	....	5	5	....	16	
Other Castings	9	..	9	1	..	1	....	..	....	10	..	
Bolts, Spikes, Nuts, and Screws	....	4	4	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	4	
Nails	....	2	2	..	39	39	....	..	....	....	41	
Tanks	....	1	1	..	88	88	....	324	324	....	413	
Scrap and old	....	5	5	..	..	..	....	1	1	....	6	
Wire, not Galvanised (black wire)	....	104	104	..	469	469	....	..	....	....	573	
Galvanised, manufactures	....	..	....	26	2	28	....	6	6	26	8	
Galvanised, Sheets and Bars	....	78	78	..	892	892	....	..	....	....	970	
Galvanised Wire (barbed)	....	2	2	..	..	..	....	56	56	....	58	
Galvanised Wire (other)	....	..	....	..	53	53	....	..	....	....	53	
Galvanised Wire Netting	1,913	..	1,913	19	298	317	....	2	2	1,932	300	
Jams and Jellies ..	11	2	13	201	279	480	....	..	....	212	281	
Jewellery and Precious Stones	9	167	176	..	17	17	....	852	852	9	1,036	
Jewellers' and Mint Sweepings	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	50	50	....	50	
Lampware..	....	9	9	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	9	
Lead, Sheet and Roll..	....	2	2	..	8	8	....	..	....	....	10	
Leather	27	..	27	67	2	69	....	1	1	94	3	
Lime	42	40	82	22	..	22	....	..	....	64	40	
Limejuice (in bottle) ..	....	..	....	..	5	5	....	..	....	....	5	
Macaroni and Vermicelli	....	1	1	..	2	2	....	..	....	....	3	
Machinery—												
Agricultural	47	95	142	..	..	..	....	..	....	47	95	
Electrical	....	10	10	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	10	
Engines—												
Portable	....	270	270	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	270	
Steam	....	1,000	1,000	..	..	..	....	50	50	....	1,050	
Boilers for	....	5	5	..	..	..	....	50	50	....	55	
Weighing Machines ..	....	4	4	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	4	
Other Machinery ..	431	971	1,402	..	479	479	....	746	746	431	2,196	
Manures—												
Bone-dust	3,808	..	3,808	16	..	16	....	..	....	3,824	..	
Other	1,004	..	1,004	..	..	..	66	..	66	1,070	..	
Marble—Exclusive of Statuary and Monuments Unwrought ..	....	11	11	..	..	..	....	..	....	.. .	11	
Matches and Vestas—												
Wax	....	..	....	..	88	88	....	..	....	....	88	
Mats and Matting ..	1	..	1	..	17	17	....	..	....	1	17	
Meat—												
Bacon and Ham ..	31	..	31	4	..	4	....	..	....	35	..	
Frozen Beef	79	..	79	..	..	..	....	..	....	79	..	
Frozen Mutton	48,722	..	48,722	..	..	..	....	..	....	48,722	..	
Fresh	1,047	..	1,047	..	..	..	....	..	....	1,047	..	
Preserved	3,818	4	3,822	2	..	2	1,173	..	1,173	4,993	4	
Game	2	..	2	..	..	..	....	..	....	2	..	
Salt Beef..	6	..	6	..	..	..	....	..	....	6	..	
Milk—												
Condensed and Preserved	....	..	....	..	76	76	....	..	....	....	76	
Millinery	....	..	....	..	17	17	....	..	....	....	17	
Minerals (not otherwise enumerated)	4	..		..	..	..	....	..	....	4	..	
Molasses	....	..	....	..	117	117	....	..	....	....	117	
Mustard	....	..	....	..	14	14	....	..	....	....	14	
Oilmen's Stores (not otherwise enumerated)	....	2	2	..	214	214	....	..	....	....	2	
Oils (in bulk)—												
Black	....	..	....	..	19	19	....	..	....	....		
Castor	....	..	....	..	133	133	....	..	....	....	1	
Kerosene	....	21	21	..	238	238	....	..	....	....	1	
Linseed	....	..	....	..	35	35	....	..	....	....		

No. 16.—Exports Overland, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	To Victoria.			To Queensland.			To South Australia.			Total.		
	Domestic.	Other	Total.	Domestic	Other	Total.	Domestic.	Other	Total.	Domestic.	Other.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
prepared) and	....	..	....	..	26	26	....	..	....	....	26	26
late	....	..	....	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	1	1
w)	....	1	1	..	150	150	....	.	....	....	151	151
epared) ..	....	1,430	1,430	..	80,000	80,000	....	..	....	.. .	81,430	81,430
id	....	908	908	..	1,000	1,000	....	..	....	....	1,908	1,908
ver	2	..	2	1	6	7	....	..	....	3	6	9
nery	....	....	....	..	..	..	9,062	..	9,062	9,062	..	9,062
Matte	....	..	....	..	..	..	75	..	75	75	..	75
Ore	13	..	13	..	38	38	....	..	....	13	38	51
and Rope ..												
(not containing												
.. .. ..	19	..	19	5	..	5	....	..	....	24	..	24
l Bungs ..	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	14	14	....	14	14
'aste	....	..	....	..	2	2	....	..	....	....	2	2
.. .. ..	....	5	5	..	61	61	....	..	....	....	66	66
(not otherwise												
erated)	....	119	119	..	756	756	....	66	66	....	941	941
d Apothecaries'												
(not otherwise												
erated)	26	144	170	..	381	381	....	50	50	26	575	601
rare—Crockery-												
.. .. ..	4	2	6	..	18	18	....	57	57	4	77	81
.. .. ..	69	..	69	8	..	8	....	..	....	77	..	77
.. .. ..	....	11,465	11,465	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	11,465	11,465
ods (not other-												
numerated) ..	....	149	149	..	226	226	....	..	....	....	375	375
ous & Milk Foods	....	..	....	..	5	5	....	372	372	....	377	377
.. .. ..	438	..	438	..	..	..	....	..	....	438	..	438
d Frozen ..	5,405	..	5,405	..	..	..	124	..	124	5,529	..	5,529
d Preserved ..	23	1	24	..	44	44	....	..	....	23	45	68
h and Oilcloth ..	....	1	1	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	1	1
er in pulp, and												
trained or dry ..	....	..	....	..	3	3	....	..	....	....	3	3
.. .. ..	....	..	....	2	44	46	....	..	....	2	44	46
Bananas ..	....	....	9	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	9	9
Other	17,886	..	17,886	2,041	1,023	3,064	1	..	1	19,928	1,023	20,951
Currants and												
Raisins ..	....	..	....	..	723	723	....	..	....	....	723	723
Dates	....	..	....	..	2	2	....	..	....	....	2	2
Other—Dried &												
Candied ..	....	1	1	..	236	236	1	..	1	1	237	238
Nuts—												
nuts .. .	....	2	2	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	2	2
.. .. ..	....	..	....	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	1	1
.. .. ..	380	448	828	6	90	96	....	104	104	386	642	1,028
ery	....	1	1	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	1	1
.. .. ..	2	..	2	..	..	..	....	..	....	2	..	2
gs	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	35	35	....	35	35
ried and green ..	....	..	....	..	3	3	....	..	....	....	3	3
indow	....	2	2	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	2	2
.. .. ..	....	47	47	..	16	16	....	15	15	....	78	78
.. .. ..	....	6	6	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	7	7
Size	....	..	....	1	..	1	....	..	....	1	..	1
rs and Dust ..	5,132	..	5,132	..	..	..	....	..	....	5,132	..	5,132
artz	4,829	..	4,829	..	..	..	....	..	....	4,829	..	4,829
lise, &c.—												
.. .. ..	526	..	526	..	..	..	....	..	....	526	..	526
ed or Pearl ..	....	..	....	3	..	3	....	..	....	3	..	3
.. .. ..	2	..	2	9	..	9	....	..	....	11	..	11
.. .. ..	1,286	..	1,286	..	..	..	....	..	....	1,286	..	1,286
.. .. ..	8,230	..	8,230	3,137	904	4,041	....	..	....	11,367	904	12,271
.. .. ..	....	..	....	10	..	10	....	..	....	10	..	10
and Cornflour ..	....	..	....	37	32	69	....	..	....	37	32	69
.. .. ..	....	..	....	11	..	11	....	..	....	11	..	11
.. .. ..	108	..	108	226	..	226	....	..	....	334	..	334
ied and Split) ..	....	..	....	6	1	7	....	..	....	6	1	7
.. .. ..	360	..	360	38	..	38	....	..	....	398	..	398
.. .. ..	....	1	1	..	274	274	....	..	....	....	275	275
.. .. ..	63,498	..	63,498	87	..	87	5	..	5	63,590	..	63,590
.. .. ..	....	..	....	..	2	2	....	..	....	....	2	2
.. .. ..	241	..	241	7	..	7	13	..	13	261	..	261
...mongery	....	177	177	..	658	658	....	106	106	....	941	941
..	....	11	11	..	15	15	....	..	....	....	26	26
	....	..	....	45	..	45	....	..	....	45	..	45
	2,[illegible]	..	3,222	388	..	388	47	..	47	3,668	..	3,668
			2	14	..	14	....	..	....	16	..	16
			3	..	..	..	....	..	....	3	..	3
				..	30	30	....	32	32	....	62	62
				..	..	..	23	..	23	36	..	36
					2	2	....	..	....	....	152	152

No. 16.—Exports Overland, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	To Victoria.			To Queensland.			To South Australia.			Total.		
	Domestic.	Other	Total.	Domestic	Other	Total.	Domestic.	Other	Total.	Domestic.	Other.	Tot
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Instruments—												
Surgical	....	20	20	..	..	..	....	123	123	....	143	
Other Scientific.. ..	....	135	135	..		19	....	2	2	....	156	
Instruments (Musical)—					19							
Harmoniums and Organs..	....	100	100	..	..	..	....	63	63	....	163	
Pianofortes	...	414	414	..	116	116	....	446	446	....	976	
Other Musical	....	10	10	..	75	75	....	113	113	....	198	
Iron and Steel—												
Angle, Bar, and Rod..	....	5	5	..	86	86	....	..	....	....	91	
Pipes (wrought) ..	....	1	1	..	10	10	....	5	5	....	16	
Other Castings	9	..	9	1	..	1	....	..	....	10	..	
Bolts, Spikes, Nuts, and Screws	....	4	4	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	4	
Nails	....	2	2	..	39	39	....	..	....	....	41	
Tanks	....	1	1	..	88	88	....	324	324	....	413	
Scrap and old	....	5	5	..	..	..	....	1	1	....	6	
Wire, not Galvanised (black wire)	....	104	104	..	469	469	....	..	....	....	573	
Galvanised, manufactures	....	..	....	26	2	28	....	6	6	26	8	
Galvanised, Sheets and Bars	....	78	78	..	892	892	....	..	....	....	970	
Galvanised Wire (barbed)	....	2	2	..	..	..	....	56	56	....	58	
Galvanised Wire (other)	....	..	....	..	53	53	....	..	....	....	53	
Galvanised Wire Netting	1,913	..	1,913	19	298	317	....	2	2	1,932	300	
Jams and Jellies ..	11	2	13	201	279	480	....	..	....	212	281	
Jewellery and Precious Stones	9	167	176	..	17	17	....	852	852	9	1,036	
Jewellers' and Mint Sweepings	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	50	50	....	50	
Lampware..	....	9	9	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	9	
Lead, Sheet and Roll..	....	2	2	..	8	8	....	..	....	....	10	
Leather	27	..	27	67	2	69	....	1	1	94	3	
Lime	42	40	82	22	..	22	....	..	....	64	40	
Limejuice (in bottle) ..	....	..	....	..	5	5	....	..	....	....	5	
Macaroni and Vermicelli	....	1	1	..	2	2	....	..	....	....	3	
Machinery—												
Agricultural	47	95	142	..	..	..	....	..	....	47	95	
Electrical	....	10	10	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	10	
Engines—												
Portable	....	270	270	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	270	
Steam	....	1,000	1,000	..	..	..	....	50	50	....	1,050	
Boilers for	....	5	5	..	..	..	....	50	50	....	55	
Weighing Machines ..	....	4	4	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	4	
Other Machinery ..	431	971	1,402	..	479	479	....	746	746	431	2,196	
Manures—												
Bone-dust	3,808	..	3,808	16	..	16	....	..	....	3,824	..	
Other	1,004	..	1,004	..	..	..	66	..	66	1,070	..	
Marble—Exclusive of Statuary and Monuments Unwrought ..	....	11	11	..	..	..	....	..	....	.. .	11	
Matches and Vestas—												
Wax	....	..	....	..	88	88	....	..	....	....	88	
Mats and Matting ..	1	..	1	..	17	17	....	..	....	1	17	
Meat—												
Bacon and Ham ..	31	..	31	4	..	4	....	..	....	35	..	
Frozen Beef	79	..	79	..	..	..	....	..	....	79	..	
Frozen Mutton	48,722	..	48,722	..	..	..	....	..	....	48,722	..	
Fresh	1,047	..	1,047	..	..	..	....	..	....	1,047	..	
Preserved	3,818	4	3,822	2	..	2	1,173	..	1,173	4,993	4	
Game	2	..	2	..	..	..	....	..	....	2	..	
Salt Beef..	6	..	6	..	..	..	....	..	....	6	..	
Milk—												
Condensed and Preserved	....	..	....	..	76	76	....	..	....	....	76	
Millinery	....	..	....	..	17	17	....	..	....	....	17	
Minerals (not otherwise enumerated)	4	..		..	..	..	....	..	....	4	..	
Molasses	....	..	....	..	117	117	....	..	....	....	117	
Mustard	....	..	....	..	14	14	....	..	....	....	[illegible]	
Oilmen's Stores (not otherwise enumerated)	....	2	2	..	214	214	....	..	....	....		
Oils (in bulk)—												
Black	....	..	....	..	19	19	....	..				
Castor	....	..	....	..	133	133	....	-				
Kerosene	....	21	21	..	238	238	..					
Linseed	....	..	....	..	35	35						

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ticle.	To Victoria.			To Queensland.			To South Australia.			Total.		
	Domestic.	Other	Total.	Domestic	Other	Total.	Domestic.	Other	Total.	Domestic.	Other.	Total.
k)—*continued*	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
. .. ..	....	2	2	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	2	2
. .. ..	51	2	53	..	44	44	....	1	1	51	47	98
tle)—												
. .. ..	....	..	....	..	2	2	....	..	....	....	2	2
. .. ..	....	..	....	..	21	21	....	..	....	....	21	21
. .. ..	....	1	1	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	1	1
. .. ..	....	..	....	25	..	25	....	..	....	25	..	25
Colours—												
ixed for use..	6	2	8	..	..	..	....	..	....	6	2	8
y	....	1	1	..	38	38	....	..	....	....	39	39
aterials ..	....	..	....	..	2	2	....	..	....	....	2	2
ts, &c.—												
Periodicals..	18	59	77	..	31	31	....	248	248	18	338	356
and Advertis-												
er	54	..	54	26	..	26	....	..	....	80	..	80
Note, Enve-												
d Fancy ..	....	..	....	..	68	68	....	..	....	....	68	68
ngs	....	1	1	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	1	1
. .. ..	....	..	....	..	21	21	....	..	....	....	21	21
ors	....	15	15	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	15	15
fects	3,551	..	3,551	389	..	389	300	2,726	3,026	4,240	2,726	6,966
ic Materials..	....	..	....	..	18	18	....	25	25	....	43	43
Sauces ..	3	..	3	..	302	302	....	..	....	3	302	305
aintings, and												
aphs	....	3,333	3,333	173	..	173	....	..	....	173	3,333	3,506
mes & Mould-												
. .. ..	1	8	9	2	..	2	....	..	....	3	8	11
ar	9	6	15	..	11	11	....	..	....	9	17	26
sbs and Trees	122	..	122	132	..	132	....	..	....	254	..	254
d Plaster of												
. .. ..	....	3	3	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	3	3
Platedware—												
. .. ..	....	1	1	..	44	44	....	110	110	....	155	155
. .. ..	2	1	3	4,244	..	4,244	....	5	5	4,246	6	4,252
. .. ..	218	..	218	96	..	96	....	..	....	314	..	314
aking, &c. ..	....	..	....	..	18	18	....	..	....	....	18	18
. .. ..	....	..	....	5	62	67	....	3	3	5	65	70
aterials ..	....	..	....	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	1	1
d Tramway												
. .. ..	....	30	30	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	30	30
. .. ..	....	16	16	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	17	17
. .. ..	....	4	4	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	4	4
are	79	..	79	..	48	48	....	79	79	79	127	206
Harness ..	61	..	61	30	167	197	....	7	7	91	174	265
ors (Iron and												
. .. ..	....	7	7	..	..	..	....	143	143	....	150	150
. .. ..	....	..	....	..	18	18	....	..	..	....	18	18
Table) ..	....	..	....	..	2	2	....	..	....	....	2	2
. .. ..	....	16	16	..	173	173	....	..	....	....	189	189
. .. ..	....	3	3	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	3	3
. .. ..	....	..	....	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	1	1
avellers') ..	....	18,479	18,479	..	..	..	....	100	100	....	18,579	18,579
ns	75	..	75	..	..	..	....	..	....	75	..	75
. .. ..	....	..	....	62	..	62	....	..	....	62	..	62
. .. ..	20	..	20	..	5	5	....	..	....	20	5	25
hines.. ..	....	214	214	..	33	33	....	126	126	....	373	373
. .. ..	....	2	2	..	45	45	....	..	....	....	47	47
. .. ..	....	..	....	..	..	..	788,530	..	788,530	788,530	..	788,530
. .. ..	....	..	....	269	..	269	953,861	..	953,861	954,130	..	954,130
ides—												
. .. ..	4,772	..	4,772	16	..	16	3,303	..	3,303	8,091	..	8,091
. .. ..	1,374	..	1,374	..	..	..	2,293	..	2,293	3,667	..	3,667
supial ..	1,740	..	1,740	73	..	73	....	..	....	1,813	..	1,813
. .. ..	630	..	630	..	..	..	1,836	..	1,836	2,466	..	2.466
wool) ..	44,326	..	44,326	15	..	15	17,533	..	17,533	61,874	..	61,874
out wool) ..	553	..	553	..	..	..	1,460	..	1,460	2,013	..	2,013
ids	1,180	..	1,180	..	..	..	215	..	215	1,395	..	1,395
ry, & Scented	....	..	....	..	6	6	....	..	....	....	6	6
. .. ..	1	..	1	57	1	58	....	..	....	58	1	59
of Natural												
.. ..	....	..	....	..	..	..	3	..	3		..	3
..	...	..	....	..	12	12	....	..	....	....	12	12
		27	27	..	50	50	....	..	....	....	77	77
		5	5	..	42	42	....	..	....	....	47	47
		4	4	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	4	4
		....		..	38	38	....	..	....	....	38	38

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Article.	To Victoria.			To Queensland.			To South Australia.			Tota	
	Domestic.	Other	Total.	Domestic	Other	Total.	Domestic.	Other	Total.	Domestic.	Oth
Spirits—*continued.*	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Whisky	....	151	51	..	419	419	....	..	....	....	
Bitters	....	1	1	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	
Essences (flavouring) ..	....	..	....	..	30	30	....	..	....	....	
Perfumes, &c.	....	7	7	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	
Tinctures, &c.	....	..	....	..	3	3	....	..	....	....	
Methylated	....	..	....	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	
All other	....	..	....	..	15	15	....	..	....	....	
Starch and Starch Powders	....	..	....	..	4	4	....	..	....	....	
Stationery (Sundries) ..	6	30	36	..	83	83	....	139	139	6	
Stones—											
Grindstones	....	..	....	..	16	16	....	..	....	....	
Other (unwrought) ..	13	..	13	..	..	..	....	..	....	13	
Sugar—											
Raw	....	150	150	..	1,681	1,681	....	..	....	.. .	1,
Refined	....	..	....	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	
Tallow	26,235	..	26,235	..	..	..	7,227	..	7,227	33,462	
Tanning Material ..	38	..	38	..	..	..	....	..	....	38	
Tapioca and Semolina ..	....	..	....	..	7	7	....	..	....	....	
Tarpaulins and Tents ..	3	..	3	..	219	219	....	..	....	3	
Tea	....	243	243	..	582	582	....	..	....	....	
Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Materials	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	65	65	....	
Timber—											
Rough	1,345	..	1,345	668	..	668	16	..	16	2,029	
Dressed	314	12	326	43	3	46	....	..	....	357	
Laths	....	2	2	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	
Palings	1	..	1	..	..	..	....	..	....	1	
Sashes	1	..	1	7	..	7	....	..	....	8	
Shingles	....	..	....	4	..	4	....	..	....	4	
Shooks and Staves	45	..	45	..	..	..	....	..	....	45	
Tin Ore	....	..	....	2,905	..	2,905	....	..	....	2,905	
Tinware	1	..	1	22	2	24	....	..	....	23	
Tobacco—											
Manufactured	....	1	1	..	1,059	1,059	....	35	35	....	1,
Cigars	....	4	4	..	3	3	....	10	10	....	
Cigarettes	....	76	76	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	
Tobacco Pipes	....	1	1	..	12	12	....	110	110	....	
Tools of various Trades (not otherwise enumerated)	....	51	51	..	416	416	....	94	94	....	
Toys	....	1	1	..	3	3	....	7	7	....	
Turnery and Woodenware	693	1	694	31	..	31	....	..	....	724	
Turpentine	....	1	1	..	18	18	....	..	....	....	
Varnish—without spirit.	....	3	3	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	
Vegetables—											
Fresh	56	..	56	11	..	11	....	..	....	67	
Preserved and Dried ..	....	..	....	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	
Vinegar	....	..	....	20	22	42	....	..	....	20	
Watches and Clocks ..	....	5	5	..	3	3	....	322	322	....	
Wax—Beeswax	68	..	68	..	..	..	....	..	....	68	
Whiting and Chalk ..	....	..	....	..	3	3	....	..	....	....	
Wines (Sparkling) ..	....	..	....	..	7	7	....	40	40	....	
,, (other)	766	..	766	33	71	104	....	..	....	799	
Wool—											
Greasy	1,319,747	..	1,319,747	8,743	..	8,743	384,849	7,380	392,229	1,713,339	7
Scoured and Washed ..	204,467	..	204,467	6,927	..	6,927	117,712	1,280	118,992	329,106	1
Woollen Manufactures not otherwise enumerated	....	8	8	5	122	127	....	..	....	5	
Woolpacks	....	37	37	..	895	895	....	..	....	....	
Zinc—Plain Sheet ..	....	1	1	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	
Perforated or manufactured	....	..	....	..	4	4	....	..	....	....	
Other Articles, not classified	583	..	583	..	91	91	5	..	5	588	
Total Exports of Merchandise .. .. £	2,109,062	73,853	2,182,915	118,045	17,916	135,961	2,300,382	62,010	2,362,392	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total Exports of Specie and Gold Bullion £	5,132	2,338	7,470	..	81,000	81,000	....	..	....		
All Exports, Overland, £	2,114,194	76,191	2,190,385	118,045	98,916	216,961	[illegible]				

17.—Goods Reintroduced into New South Wales *via* Victoria and South Australia, 1896.

(Not included in Returns of General Imports and Exports.)

Reintroduction Certificates.—Goods forwarded from coastal ports (Sydney and Newcastle), or from inland stations within District or at Broken Hill for reintroduction into New South Wales, *via* Victoria or South Australia, must be accompanied by a "Reintroduction Certificate" issued by the Customs authorities, in order to be exempt from payment of duties upon readmission into the Colony. The list below includes a large number of "Free" goods (N.S.W.) which have been reintroduced under Certificate, as, owing to the dissimilarity of the Tariffs, import duty would have been levied by other colonies, unless the goods were protected by Certificate.

Certificates are granted for goods to be reintroduced within one month from the date of issue, after which time the goods are subject to full import duty. The general Imports returns given in Table No. 13 (pages 119 to 167) and Exports Table No. 14 (pages 168 to 292) do not include the trade under Reintroduction Certificates.

Article.	Quantity.	Value.
		£
Acetic	30 gal.	12
Sulphuric	96 cwt.	48
Agricultural Implements	4 pkg.	13
Beer, in Wood	34,910 gal.	2,805
" in Bottle	3,026 "	682
Caustic Soda	604 cwt.	299
Clothing—Wearing	791 pkg.	32,028
Ammunition, and Explosives.—		
Rifles, and Pistols ..	3 "	84
"	20 cwt.	21
"	104 lb.	2
Bags and Sacks (other than Paper).—		
Coal and Ore	1,000 doz.	70
Basket and Basketware	2 pkg.	3
"	3 "	15
"	3 "	92
Bicycles, Tricycles, &c.	32 "	701
"	84,278 lb.	2,539
"	4 pkg.	17
"	2,660 lb.	76
Boots and Shoes	635 pkg.	19,944
Brushes and Brooms	8 "	40
"	52,714 lb.	2,146
Cement	100,618 "	2,281
Chemicals and Druggeting	2 pkg.	15
Carriages (complete), Carts, &c.—		
Buggies	7 No.	112
"	87,676 lb.	1,843
Chemical Products (not otherwise enumerated)	200 pkg.	367
Cocoa—Prepared	6,830 lb.	125
Cocoa Provisions	4 pkg.	7
"	62,038 tons	31,019
Cocoa (prepared) and Chocolate ..	5,877 lb.	344
Coffee (prepared)	20,112 "	849
Confectionery	56,350 "	1,295
Cordage and Rope	21 cwt.	48
Cordials—not containing Spirit ..	404 doz.	95
"	1 pkg.	14
Cutlery (otherwise enumerated)	7,280 "	7,004
Dental Apothecaries' Ware (otherwise enumerated) ..	300 "	1,805
Drapery—		
Drapery	31 "	201
"	26 "	179
"	500 doz.	18
Drugs (not otherwise enumerated) ..	132 pkg.	1,528
Dairy and Milk Foods ..	924 lb.	11
Beef and Preserved ..	4,681 "	137
Oil and Oilcloth	2 pkg.	8
Fruit or in Pulp and Peel, Green or Dry	48 lb.	1
" —Fresh	3,529 pkg.	1,457
" —Currants and Raisins ..	19,146 lb.	448
" —Dates	20 "	....
" —Other Dried & Candied..	2,620 "	63

Article.	Quantity.	Value.
		£
Fruit—*continued*—		
Edible Nuts—Cocoanuts ..	3,950 No.	22
" Other	286 lb.	5
Furniture and Upholstery—		
Furniture	95 pkg.	447
Furs	1 "	140
Ginger—Dried and Green	226 lb.	5
Glassware	11 pkg.	70
Glucose—Liquid and Syrup ..	6 cwt.	5
Grain, Pulse, &c.—		
Barley—Prepared or Pearl ..	1 pkg.	1
Bran	4,230 bshl.	159
Flour	40 centals	20
Groats—Patent	444 lb.	12
Maize	962 bshl.	130
Maizena and Cornflour	18,308 lb.	288
Oatmeal	144 cwt.	155
Peas—Dried and Split	3 pkg.	4
Rice	400 cwt.	312
" Ground	204 lb.	3
Grindery	11 pkg.	171
Hardware and Ironmongery ..	185 "	682
Hats and Caps	15 "	653
Hops	300 lb.	8
India-rubber Goods—Other ..	1 pkg.	76
Instruments—Scientific	2 "	5
Instruments (Musical)—		
Pianofortes	1 No.	76
Other	2 pkg.	28
Iron and Steel—		
Pipes	250 cwt.	171
Nails	45 "	54
Wire Rope	88 "	277
Galvanised—Sheets and Bars ..	567 "	475
" Wire, other ..	60 "	54
" Wire netting ..	355 "	425
Jams and Jellies	409,792 lb.	4,888
Lampware	1 pkg.	2
Lard	8,639 lb.	159
Machinery—		
Electrical	7 pkg.	562
Engines—Boilers for	1 "	100
" Parts of	129 "	530
" Steam	1 "	200
Weighing Machines	2 "	8
Other Machinery	282 "	2,548
Matches and Vestas—Wax	24 "	45
Mattresses	6 "	13
Meat—Bacon and Ham	161,726 "	3,749
" Preserved	6,748 lb.	219
Milk—Condensed and Preserved ..	720 "	25
Molasses	180 cwt.	133
Mustard	672 lb.	25

No. 17.—Goods Reintroduced into New South Wales *via* Victoria and Sout Australia, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	Quantity.	Value.
		£
Oilmen's Stores (not otherwise enumerated)	41 pkg.	89
Oils (in Bulk)—		
Castor	18 gal.	3
Kerosene	1,104 ,,	89
Olive	16 ,,	6
Other	4,097 ,,	463
Oils (in Bottle)—		
Castor	90 doz.	43
Other	82 ,,	29
Opium	9 lb.	18
Paints and Colours—		
Paints—Mixed for use	8 cwt.	11
,, Dry	20 ,,	26
Paper, Books, &c.—		
Bags, plain	103 ,,	139
,, printed	2 ,,	2
Brown and Wrapping	79 ,,	70
Circulars & Advertising Matter	21 pkg.	86
Books and Periodicals	13 ,,	289
Paperhangings	3 ,,	14
Pepper	2,464 lb.	51
Perambulators	2 pkg.	6
Photographic Materials	93 ,,	911
Pickles and Sauces	490 doz. bot	134
Pictures, Paintings, & Photographs	7 pkg.	42
Plate and Platedware—Silver ..	6 ,,	43
Powders—Baking, &c.	7,896 lb.	315
Preserves	1,985 ,,	202
Printers' Materials	8 pkg.	50
Rugs	1 ,,	5
Saddles and Harness	14 ,,	115
Sago	198 lb.	1
Salt—in bags	376 cwt.	81
Samples (Travellers')	17 pkg.	148
Seeds—other than Garden	6 ,,	9
Sewing Machines	19 ,,	50
Soap—		
Toilet, Fancy, and Scented ..	719 lb.	55
Common	662 cwt.	989
Spices	164 lb.	5
Spirits—		
Brandy	744 gal.	883
Geneva and Schnapps	134 ,,	138
Gin	117 ,,	147
Liqueurs	17 ,,	25
Spirits—*continued*—		
Rum	140 gal.	
Whisky	1,080 ,,	1
All other (Intoxicants) ..	18 ,,	
Bitters	39 ,,	
Essences (flavoring)	100 ,,	
Perfumes and Perfumed Waters	25 ,,	
Sarsaparilla	48 ,,	
Tinctures, Fluid Extracts, &c. ..	15 ,,	
Methylated	77 ,,	
All other	44 ,,	
Starch and Starch Powders ..	7,512 lb.	
Stationery (Sundries)	104 pkg.	
Sugar—		
Raw	313 cwt.	
Refined	19 ,,	
Tapioca and Semolina	316 lb.	
Tarpaulins and Tents	15 pkg.	
Tea	22,178 lb.	1
Timber—		
Rough	1,750 sup. ft.	
Dressed	5,000 ,,	
Doors	13 No.	
Sashes	304 ,,	
Tobacco—		
Manufactured	35,266 lb.	(
Cigars	1,777 ,,	1
Cigarettes	3,027 ,,	1
Snuff	2 ,,	
Tobacco Pipes	13 pkg.	
Tools of various Trades (not otherwise enumerated)	21 ,,	
Turnery and Woodenware	967 ,,	
Varnish—		
With Spirit	1 gal.	
Without Spirit	38 ,,	
Vinegar	180 ,,	
Watches and Clocks	21 pkg.	
Wines—		
Sparkling	16 gal.	
Other	9,738 ,,	3
Other Articles not Classified ..	188 pkg.	
Total	..... £	154

No. 18.—Goods Reintroduced into New South Wales, 1893–96.

[*Via* Victoria and South Australia.]

Year.	At Sydney and Newcastle.	At Riverina and Broken Hill.	Total.
	£	£	£
1893	34,812	203,454	238,[illegible]
1894	62,528	223,927	
1895	66,303	184,647	
1896	.....	.....	

No. 19.—Principal Articles Imported, 1892–96.

Article.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
	£	£	£	£	£
... ...	19,890	14,762	17,455	20,259	27,606
Waters, Cordials, &c.	5,579	5,720	4,164	4,473	8,043
ral Implements	66,740	75,162	40,098	35,124	70,975
Beer, in wood	100,327	105,785	84,499	88,888	84,331
in bottle	248,309	177,945	175,627	145,232	176,333
... ...	23,632	24,640	36,938	26,013	31,744
(Live)—					
s	165,695	114,077	90,437	83,937	82,990
... ...	531,126	538,117	329,696	278,436	564,588
... ...	232,224	307,159	206,077	156,609	317,909
wearing)	1,146,998	739,804	756,370	832,043	910,666
mmunition, and Explosives—					
Rifles, and Pistols	27,433	15,334	10,560	7,634	13,111
... ...	7,202	5,775	4,126	2,585	4,210
dges and Cartridge Cases ...	21,365	14,382	7,452	11,095	19,417
er (blasting and sporting) ...	50,786	28,304	26,727	25,867	33,669
nite and other blasting compounds	38,789	33,155	38,418	39,060	58,939
Sacks	54,116	73,300	88,055	76,086	103,533
attle and other non-medicinal) ...	21,688	17,839	19,691	19,654	23,382
nd Basketware	9,363	7,023	4,854	2,869	3,326
mer and Fungus	7,540	6,697	4,007	2,071	5,957
... ...	55,738	24,560	12,095	13,736	24,179
Tricycles, and parts thereof ...	11,737	13,724	17,169	35,022	205,499
Tables and Materials	4,062	1,950	1,870	1,431	2,586
and Boot Polish	7,662	8,739	9,534	7,384	9,326
... ...	63,868	42,780	31,458	41,092	47,223
... ...	10,962	8,351	11,536	11,797	12,598
l Shoes	455,767	356,280	286,984	297,763	381,233
mpty	†18,270	†12,890	†5,800	14,116	23,474
e	20,190	26,391	19,953	26,470	20,066
re and Brooms	28,855	25,690	23,980	22,189	27,307
... ...	37,623	18,058	14,314	92,846	85,606
... ...	74,306	44,719	44,075	43,449	59,840
... ...	32,399	23,083	27,303	30,834	40,582
and Druggeting	54,281	23,192	23,620	23,611	38,957
(complete)	13,893	4,460	2,892	5,341	6,572
Waggons...	3,284	3,383	2,547	2,627	5,308
Makers' Materials	53,436	21,546	25,742	26,323	38,511
... ...	113,434	66,055	72,223	66,152	47,805
... ...	5,112	3,368	2,485	6,352	16,811
Ore...	2,271	524	3,367	13,341	21,984
pared and Chocolate	47,075	34,369	34,476	37,098	43,310
aw and prepared)...	30,005	26,174	30,942	34,308	25,413
... ...	118,151	1,501,711	298,758	55,845	481,420
... ...	37,340	35,529	10,000	21,894	9,800
ce	3,020	541	160	1,500	2,575
... ...	171,401	64,595	36,684	26,832	135,107
nery	25,128	18,567	17,684	16,091	20,196
Ore	101,971	18,064	6,507	4,124	2,595
... ...	32,250	54,393	43,954	53,021	68,036
and Rope	40,069	24,029	23,845	23,842	42,212
d Bungs	14,882	6,265	7,231	14,415	18,840
f Tartar	28,483	24,891	21,297	26,107	31,172
... ...	42,807	37,549	30,775	33,722	39,392
(including Furs)	*2,086,141	*1,655,437	1,548,010	1,858,628	1,972,058
and Apothecaries' Ware	‡171,273	‡123,058	‡126,054	138,572	166,696
d Dye-ware...	4,823	4,972	5,189	7,236	8,225

* Includes Millinery. † Except Bottles for use of Apothecaries. ‡ Includes Bottles.

No. 19.—Principal Articles Imported, 1892–96—*cont*

Article.	1892.	1893.	1894.	
	£	£	£	
Earthenware and Chinaware	99,064	77,378	69,892	
Eggs	31,565	28,159	19,537	
Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated)	*138,573	*110,524	94,497	
Farinaceous and Milk Foods	12,498	12,297	11,584	
Fish (fresh and preserved)...	86,676	77,798	56,365	
Flax and Hemp (exclusive of Phormium Tenax) ..	10,206	14,954	12,719	
Floorcloth and Oilcloth	70,882	27,701	46,915	
Fruit Salts	6,976	1,739	1,939	
Fruit—				
Fresh	205,956	146,901	151,767	1
Dried and Candied	115,184	80,892	62,006	
Other	14,165	10,793	11,258	1
Furniture	101,806	49,041	30,704	3
Upholstery	25,685	7,320	14,764	1
Gas-fittings	29,065	28,393	15,904	1
Gelatine and Isinglass	7,968	6,137	6,283	
Glass	43,333	22,784	14,377	21
Glassware	46,493	27,427	25,199	27
Gloves	102,413	64,137	71,393	81
Gold—				
Bars and Dust, and contained in Mattte	2,467,018	2,506,773	2,626,696	2,010
Grain, Pulse, &c.—				
Barley	8,103	9,655	4,815	1
Bran and Pollard	50,697	20,063	10,351	22
Maize	44,379	29,563	6,601	
Oats	148,566	158,900	71,012	73
Wheat	189,513	75,323	28,351	58
Flour	509,785	223,883	214,253	144
Oatmeal	27,389	21,789	16,827	14
Rice	80,051	72,751	67,745	64
Grindery	56,585	45,248	30,350	33
Hardware and Ironmongery (including Hollow-ware)	634,689	349,746	178,407	201
Hats and Caps	183,373	153,550	149,419	172
Hay and Chaff	246,605	166,408	108,999	186
Hops	40,279	40,617	36,010	33
India-rubber Goods—(including Engine Packing)	21,313	18,620	18,170	28,35
Instruments—Scientific	17,855	16,644	15,608	18,86
Instruments (Musical)—				
Pianos, Harmoniums, and Organs ...	80,771	40,454	34,133	39,03
All other...	13,824	11,080	10,591	8,13
Iron and Steel—				
Pig Iron and Castings, other than pipes	43,614	37,416	24,408	28,08
Pipes	105,228	35,523	54,265	61,27
Manufactured Wrought-iron	269,781	146,378	129,960	167,68
Wire (Black and Galvanised)	213,798	111,600	107,827	97,62
Nails	24,979	21,881	25,058	25,70
Galvanised Sheets and Bars	265,018	185,784	202,211	160,9
Galvanised Manufactures	25,234	5,158	3,808	4,67
Galvanised Wire Netting	71,988	21,856	12,271	8,17
Jams and Jellies	**40,635**	**15,972**	?	
Jewellery and Precious Stones	**74,876**	**50,253**		
Kapok	**15,221**	**11,**		

* Includes Tops.

No. 19.—Principal Articles Imported, 1892–96—*continued.*

Article.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	18
	£	£	£	£	
Earthenware and Chinaware	99,064	77,378	69,892	57,499	68
Eggs	31,565	28,159	19,537	18,216	1
Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated)	*138,573	*110,524	94,497	98,240	11
Farinaceous and Milk Foods	12,498	12,297	11,584	9,112	1
Fish (fresh and preserved)...	86,676	77,798	56,365	71,125	10
Flax and Hemp (exclusive of Phormium Tenax) ..	10,206	14,954	12,719	11,445	1
Floorcloth and Oilcloth	70,882	27,701	46,915	58,115	5
Fruit Salts	6,976	1,739	1,939	2,048	
Fruit—					
Fresh	205,956	146,901	151,767	158,530	25
Dried and Candied	115,184	80,892	62,006	72,153	8
Other	14,165	10,793	11,258	13,673	2
Furniture	101,806	49,041	30,704	35,081	6
Upholstery	25,685	7,320	14,764	19,680	2
Gas-fittings	29,065	28,393	15,904	13,848	1
Gelatine and Isinglass	7,968	6,137	6,283	6,321	
Glass	43,333	22,784	14,377	21,576	4
Glassware	46,493	27,427	25,199	27,463	3
Gloves	102,413	64,137	71,393	81,062	9
Gold—					
Bars and Dust, and contained in Mattte	2,467,018	2,506,773	2,626,696	2,010,239	1,98
Grain, Pulse, &c.—					
Barley	8,103	9,655	4,815	1,277	
Bran and Pollard	50,697	20,063	10,351	22,060	2
Maize	44,379	29,563	6,601	456	1
Oats	148,566	158,900	71,012	73,987	10
Wheat	189,513	75,323	28,351	58,357	55
Flour	509,785	223,883	214,253	144,666	53
Oatmeal	27,389	21,789	16,827	14,829	2
Rice	80,051	72,751	67,745	64,254	6
Grindery	56,585	45,248	30,350	33,184	3
Hardware and Ironmongery (including Hollow-ware)	634,689	349,746	178,407	201,404	261
Hats and Caps	183,373	153,550	149,419	172,056	16
Hay and Chaff	246,605	166,408	108,999	186,546	238
Hops	40,279	40,617	36,010	33,641	4
India-rubber Goods—(including Engine Packing)	21,313	18,620	18,170	28,355	36
Instruments—Scientific	17,855	16,644	15,608	18,864	26
Instruments (Musical)—					
Pianos, Harmoniums, and Organs ...	80,771	40,454	34,133	39,037	67
All other...	13,824	11,080	10,591	8,135	15
Iron and Steel—					
Pig Iron and Castings, other than pipes	43,614	37,416	24,408	28,087	35
Pipes	105,228	35,523	54,265	61,279	86
Manufactured Wrought-iron	269,781	146,378	129,960	167,685	209
Wire (Black and Galvanised)... ...	213,798	111,600	107,827	97,622	138
Nails	24,979	21,881	25,058	25,704	33
Galvanised Sheets and Bars	265,018	185,784	202,211	160,932	211
Galvanised Manufactures	25,234	5,158	3,808	4,672	3
Galvanised Wire Netting	71,988	21,856	12,271	8,177	21
Jams and Jellies	40,635	15,972	10,474	7,255	24
Jewellery and Precious Stones	74,876	50,253	51,105	71,203	[illegible]
Kapok	15,221	11,972	12,215	9,678	[illegible]

* Includes Toys.

No. 19.—Principal Articles Imported, 1892–96.—*continued.*

Article.	1892.	1893.	1894.	18	1896.
	£	£	£	£	£
are	17,402	15,380	12,267	16,829	22,255
. ...	25,274	15,365	67,798	45,329	76,488
r	56,980	65,023	74,406	75,681	81,502
ery	308,911	222,841	190,905	227,354	477,154
ighing Machines	4,747	2,173	1,308	1,901	2,743
... ...	100,993	90,894	84,920	86,871	89,667
and Marble Mantelpieces	16,846	7,798	9,969	9,047	8,639
s and Vestas	58,281	46,203	53,809	56,045	50,613
d Matting	7,937	5,114	6,140	7,073	9,756
on and Ham	34,349	25,744	21,226	20,903	33,362
ract of Beef	2,945	1,642	2,340	2,249	32,581
served	19,588	15,503	17,759	12,310	78,580
other kinds	3,964	4,591	4,229	5,116	6,285
Condensed and Preserved	70,629	57,468	48,294	59,454	59,997
ry	*	*	21,156	21,655	37,231
s	5,813	4,928	3,850	2,958	5,895
d	19,997	18,149	24,561	21,902	23,528
bulk and bottle)—					
tor	36,291	23,389	17,800	24,867	21,217
na	11,331	6,290	4,621	4,279	5,110
osene...	58,304	64,134	64,137	79,225	87,675
seed	36,746	24,796	35,255	27,506	37,868
's Stores (not otherwise enumerated)	12,876	14,239	12,002	14,703	22,553
... ...	24,571	25,351	28,700	20,709	38,783
... ...	33,150	36,424	22,389	31,909	32,063
... ...	14,947	9,711	6,500	6,286	6,123
and Colours (Dry and in Oil) ...	82,938	65,776	59,716	65,728	80,001
Books, &c.—					
ks and Periodicals	165,534	125,560	129,750	123,321	138,904
nting and News-paper	146,685	147,795	113,872	119,341	117,142
iting, Envelopes, Fancy, &c. ...	43,800	39,697	42,118	32,403	34,727
other	63,313	49,429	56,888	59,335	64,742
hangings	17,537	11,911	11,551	11,747	16,596
... ...	5,728	4,910	4,718	5,099	4,767
graphic Materials	15,057	13,782	13,148	15,756	22,479
and Sauces	66,446	40,189	41,401	44,345	52,826
s, Paintings, and Photographs ...	12,705	11,300	7,173	8,926	11,385
Frames and Mouldings	8,228	7,431	4,054	6,467	13,360
Shrubs and Trees	4,473	4,061	5,493	4,840	4,882
nd Plated Ware...	57,073	36,543	33,362	41,657	69,138
nteaus, Travelling Bags, &c. ...	12,229	4,981	5,988	7,571	7,418
es	172,675	150,043	96,421	114,989	190,304
res	17,351	7,927	9,124	11,153	13,637
rs' Materials	13,226	9,655	17,133	16,062	16,812
y and Tramway Plant	346,755	176,365	94,738	63,300	147,039
rs' Ware	66,807	28,425	31,411	32,800	24,632
s and Harness	45,809	24,164	17,296	19,411	24,590
ock and other)	53,175	70,563	53,058	59,479	50,490
e Skins	12,361	8,345	10,241	7,871	9,936
... ...	13,548	23,701	15,832	21,283	25,928
Machines	36,035	16,498	29,249	23,777	28,420
handlery	13,814	9,115	4,157	6,516	8,491
... ...	88,486	70,887	63,493	91,243	95,123
Ore ... ... } contained in Matte ... ... }	38,812	29,219	54,028	{ 12,255 / 2,022	134,554 / 15,849

* Included with Drapery.

No. 19.—Principal Articles Imported, 1892–96—*continued.*

Article.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
	£	£	£	£	£
Skins and hides—					
Cattle	70,118	86,897	98,919	150,653	182,[illegible]
Sheep	49,808	59,210	43,308	84,036	96,[illegible]
All other...	65,252	33,431	25,075	45,828	46,[illegible]
Slates (roofing and slabs)	18,629	20,916	9,416	7,608	20,[illegible]
Soap—Toilet, Fancy, and Scented ...	15,944	12,445	10,991	12,178	23,[illegible]
Common	25,002	23,582	23,644	22,013	42,[illegible]
Spices	7,573	7,126	6,719	7,641	8,[illegible]
Spirits—					
Brandy	114,418	86,637	76,741	68,910	84,[illegible]
Geneva, Gin, and Schnapps	53,716	56,588	34,872	48,620	50,[illegible]
Whisky	194,439	187,430	177,577	180,523	179,[illegible]
Rum	38,429	33,427	29,867	22,125	26,[illegible]
Liqueurs...	6,633	3,338	3,753	3,171	4,[illegible]
Starch and Starch Powders	22,836	17,896	25,592	21,999	30,[illegible]
Stationery (Sundries)	136,972	113,051	101,308	93,795	125,[illegible]
Statuary and Monuments	3,274	4,034	4,132	2,469	2,[illegible]
Stones (building, &c.)	5,332	4,590	2,285	13,948	8,[illegible]
Straw...	3,609	1,507	301	3,532	12,[illegible]
Sugar (raw and refined)	519,931	538,149	661,487	485,044	531,[illegible]
Sulphur	8,493	2,963	8,668	6,560	4,[illegible]
Tallow	109,704	146,271	250,010	300,783	163,[illegible]
Tapioca and Semolina	10,873	7,239	7,364	7,977	9,[illegible]
Tea	430,444	345,081	367,162	361,699	288,[illegible]
Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Materials ..	45,536	32,261	29,996	29,341	39,[illegible]
Timber—					
Rough	357,048	283,678	243,370	239,541	268,[illegible]
Dressed	55,700	34,505	41,420	35,986	47,[illegible]
Doors	18,046	5,263	5,540	7,224	14,[illegible]
Laths, Palings, and Shingles	4,767	3,840	2,870	6,432	4,[illegible]
Tin—Ingots	116,275	91,077	75,952	54,540	53,[illegible]
Ore	120,970	119,763	102,696	54,196	33,[illegible]
Tin Plates	49,557	38,569	59,933	74,574	70,[illegible]
Tinware	16,711	9,365	8,672	10,124	8,[illegible]
Tobacco—					
Unmanufactured	25,996	14,097	16,535	21,130	30,[illegible]
Manufactured	98,214	84,502	76,441	82,988	102,[illegible]
Cigars	97,807	63,778	46,443	59,522	69,[illegible]
Cigarettes...	25,125	20,293	17,532	28,975	28,[illegible]
Tobacco Pipes	40,229	17,184	20,430	17,784	24,[illegible]
Toys	*	*	35,158	39,128	32,[illegible]
Turnery and Woodenware	1,725	1,910	6,918	9,554	9,[illegible]
Turpentine	8,844	5,866	6,961	11,013	8,[illegible]
Type-writing Machines	.....	.....	.....	9,417	17,[illegible]
Varnish	24,064	16,793	14,219	17,446	22,[illegible]
Vegetables—					
Fresh	22,613	16,043	15,822	19,435	29,[illegible]
Preserved	4,689	2,636	3,223	3,324	7,[illegible]
Vinegar	20,387	8,210	11,889	9,922	13,[illegible]
Watches and Clocks	53,936	33,594	28,569	34,060	41,[illegible]
Wines, Sparkling	37,147	23,763	23,835	24,745	3[illegible]
,, Other	48,009	29,632	23,535	23,655	[illegible]
Wool—Greasy	439,282	653,04[illegible]	386,962	685,866	[illegible]
Scoured and Washed	63,457	150,381	200,961	282,42[illegible]	[illegible]
Woolpacks	85,795	75,215	98,441		
Yellow Metal	16,775	7,389	[illegible]		
Zinc	17,446	18,803			

* Included with Fancy Goo[illegible]

No. 20.—Principal Articles Exported, 1892–96.

Article.	1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.	
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
al Imple-	1,675	6,021	618	7,235	761	3,286	846	2,556	2,118	5,442
er (in wood)	830	2,395	631	2,329	560	3,071	148	826	164	368
(in bottle)	8	14,364	15	11,642	2	17,108	63	24,613	91	20,657
ive)—										
.. ..	198,347	4,545	103,805	3,695	94,834	1,826	94,075	3,385	123,448	3,635
.. ..	374,999	31,161	195,006	52,112	108,753	34,993	117,437	14,532	152,128	70,569
.. ..	494,054	6,513	285,979	2,275	293,289	12,409	284,477	14,677	242,283	16,669
.. ..	4,362	....	1,118	....	1,354	....	790	....	2,311	....
.. ..	7,786	....	20,540	406	6,448	....	1,989	....	1,834	....
arlog) ..	1,276	38,622	1,411	29,697	1,239	31,528	3,287	40,827	4,056	30,328
munition, and										
res—										
blasting and										
)	....	1,584	....	841	....	2,330	....	830	....	1,644
and other										
compounds.	565	3,301	....	2,760	....	337	....	1,328	....	8,094
acks	70	30,083	52	35,218	14	34,053	....	35,184	6	38,789
ale and other										
dicinal ..	2,810	951	1,987	3,345	445	9,255	1,604	12,252	893	10,485
er and										
.. ..	....	9,443	....	5,704	....	4,262	....	1,651	....	6,645
.. ..	106	2,850	37	2,094	231	1,992	49	1,133	17	6,902
Tricycles, and										
hereof ..	....	1,438	....	971	....	1,531	....	2,602	....	25,108
.. ..	4,533	179	4,951	159	4,615	151	3,828	38	7,536	51
.. ..	1,080	....	....	....	....	10	....	42	490	180
.. ..	....	....	....	....	11,423	2,965	13,808	3,185	12,126	3,686
Shoes ..	7,064	25,501	3,866	20,637	5,092	16,425	7,366	27,641	14,630	39,618
mpty	151	2,454	530	3,490	466	4,523	1,465	8,587	4,599	13,519
.. ..	73,205	2,219	124,936	522	150,263	102	57,575	5,324	102,502	5,933
complete) ..	1,179	2,502	2,006	2,227	3,267	1,292	3,441	1,114	5,659	1,569
Makers'										
ls	4,717	1,374	3,815	1,172	3,024	1,188	2,852	1,608	4,318	4,949
.. ..	....	7,832	....	3,807	....	3,212	1	4,654	11	14,919
.. ..	1,710	194	2,167	69	3,513	74	2,798	1,008	2,620	2,465
.. ..	....	7,836	50	1,043	12,336	3,835	13,048	15,059	11,280	17,753
.. ..	1,028,395	....	814,929	....	804,769	....	773,954	....	900,264	....
.. ..	1,110	1,197	305	5	10	3,073	26	1,427	....	1,950
.. ..	....	2,234,543	....	2,969,892	....	1,975,573	644,476	2,066,084	1,416,456	2,186,530
.. ..	....	12,415	....	9,166	....	12,764	....	7,666	....	13,290
.. ..	....	628	....	230	....	380	....	615	....	957
.. ..	2,000	....	5,875	....	10,666	....	8,525	....	4,523	....
.. ..	*160,473	29,196	*46,535	36,154	*61,034	13,605	*112,866	11,080	*180,908	....
.. ..	24,464	561	13,108	606	....	734	21,230	2,529	3	597
.. ..	2,769	....	1,083	30	1,410	....	346	....	75	....
d in Matte ..	....	....	....	....	11,037	3,091	6,424	1,118	19,328	4,191
.. ..	....	33,251	....	65,354	....	46,376	....	60,381	....	66,198
d Rope ..	5,767	9,477	5,972	7,922	6,839	5,296	6,552	4,568	6,461	5,506
not otherwise										
rated)	2,120	162,526	920	138,299	1,076	95,949	325	100,173	1,729	198,333
Apothecaries'										
not otherwise										
rated) ..	12,338	17,286	9,700	10,432	8,021	15,030	6,109	12,742	8,629	18,619
rt and China										
.. ..	40	5,837	22	4,299	33	4,850	42	5,654	1,132	7,199
ds (not other-										
umerated) ..	†119	†10,114	†238	†8,071	431	14,208	349	17,611	244	15,428
h and Pre-										
.. ..	4,297	12,600	1,550	10,476	5,617	10,622	11,482	16,652	5,697	14,884
.. ..	113,241	23,118	137,769	11,895	103,057	17,069	68,723	12,504	99,999	29,692
l Cloaks ..	....	11,643	....	8,635	....	9,503	....	10,733	....	12,691
.. ..	1,057	15,079	1,298	10,819	3,792	11,776	5,338	11,328	6,475	14,227

* Includes copper refined from both New South Wales and imported ores. † Includes Toys.

No. 20.—Principal Articles Exported, 1892–96—*continued.*

Article.	1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1896
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Glassware	89	3,534	45	2,091	67	2,717	454	2,762	285
Gold—									
Bars and Dust and contained in matte ..	....	29,118	25,885	....	325,302	7,289	419,082	15,915	223,098
Grain, Pulse, &c.—									
Barley	3	113	6	525	226	107	566	161	564
Bran	865	976	2,143	1,109	129	459	740	1,187	19,647
Flour	13,600	22,277	13,358	3,629	5,558	7,336	12,540	3,710	196,335
Maize	2,166	939	826	1,497	892	233	5,453	27	5,352
Oats	319	5,465	587	6,209	631	2,813	527	2,734	1,548
Rice	....	13,108	..	13,323	....	9,895	....	11,326	....
Wheat	548	1,367	216	2,302	481	293	269	42	67,859
Grindery	2,076	6,662	1,475	5,448	1,632	5,181	2,950	5,560	3,018
Hardware and Ironmongery (including Hollow-ware) ..	2,058	50,640	1,880	40,611	959	34,739	1,214	30,771	2,207
Hay and Chaff	1,519	259	1,433	2,329	598	451	1,723	1,114	10,972
Hops	....	6,535	....	5,689	....	9,227	....	7,232	....
Horns	6,320	....	4,223	2,220	5,666	2,852	5,757	5,500	7,784
Instruments (Musical)—									
Pianofortes, Harmoniums, and Organs ..	....	15,532	....	10,755	....	10,299	125	10,768	....
All other	....	2,306	....	2,956	....	2,326	....	2,861	....
Iron and Steel—									
Pig Iron and Castings other than Pipes ..	414	5,137	274	1,072	192	2,333	1,619	1,212	468
Pipes (wrought & cast)	10	3,072	68	1,162	150	12,192	862	16,466	10,274
Manufactured Wrought Iron	330	20,487	89	19,385	256	25,887	449	27,422	3,649
Wire (black and galvanised)	....	9,985	....	17,604	....	18,741	....	23,867	....
Galvanised Sheets and Bars	....	34,529	....	28,791	....	26,434	....	37,440	....
Galvanised Manufactures	865	5,710	1,104	1,732	580	885	645	548	901
Wire Netting	64,093	5,942	48,866	7,983	25,134	1,550	33,739	1,486	50,490
Jewellery and Precious Stones	130	10,557	2,300	8,058	99	11,617	100	20,138	248
Kerosene Shale	131,773	....	79,919	....	49,187	....	77,934	....	32,846
Lead—									
Pig	726	3,556	4,205	1,003	....	33,004	179	26,101	259
Sheet, Roll, and Pipe ..	81	1,234	2,288	834	3,982	230	7,812	177	10,154
Leather	178,215	10,141	195,173	10,868	230,917	10,931	279,281	15,427	324,989
Machinery	7,215	62,257	8,399	80,572	10,034	65,603	8,631	87,419	12,058
Manure—									
Bone-dust	21,049	393	14,824	....	25,411	....	32,656	....	21,708
Other kinds	33,045	109	40,746	483	36,971	1,079	29,698	1,428	32,470
Meat—									
Bacon and Ham ..	289	3,140	690	2,068	1,244	2,116	1,828	2,403	4,560
Extract of Beef ..	966	34	3,183	178	14,609	121	12,184	116	25,360
Frozen	169,425	....	141,640	....	193,760	....	381,349	2	343,693
Preserved	105,922	2,841	164,592	7,279	206,054	13,626	302,828	11,325	218,293
All other kinds ..	7,410	630	5,324	974	7,120	1,056	7,635	406	8,[illegible]
Milk (condensed, concentrated, and preserved).	....	6,922	....	5 348	....	6,080	58	7,812	[illegible]
Molasses	7,720	158	5,971	222	1,751	61	4,203	76	[illegible]
Metal (old)	....	8,830	....	10,210	....	6,527	....	[illegible]	
Oils (in bulk and bottle)—									
Castor	....	4,635	....	4,134	....	5,143			
Kerosene	....	9,640	....	13,025	....	[illegible]			
Other kinds	1,653	17,564	2,668	13,734	2,041	[illegible]			

No. 20.—Principal Articles Exported, 1892–96—*continued.*

Article.	1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.	
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
's Stores—										
therwise enumer-	377	4,442	509	3,816	663	3,279	1,019	4,255	1,852	11,975
	....	3,925	....	4,477	....	4,130	....	3,491	....	1,661
and Colours (dry in oil)	195	8,633	611	7,967	527	7,513	254	8,767	343	7,940
Books, &c.—										
and Periodicals	14,106	29,445	5,697	22,990	4,089	17,424	5,542	25,246	7,303	29,959
ng & News-paper	....	3,596	....	4,219	....	6,707	....	5,801	....	10,408
and Sauces	32	2,802	5	3,006	36	4,397	48	4,884	330	5,445
s, Paintings, and tographs	2,940	6,229	3,270	2,214	2,331	2,215	1,457	2,704	2,972	5,693
Shrubs, & Trees	11,549	67	7,358	92	5,592	184	5,912	120	4,141	440
ed Plated Ware—	235	14,190	515	20,229	....	384	100	2,915	....	3,912
					....	7,431	....	9,311	5	13,088
	1,557	11,870	6,105	10,930	2,846	5,029	1,699	5,489	6,525	42,189
and Tramway	156	1,433	56	450	420	2,823	1,037	4,878	1,068	10,302
	4,006	2,884	4,643	19,941	4,064	4,061	4,823	3,705	7,522	5,228
Machines	....	6,929	....	6,538	....	7,854	....	11,581	....	14,594
	....	5,201	....	8,043	....	3,684	....	7,273	....	5,000
, and contained										
latte	56,884	1,850	78,131	17,000	94,150	8,905	87,290	4,372	26,518	16,249
	1,829,296	....	2,016,651	3,346	1,543,213	....	959,736	....	794,610	257
	591,656	13,326	936,938	22,053	652,126	31,138	601,077	12,720	964,323	125,262
ed Hides—										
	109,966	570	47,992	96,205	35,321	83,282	129,219	183,352	49,858	165,960
	268,331	3,153	388,319	64,440	282,438	47,386	282,132	92,300	164,678	90,535
	44,448	....	9,160	12,359	3,968	6,640	9,055	31,500	9,842	23,415
	268,516	127	169,894	19,763	85,395	20,901	191,098	5,810	115,096	19,014
	2,537	2,772	4,014	2,556	3,162	3,267	3,890	5,341	5,486	5,816
ock	5,167	....	5,953	....	10,763	....	9,823	....	7,129	417
	....	14,876	....	9,264	....	10,068	....	9,584	....	13,937
Geneva, and										
nappe	....	6,149	....	3,309	....	4,259	....	6,096	....	7,061
Colonial Spirit	9,303	2,937	15,049	1,693	22,832	2,423	5,228	2,731	1,858	2,773
	....	18,796	....	16,575	....	16,866	....	17,876	....	22,237
ry (Sundries)	2,048	14,323	1,907	11,627	2,380	10,616	2,316	7,650	1,982	15,054
(aw and Refined)	12	84,183	17	191,761	102	138,913	11	78,832	77	72,889
	432,322	2,815	744,331	161,063	890,691	255,837	773,105	329,040	353,566	156,100
	....	82,506	....	51,574	....	54,179	....	77,737	....	75,833
	50,429	6,595	36,678	6,485	26,556	5,863	41,427	9,383	42,341	13,705
d	619	1,503	462	1,303	532	1,437	255	1,134	376	1,574
and Staves	4,089	6,988	2,191	5,978	2,226	4,687	470	4,424	1,762	4,982
	*201,541	76,125	*223,139	107,211	*179,445	75,900	*136,080	58,002	*99,212	53,507
	12,573	....	6,604	....	7,752	815	2,543	48	2,905	....
	....	5,172	....	7,332	....	10,317	....	17,489	....	15,820
nufactured	....	4,206	....	3,679	1	3,156	....	2,078	....	2,001
ctured	....	33,294	149	28,327	....	30,084	....	25,298	101	30,263
	....	16,113	....	12,438	....	9,742	....	17,435	....	25,508
tes	....	5,044	181	1,548	....	1,988	....	8,512	....	12,658
	†	†	†	†	8	1,699	4	995	18	1,338
and Clocks	....	8,183	....	14,487	....	8,560	....	11,994	....	4,008
sparkling)	....	4,269	....	3,205	....	5,016	....	5,128	....	6,504
ber)	7,981	5,332	,442	4,421	6,307	4,300	5,806	6,822	6,010	6,365
	7,989,854	244,724	7,429,669	631,303	6,969,230	414,135	6,832,219	725,954	6,505,607	811,335
d and Washed	2,250,802	82,967	2,245,362	143,547	2,042,560	202,198	2,126,471	291,400	2,270,922	309,468

ncludes Tin refined from both New South Wales and imported ores. † Included with Fancy Goods.

No. 21.—Importations Prohibited.

Cigars or Cigarettes imported in vessels under 40 tons register, or in outer packages containing less than thirty pounds net weight, or less than five thousand in number each, or containing any other goods.

Counterfeit coin or false money, purporting to be sterling coin of the realm, and not being of the established standard in weight or fineness.

Indecent or obscene books, paintings, drawings, cards, engravings, photographs, or other indecent or obscene productions or articles.

Infected cattle, sheep, or other animals, and hides, skins, horns, hoofs, or any other part of cattle or other animals which the Governor may, by proclamation, prohibit in order to prevent the spreading of any contagious disease.

Opium (except when made up in the form of drugs) imported in vessels under 40 tons register, and in packages each containing less than thirty pounds net weight, or containing any other goods.

Snuff or tobacco imported in vessels under 40 tons register, and in packages each containing less than twenty-five pounds net weight, or containing any other goods.

Spirits (not being perfumed or medicinal spirits) imported in vessels under 40 tons register, and (unless bottled) in casks or other vessels containing less than twelve gallons of liquid measurement, and not duly reported as being part of the cargo or stores of the importing ship.

Grape-vine cuttings or grapes, except those from South Australia, are prohibited at out-stations and out-ports, but may be landed at Sydney under supervision of officers of the Agricultural Department.

Murray River Trade.—The restrictions on vessels under 40 tons register do not extend to vessels on the River Murray, provided due notice is given to Customs' Officers.

Importation of Arms, Ammunition, &c.—The importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or other explosives may be prohibited by proclamation or order of the Governor-in-Council whenever deemed expedient.

No. 22.—Explosives, &c., within the meaning of the Gunpowder and Explosives Act.

Explosives and Explosive Substances.—The importation, manufacture, removal, storage, keeping, and sale of Explosives is regulated by the Gunpowder and Explosive Consolidation Act of 1876 (40 Vic. No. 1), the administration of which, under the Colonial Treasurer, is intrusted to the Mercantile Explosives Department. The Public Magazines are also under the custody of the same Department.

Magazines, &c.—The Public Magazines are situated as follow:—

For Gunpowder, &c.—At Sydney, Goat Island and Middle Harbour (floating), and at Newcastle (floating).

For Nitro-glycerine compounds—At Broken Bay.

For Gun-cotton—At Sydney, Middle Harbour (floating).

Two Factories were licensed for the manufacture of explosives at the end of 1896, and 666 private magazines or premises were registered for keeping explosives. The licenses issued to persons dealing in gunpowder, &c., at the same date were: Ordinary (to keep not more than 25 lb.), 1,195; and Special (to keep more than 500 lb.), 60.

EXPLOSIVES.			
Fortis Explosive. Chilworth Special Powder. Gunpowder. Nitro-glycerine. Dynamite. Gelatine Dynamite. Gelignite. Blasting Gelatine. Lithofracteur. Matagnite Gelatine. Meganite. Forcite. Ballistite.	Carbonite. Stonite. Oarite. Tonite. Potentite. Di-flamyr. Ammonite. Nitrate Powders. Nico. Shatterock. Securite. Bellite. Roburite.	Rack-a-Rock. Storite. Riplene. Smokeless Powders. Riflite. Gathurst Powder. Blasting Powder. Picric Powder. Gun Cotton. Pyrolignoine. Any Explosive Preparation of Vegetable Fibre.	Any explosive of which Chlorate of Potash forms part. Any process of manufacture or mixing of any ingredients or substances to form an explosive compound. Fulminate of Mercury, or of other Metals. Detonators. Cap Composition only.
EXPLOSIVE SUBSTANCES.			
Petroleum. Kerosene. Picrate of Potash.	Cartridges, or Ammunition of which an explosive forms a part.	Coloured Fires. Fireworks. Rockets.	Every adaptation or preparation of explosives or explosive substances.

Fees for Licenses.—For an "Ordinary License" to deal in explosives with permission to keep 25 lb. at any one time without registration of premises, 10 shillings. For the "Registration of Premises" on which more than 25 lb. of explosives is desired to be kept at any one time, 5 shillings. For a "Special License" to keep more than 500 lb. of explosives at one time, 20 shillings. For a "Magazine License" to store explosives for other persons, charging rent thereon, 40 shillings. The amount of fees for licenses collected during the year ended 31st December, 1896, was £728.

Inspection of Kerosene.—Under Act 35 Vic. No. 1, power is given for the appointment of one or more inspectors who test all kerosene imported or refined in New South Wales, and no kerosene must be delivered to purchasers unless certificate has been obtained from the inspector. The present holder of the office of Inspector of Kerosene is the Superintendent of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade.

No. 23.—Customs Tariff of New South Wales.

sions of Collector of Customs.—Printed lists of the decisions of the Collector of Customs are published by the epartment.

nptions from Import Duty.—All goods imported direct for the use of the Public Service are exempt from imposts of every description.

rt Duties.—No Export Duties are levied in New South Wales.

PERMANENT TARIFF.		s. d.
—On all kinds of spirits and spirituous compounds imported, and not otherwise enumerated	per proof gallon	14 0
allowance beyond 16·5 shall be made for the underproof of any spirit of a less strength than 16·5 underproof.		
se Spirits—Contents of two, three, four, or five gallons shall be charged—		
Two gallons and under as two gallons.		
Over two gallons and not exceeding three as three gallons.		
Over three gallons and not exceeding four as four gallons.		
Over four gallons and not exceeding five as five gallons.		
itters, essences, fluid extracts, sarsaparilla, tinctures, medicines, infusions, and toilet preparations containing—		
Not more than 25 per cent. of proof spirit	per gallon	3 6
Not more than 50 per cent. of proof spirit	per gallon	7 0
Not more than 75 per cent. of proof spirit	per gallon	10 6
If containing more than 75 per cent. of proof spirit...	per gallon	14 0
If containing spirit overproof to be charged as spirituous compounds	per proof gallon	14 0
ethylated spirit	per gallon	0 1
rfumed spirits, perfumed waters, Florida water, and bay rum	per liquid gallon	20 0
—Sparkling—For six reputed quarts, or twelve reputed pints	.....	10 0
ther kinds	per gallon	5 0
ther kinds—For six reputed quarts, or twelve reputed pints	.....	5 0
le, porter, spruce, or other beer, cider, and perry—		
wood, or jar	per gallon	0 6
bottle...	per gallon	0 9
r six reputed quarts, or twelve reputed pints	per gallon	0 9
o—Delivered from ship's side or from a Customs Bond for home consumption—manufactured, unmanufactured, and snuff	per lb.	3 0
nanufactured, entered to be manufactured in the Colony. the time of removal from a Customs Bond or from an porting ship to any licensed tobacco manufactory for anufacturing purposes only into tobacco, cigars, and garettes	per lb.	1 0
pwash	per lb.	0 3
and Cigarettes (including wrappers in latter case) ...	per lb.	6 0
, and any preparation thereof	per lb.	20 0
DIMINISHING DUTIES.		
s per lb., or reputed package of that weight, and so in portion for any such reputed weight, night lights, and rine	per lb.	0 1
rom 1st July, 1897	per lb.	0 0½
rom 1st July, 1899	.....	Free.
rosene, naphtha, and gasoline	per gallon	0 6
rom 1st July, 1896	per gallon	0 3
rom 1st July, 1897	.....	Free.
xcept linseed oil (raw or boiled), fish and seal oils, black ls, cocoanut, sperm, palm, and essential oils	per gallon	0 6
rom 1st July, 1896	per gallon	0 3
rom 1st July, 1897	.....	Free.

No. 23.—Customs Tariff of New South Wales—*continued.*

DIMINISHING DUTIES—*continued.*

Sugar—Refined.	Sugar—Raw and Solid Glucose.	Molasses and Treacle—Glucose, Liquid and Syrup.	
per cwt. s. d.	per cwt. s. d.	per cwt. s. d.	
6 8	5 0	3 4	
5 4	4 0	2 8	From 1st July, 1897.
4 0	3 0	2 0	From 1st July, 1898.
2 8	2 0	1 4	From 1st July, 1899.
1 4	1 0	0 8	From 1st July, 1900.
Free.	Free.	Free.	From 1st July, 1901.

		s. d.
Biscuits	per lb.	0 1
From 1st July, 1898	per lb.	0 0½
From 1st July, 1900	.....	Free.
Confectionery (including cakes, comfits, liquorice, liquorice paste, lozenges of all kinds, cocoanut in sugar, sugar-candy, succades, and sweetmeats)	per lb.	0 2
From 1st July, 1898	per lb.	0 1
From 1st July, 1900	.....	Free.
Fruits—Dried, candied, and prunes (exclusive of dates) ...	per lb.	0 2
From 1st July, 1898	per lb.	0 1
From 1st July, 1900	.....	Free.
Jams and Jellies—per lb. or reputed package of that weight, and so in proportion for any such reputed weight	per lb.	0 1
From 1st July, 1898	per lb.	0 0½
From 1st July, 1900	.....	Free.
Preserves and canned fruits, fruits boiled, peel drained or dry...	per lb.	0 1
From 1st July, 1898	per lb.	0 0½
From 1st July, 1900	.....	Free.

DUTIES REMOVED ON THE 30TH JUNE, 1896.

Butter...	per lb.	0 1
Cement, plaster, and hydraulic lime	per barrel	2 0
Cheese, bacon, and ham	per lb.	0 2
Chicory, dandelion, and taraxacum—Roasted, ground, or mixed with any other article	per lb.	0 6
Chocolate—plain or mixed with any other article—and chocolate creams	per lb.	0 4
Corn-flour and maizena	per lb.	0 1
Cocoa—Prepared, paste, or mixed with any other article ...	per lb.	0 4
Coffee—Roasted, ground, or mixed with any other article (except coffee essence)	per lb.	0 6
Fish—Dried, preserved or salt	per lb.	0 1
Iron—Galvanized, in bars, sheet, or corrugated	per ton.	40 0
Galvanized wire-netting	per ton.	30 0
Milk—condensed or preserved	per lb.	0 1
Rice	per ton.	60 0
Salt	per ton.	20 0
Sporting-powder	per lb.	0 3
Shot	per cwt.	5 0
Timber—		
Dressed	...per 100 ft. superficial	3 [illegible]
Undressed	...per 100 ft. superficial	1
Doors, sashes, and shutters	each.	

No. 24.—Customs Tariff Changes from 1871.

tions from Import Duty.—A reservation has always been made that all goods imported for the supply of the Public Service shall be exempted from duties and imposts of every description whatever.

e when sed.	Act.	To take effect from—	Alterations made.
y, 1871 ..	34 Vic. No. 21 (repealing all previous Acts).	9 March, 1871	Specific duties largely increased.
			Ad Valorem duties of 5 per cent. imposed.
v., 1873..	37 Vic. No. 5 (repealing parts of 1871 Act).	1 Jan., 1874 ..	The number of articles subject to duty reduced.
			Duty imposed on Sarsaparilla containing more than 25 per cent. of proof spirit.
			Ad Valorem duties of 5 per cent. abolished.
b., 1880 ..	43 Vic. No. 16 (amending Act).	10 Dec., 1879 ..	Duties on Spirits, Spirituous Compounds, and Wines increased.
ril, 1884..	47 Vic. No. 10 (amending Act).	20 Feb., 1884 ..	Duties imposed on Stearine and Cigarettes.
			Duties on Cigars, Tobacco, and Opium increased.
			The limit of under-proof allowance of spirits fixed at 16·5.
			The reputed contents of cases containing Spirits, Beer, and Wine regulated.
pt., 1886..	50 Vic. No. 16 (repealing the 1871, 1873, 1880, and 1884 Acts, or the unrepealed portions of them).	7 April, 1886..	The number of articles charged specific duties largely increased.
			Ad Valorem duties of 5 per cent. reimposed.
			Duty on Perfumed Spirits increased.
ly, 1887 ..	51 Vic. No. 8 (repealing 1886 Act).	1 Oct., 1887 ..	The number of articles charged specific duties largely reduced.
		1 Oct., 1887 ..	Ad Valorem duties of 5 per cent. abolished.
		1 May, 1887 ..	Duties on Malt and Hops abolished.
		30 March, 1887	Duties on Spirits and Spirituous Compounds increased.
		30 March, 1887	New schedule of specific duties at lower rates.
arch, 1892.	55 Vic. No. 16 (repealing 1887 Act).	2 Dec., 1891 ..	The number of articles subject to specific duties increased.
			Ad Valorem duties of 10 and 15 per cent. imposed.
		1 March, 1892	Duty on Tea abolished.
		1 Jan., 1893 ..	10s. per ton duty imposed on Pig-iron.
ec., 1895 ..	59 Vic. No. 18 (repealing 1891 Act).	1 Jan., 1896 ..	Ad Valorem duties abolished. From the 1st January, 1896, the list of dutiable articles was limited to Intoxicants, Narcotics, and 25 other articles. On the 30th June, 1896, the duties on 16 of the 25 articles ceased, and the duties on the remaining 9 will be abolished on a sliding scale basis on or before the year 1900; the list of dutiable goods will hen be limited to Intoxicants and Narcotics.

No. 25.—Excise Tariff of New South Wales.

Drawbacks and Refunds.—Drawbacks are allowed on Beer. Refunds are allowed on Beer if it is spoi becomes unfit for use after removal from Brewery; on no other articles are Drawbacks or Refunds allowed under the Tariff.

Article.	Took effect from—	Authority.	Rate of Excise.
Intoxicants—			
Colonial Distilled Spirits... ...	30 March, 1887...	51 Vic. No. 6	℘ proof gallon, 1
Beer	3 June, 1887 ...	50 Vic. No. 38	℘ liquid gallon,
Narcotics—			
Tobacco	30 March, 1887...	47 Vic. No. 12 amended by 51 Vic. No. 7	℘ lb.,
Cigars and Cigarettes	20 Feb., 1884 ...	47 Vic. No. 12	℘ lb.,

No. 26.—Excise Tariff Changes from 1866.

Date when passed.	Act.	Took effect from—	Duty.	Alterations made.
				SPIRITS.
19 Jan., 1866..	29 Vic. No. 15 (repealing previous Acts).	29 Nov., 1865..	℘ proof gallon. 9s. 5d. and 10s.	Under various Acts the Excise duty on colonially di spirits had been gradually raised from 2s. 6d. per gallon, imposed April, 1830 (Act 11 Geo. IV, 9) to in September, 1855 (Act 19 Vic. 15). Under Act 2 No. 15 the Excise duty was fixed at 9s. 5d. per pro ion if distilled from sugar upon which Customs had been paid, or 10s. if distilled or made wholly, any proportion exceeding 10% of the whole, materials upon which no Customs duties had been
6 Feb., 1880..	43 Vic. No. 17 (repealing previous Act).	10 Dec., 1879..	12s.	Duty raised to 12s. per proof gallon.
8 July, 1887 (still in force).	51 Vic. No. 6 (repealing previous Act).	30 Mar., 1887..	14s.	Duty raised to 14s per proof gallon.
				BEER.
3 June, 1887 (still in force).	50 Vic. No. 38....	3 June, 1887..	℘ gallon 3d.	Prior to the passing of this Act there was no Excis on beer brewed in New South Wales. The Act d "beer" to include ale, porter, and every other liquor or fermented beverage purporting to be b made in imitation of beer, or malt liquor, and wl brewed wholly or in part from any other substanc malt and fixes the duty at 3d. per gallon.
				TOBACCO.
10 April, 1884..	47 Vic. No. 12....	20 Feb., 1884..	℘ lb. 1s.	Prior to the passing of this Act there was not any duty on tobacco manufactured in New South Wale duty was fixed at 1s. per lb. on tobacco manufactu cut in any tobacco factory. The Act also provided imposition of license fees to be paid by manufac and vendors.
8 July, 1887 (still in force).	51 Vic. No. 7 (amending Act).	30 Mar., 1887..	1s. 3d.	Duty increased to 1s. 3d. per lb.
				CIGARS AND CIGARETTES.
1 April, 1884 (still in force).	47 Vic. No. 12....	20 Feb., 1884..	℘ lb. 2s. 6d.	The "Tobacco Act of 1884" imposed an Excise d 2s. 6d. per lb. on cigars and cigarettes, manufactu any tobacco factory, and the provisions as to licen for the manufacture and sale of tobacco applied to cigars and cigarettes.

No. 27.—Revenue collected by the Customs Department, 1896.

Article.	Rate.	Quantity.	Amount.
	SPECIFIC IMPORT DUTIES.		
ICANTS, NARCOTICS, &c.—			
; and Beer—			£
In wood	℘ gallon liquid, 6d.	833,800 gallons	20,845
In bottle	„ „ 9d.	911,493 „	34,181
rits—			
Brandy	℘ gallon proof, 14s.	149,493 „	104,645
Geneva	„ „ 14s.	135,920 „	95,144
Gin	„ „ 14s.	10,176 „	7,123
Rum	„ „ 14s.	206,782 „	144,747
Whisky	„ „ 14s.	412,552 „	288,786
Liqueurs	„ „ 14s.	8,023 „	5,616
All other	„ „ 14s.	10,844 „	7,591
Perfumed	„ liquid 20s.	5,578 „	5,578
Samples	Various	.....	124
nes—			
Sparkling	℘ gallon liquid, 10s.	14,090 gallons	7,045
Still	„ „ 5s.	69,060 „	17,265
ters, not more than 25 % proof spirit..	„ „ 3s. 6d.	394 „	69
„ „ 50 „ ...	„ „ 7s.	100 „	35
„ „ 75 „ ...	„ „ 10s. 6d.	38 „	20
„ over 75 „ ...	„ „ 14s.	529 „	370
sences, not more than 25 „ ...	„ „ 3s. 6d.	309 „	54
„ „ 50 „ ...	„ „ 7s.	223 „	78
„ „ 75 „ ...	„ „ 10s. 6d.	82 „	43
„ over 75 „ ...	„ „ 14s.	3,104 „	2,173
saparilla, not more than 25 „ ...	„ „ 3s. 6d.	634 „	111
„ „ 50 „ ...	„ „ 7s.	1,243 „	435
„ „ 75 „ ...	„ „ 10s. 6d.	... .	.....
„ over 75 „ ...	„ „ 14s.	.....	.....
ctures, not more than 25 „ ...	„ „ 3s. 6d.	4,949 gallons	866
„ „ 50 „ ...	„ „ 7s.	2,266 „	793
„ „ 75 „ ...	„ „ 10s. 6d.	524 „	275
„ over 75 „ ...	„ „ 14s.	11,502 „	8,051
um	℘ lb., 20s.	16,616 lb.	16,616
cco—			
Manufactured and Snuff	„ 3s.	945,007 „	141,751
Leaf	„ 3s.	11,353 „	1,703
„ (entered for home manufacture)	„ 1s.	682,560 „	34,128
Cigars	„ 6s.	179,493 „	53,848
Cigarettes	„ 6s.	67,470 „	20,241
Total Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c....	.....	.....	£1,020,350
ARTICLES—			
s, Ammunition, &c.—			
Shot	℘ cwt., 5s.	1,336 cwt.	334
Sporting Powder	℘ lb., 3d.	49,600 lb.	620
ruits	„ 1d.	76,320 „	318
ter	„ 1d.	1,095,120 „	4,563
dles	„ 1d.	2,680,560 „	11,169
ent	℘ barrel, 2s.	38,700 barrels	3,870
ese	℘ lb., 2d.	350,160 lb.	2,918
cory—			
Roasted	„ 6d.	400 „	10
ea (prepared) and Chocolate ...	„ 4d.	137,700 „	2,295
ee—			
Roasted	„ 6d.	3,680 „	92

* To 30th June; admitted free from 1st July, 1896

Revenue Collected by the Customs Department, 1896—*continued*

[illegible]	Rate.		Quantity.	Amount
Specific Import Duties—*continued*.				
[illegible]				£
[illegible]	℔ lb.	2d.	650,520 lb.	5,
[illegible] reserved, &c.	„	1d.	1,476,000 „	6,
[illegible]	„	1d.	108,480 „	
[illegible]	„	2d.	7,472,760 „	62,
[illegible]	℔ bushel,	1s.	100 bushels	
[illegible]	℔ gallon,	6d.	920 gallons	
	„	†3d.	1,120 „	
[illegible]	℔ cwt.,	3s. 4d.	11,064 cwt.	1,
[illegible]	„	5s.	5,128 „	1,
[illegible]	℔ cental,	1s.	80 centals	
[illegible] and Maizena	℔ lb.,	1d.	21,360 lb.	
[illegible]	℔ cental,	1s.	120 centals	
[illegible]	„	1s.	100 „	
[illegible]	℔ ton,	60s.	2,131 tons	6
[illegible]	„	10s.	18 „	
[illegible]	„	40s.	1,939 „	3
Wire Netting ...	„	30s.	280 „	
[illegible]	℔ lb.,	1d.	1,338,960 lb.	5
[illegible] and Ham	„	2d.	142,920 „	1
[illegible] and Preserved ...	„	1d.	948,480 „	3
[illegible]	℔ gallon,	6d.	1,080 gallons	
	„	†3d.	1,280 „	
[illegible]	„	6d.	855,880 „	21
[illegible]	„	†3d.	1,352,160 „	19
[illegible]	„	6d.	157,320 „	3
	„	†3d.	296,720 „	3
[illegible] and Plaster of Paris	℔ barrel,	2s.	1,230 barrels	
[illegible]	℔ doz. pks.,	3s.	7 doz. pks.	
[illegible]	℔ lb.,	1d.	445,200 lb.	1
[illegible] (other than Rock)	℔ ton,	20s.	11,263 tons	11
Snuff, tobacco	℔ lb.,	3d.	80 lb.	
Spirit, methylated	℔ gallon,	1d.	42,960 gallons	
Strychnine	℔ lb.,	1d.	50,400 lb.	
Sugar				
Refined	℔ cwt.,	6s. 8d.	2,916 cwt.	
„ ex Refinery	„	6s. 8d.	.....	.....
Raw	„	5s.	355,160 cwt.	88
„ ex Refinery	„	5s.	356,840 „	89
Molasses	„	3s. 4d.	5,664 „	
„ ex Refinery	„	3s. 4d.	45,600 „	7
Timber				
*Doors	Each,	2s.	5,440 No.	
*Dressed	℔ 100 sup. ft.,	3s.	1,559,300 sup. ft.	2
*Rough	„	1s. 6d.	14,941,300 „	11
*Shutters, wood	Each,	2s.	10 No.	
*Sashes	„	2s.	390 „	
Sundries	.....		.....	
Total "Other Articles" ...	.....		..... £	386
Total Specific Import Duties ...	.....		..... £	1,40

* To 30th June; admitted free from 1st July, 1896. † From 1st July, 1896. ‡ Duty abolished on 31st Decemb

27.—Revenue Collected by the Customs Department, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	Rate.	Quantity.	Amount.
§ Ad Valorem Import Duties.			
			£
...er cent.	.....	.....	144
...er cent.	.....	.....	29
Total Ad Valorem Import Duties ... ... £			173
Excise Duties.			
			£
...l distilled spirits	℔ gallon (proof), 14s.	8,013 gallons	5,609
... ...	„ (liquid), 3d.	10,177,360 „	127,217
... ...	℔ lb. 1s. 3d.	1,857,616 lb.	116,101
...and Cigarettes	„ 2s. 6d.	174,720 „	21,840
...factory licenses	.....	.....	1,335
Total Excise Duties ... ... £			272,102
Miscellaneous Receipts.			
			£
...Rates			31,722
...l Dues			5,695
...r and Light Rates			23,399
...e Rates—Newcastle			8,319
Wollongong			132
...g Warehouses—License Fees			8,858
...—Licenses to sell			581
Chinese (£100 per head)			200
Goods in Queen's Warehouse			54
...g Fees at Ports other than Sydney and Newcastle			9
...nce of Officers superintending repacks			261
...ect to Treasury Department:—			
...n's share of Seizures and Penalties...			375
...us Proceeds, sale of Over-time Goods			184
...ries			376
Total Miscellaneous Receipts ... ... £			80,165

SUMMARY.

...s (Import) Duties—		
...ific—		£
...toxicants, Narcotics, &c.		1,020,350
...ther Articles		386,446
Total ... ... £		1,406,796
...valorem	at 10 per cent., £144; at 15 per cent., £29	173
Total Customs (Import) Duties ... £		1,406,969
Duties		272,102
...neous Receipts		80,165
Gross Revenue Collected ... ... £		1,759,236
Less Drawbacks, £33,502. Refunds, £8,491...		41,993
Net Revenue Collected... ... ... £		1,717,243

...Ports at which Wharfage and Tonnage Rates are levied.—See Table No. 19, page 74, Part "Shipping."

...Shipping Fees.—The fees collected under this head are not an item of Revenue of the Customs Department, ...being no Shipping Masters outside Sydney and Newcastle, the Customs officials collected at other ports.

...Confiscations.—All goods seized by the Customs are submitted at auction sales held periodically; and should ...allowed be less than the amount of duty leviable the goods are withdrawn from sale and destroyed.

§ Duties abolished on 31st December, 1895.

...tonnage, Harbour and Light Rates, Removal Dues, and Wharfage and Tonnage Rates, see Table ...ages 74, Part "Shipping."

No. 27.—Revenue Collected by the Customs Department, 1896—*con*

Article.	Rate.		Quantity.	
Specific Import Duties—*continued.*				
Other Articles—*continued.*				
Confectionery	℔ lb.	2d.	650,520 lb.	
*Fish—Dried, preserved, &c.	„	1d.	1,476,000 „	
Fruit—				
Boiled or in pulp	„	1d.	108,480 „	
Dried	„	2d.	7,472,760 „	
‡Green	℔ bushel,	1s.	100 bushels	
Gasoline	℔ gallon,	6d.	920 gallons	
	„	†3d.	1,120 „	
Glucose—				
Liquid	℔ cwt.,	3s. 4d.	11,064 cwt.	
Solid	„	5s.	5,128 „	
Grain, Pulse, &c.—				
‡Bran	℔ cental,	1s.	80 centals	
*Cornflour and Maizena	℔ lb.,	1d.	21,360 lb.	
‡Flour	℔ cental,	1s.	120 centals	
‡Pollard	„	1s.	100 „	
*Rice	℔ ton,	60s.	2,131 tons	
‡Hay and Chaff	„	10s.	18 „	
Iron and Steel—				
*Iron, Galvanised	„	40s.	1,939 „	
* „ „ Wire Netting ...	„	30s.	280 „	
Jams and Jellies	℔ lb.,	1d.	1,338,960 lb.	
Meat—				
*Bacon and Ham	„	2d.	142,920 „	
*Milk—Condensed and Preserved ...	„	1d.	948,480 „	
Naphtha	℔ gallon,	6d.	1,080 gallons	
	„	†3d.	1,280 „	
Oils—				
Kerosene	„	6d.	855,880 „	
	„	†3d.	1,352,160 „	
Other	„	6d.	157,320 „	
	„	†3d.	296,720 „	
*Plaster and Plaster of Paris	℔ barrel,	2s.	1,230 barrels	
‡Playing cards	℔ doz. pks.,	3s.	7 doz. pks.	
Preserves	℔ lb.,	1d.	445,200 lb.	
*Salt (other than Rock)	℔ ton,	20s.	11,263 tons	
Sheepwash, tobacco	℔ lb.,	3d.	80 lb.	
Spirit, methylated	℔ gallon,	1d.	42,960 gallons	
Stearine	℔ lb.,	1d.	50,400 lb.	
Sugar—				
Refined	℔ cwt.,	6s. 8d.	2,916 cwt.	
„ ex Refinery	„	6s. 8d.	.....	
Raw	„	5s.	355,160 cwt.	
„ ex Refinery	„	5s.	356,840 „	
Molasses	„	3s. 4d.	5,664 „	
„ ex Refinery	„	3s. 4d.	45,600 „	
Timber—				
*Doors	Each,	2s.	5,440 No.	
*Dressed	℔ 100 sup. ft.,	3s.	1,559,300 sup. ft.	
*Rough	„	1s. 6d.	14,941,300 „	
*Shutters, wood	Each,	2s.	10 No.	
*Sashes	„	2s.	390 „	
Sundries	.....		.....	
Total "Other Articles" ...	.....		.....	£
Total Specific Import Duties ...	.....		.....	£

* To 30th June; admitted free from 1st July, 1896. † From 1st July, 1896. ‡ Duty abolished on 31st Dec

. 28.—Revenue collected by the Customs Department, 1892-96—*continued.*

Excise Tariff.—See Excise Tariff Changes from 1866, page 320.

Article.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
Specific Import Duties—*continued.*					
s Articles—*continued*—	£	£	£	£	£
nber—					
Dressed	14,750	10,746	10,808	10,263	2,339
Rough	47,945	41,848	39,737	35,780	11,206
her Specific Duties*	104,372	68,371	59,402	58,103	16,429
Total, "Other Articles" ... £	809,155	629,485	647,827	651,666	386,446
Total, Specific Import Duties ... £	2,036,677	1,665,941	1,646,595	1,643,688	1,406,796
Ad valorem Import Duties.					
	£	£	£	£	£
per cent.	538,872	387,896	353,825	344,699	144
per cent.	88,681	61,106	60,510	59,120	29
Total, Ad valorem Import Duties £	627,553	449,002	414,335	403,819	173
Excise Duties.					
	£	£	£	£	£
al Distilled Spirits	21,132	18,165	14,694	8,606	5,609
... ...	135,090	121,915	118,855	122,773	127,217
co	122,789	111,035	108,281	117,734	116,101
and Cigarettes	10,265	13,188	15,011	17,183	21,840
co Factory Licenses...	1,265	1,201	1,244	1,356	1,335
Total, Excise Duties ... ... £	290,541	265,504	258,085	267,652	272,102
Miscellaneous Receipts.					
	£	£	£	£	£
ge and Removal Dues	42,900	32,179	36,238	36,303	37,417
ar and Light Rates	20,610	17,330	21,212	22,679	23,399
ge Rates at Newcastle and Wollongong (e note page 74, Part "Shipping") ...	8,352	7,260	8,334	8,692	8,451
ng Warehouses—License Fees	9,872	10,255	10,146	10,530	8,858
Receipts	3,111	5,512	2,877	2,738	2,040
Total, Miscellaneous Receipts ... £	84,845	72,536	78,807	80,942	80,165
SUMMARY.					
ms (Import) Duties—					
cific—	£	£	£	£	£
Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c....	1,227,522	1,036,456	998,768	992,022	1,020,350
Other Articles	809,155	629,485	647,827	651,666	386,446
Total ... ... £	2,036,677	1,665,941	1,646,595	1,643,688	1,406,796
valorem	627,553	449,002	414,335	403,819	173
Total Customs (Import) Duties £	2,664,230	2,114,943	2,060,930	2,047,507	1,406,969
Duties	290,541	265,504	258,085	267,652	272,102
llaneous Receipts	84,845	72,536	78,807	80,942	80,165
ross Revenue collected .. ... £	3,039,616	2,452,983	2,397,822	2,396,101	1,759,236
Less—Drawbacks and Refunds ...	89,659	52,173	53,957	74,563	41,993
et Revenue collected ... ... £	2,949,957	2,400,810	2,343,865	2,321,538	1,717,243

ncludes articles the Revenue collected from each of which has in most years of the series been less than £5,000.

No. 29.—Customs Revenue collected at each Port and Station, 1894–96.

Port or Station.	Amount. 1894.	1895.	1896.
Ports (North to South)—	£	£	£
Tweed River Heads	1,430	747	[illegible]
Byron Bay	Included with Tweed River.		
Richmond River	14	654	[illegible]
Grafton	845	405	[illegible]
Bellinger River	Included with Sydney.		
Nambucca			
Macleay River			
Port Macquarie			
Manning River			
Port Stephens			
Morpeth	10,039	9,252	9,3[illegible]
Newcastle	158,896	155,363	123,2[illegible]
Broken Bay	Included with Sydney.		
Sydney	2,014,109	2,023,038	1,486,0[illegible]
Botany	Included with Sydney.		
Bellambi	Included with Wollongong.		
Wollongong	32	64	2[illegible]
Port Kembla	Included with Wollongong.		
Kiama	Included with Sydney.		
Shoalhaven			
Bateman's Bay			
Bermagui			
Tathra			
Eden	51	168	[illegible]
Inland Bonds—			
Bourke	19,897	15,669	12,8[illegible]
Brewarrina	2,499	2,990	1,3[illegible]
Deniliquin	11,754	14,098	9,1[illegible]
Wilcannia	14,131	10,426	11,7[illegible]
Victorian Border Stations (East to West)—			
Delegate	12	8	Nil.
Genoa	Nil.	Nil.	
Albury	29,224	29,299	22,5[illegible]
Howlong	824	757	5[illegible]
Corowa	5,939	6,981	5,4[illegible]
Mulwala	3,327	3,200	3,4[illegible]
Cobram	1,492	1,140	1,1[illegible]
Tocumwal	2,551	3,213	3,5[illegible]
Moama	17,793	14,303	9,8[illegible]
Barham Crossing	Included with Moama.		
Swan Hill	2,015	2,073	1,8[illegible]
Tooleybuc	Included with Swan Hill.		
Euston	1,178	857	8[illegible]
Wentworth	12,053	11,141	7,5[illegible]
Queensland Border Stations (East to West)—			
Wallangarra	1,217	1,097	1,0[illegible]
Boggabilla	304	353	2[illegible]
Mungindi	Nil.	Nil.	1[illegible]
Barringun	310	2	Nil.
South Australian Border Stations (South to North)—			
Murthoo (S.A.)	Included with Wentworth.		
Tareena	"	"	
Cockburn	Included with Willyama.		
Willyama (Broken Hill)	83,949	88,875	46,0[illegible]
Silverton	Included with Willyama.		
Milparinka	"	"	
Paid direct to Treasury	1,037	928	[illegible]
Gross Customs Revenue £	2,397,822	2,396,101	1,[illegible]
Less Drawbacks and Refunds	53,957	74,563	
Net Customs Revenue £	2,343,865	2,321,538	[illegible]

No. 30.—Goods on which Drawback was obtained, 1896.

Drawback of Customs Duty.—A drawback of the full duty paid on importation is allowed on goods if exported in original packages as imported, provided that the Collector of Customs is satisfied that in all respects the goods are in the same condition and of the same value as when they were entered for duty on importation. Drawbacks of import duties are allowed on ale, beer, wine, opium, medicines, toilet preparations containing spirit, but not on intoxicating spirits, tobacco, cigars, cigarettes, tinctures, perfumed spirits, Florida water, and bay rum. There is no limit to the period in which drawbacks may be obtained, but by a memorandum of the Collector of Customs, **Drawback was not allowed** after 8th April, 1896, on Open Stock of articles the duties on which were repealed on the 1st January, 1896. Drawback of Excise duty is allowed on beer only.

Article.	Rate.	Quantity.	Amount.
	SPECIFIC IMPORT DUTIES.		
INTOXICANTS, NARCOTICS, &c.—			£ s. d.
Ale and Beer—			
In wood	℔ gal. liquid, 6d.	3,196 gallons	79 18 0
In bottle	" " 9d.	39,195 "	1,469 16 3
Medicines (repacked)—			
Containing 25 per cent. and under of proof spirit	" 3s. 6d.	$35\frac{31}{32}$ "	6 4 10
" 50 " " ...	" 7s.	$\frac{32}{32}$ "	0 4 10
" 75 " " ...	" 10s. 6d.	$3\frac{1}{32}$ "	1 11 10
Proof spirit	" 14s.	$9\frac{30}{32}$ "	6 19 2
Wines—			
Sparkling	" 10s.	984 "	492 0 0
Still	" 5s.	$292\frac{8}{32}$ "	73 1 3
Total Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c.	.....	..... £	2,129 16 2
OTHER ARTICLES—			
Aerated Waters	℔ doz. pints, 6d.	322 dozen pints	8 1 0
Arms, Ammunition, &c.—			
Shot	℔ cwt., 5s.	857 cwt. 3 qrs.	214 8 9
Sporting Powder	℔ lb., 3d.	1,004 lb.	12 11 0
Biscuits	" 2d.	476 "	3 19 4
Butter	" 2d.	2,948 "	24 11 4
	" 1d.	130,436 "	543 9 8
Candles	" $1\frac{1}{2}$d.	11,647 "	72 15 11
	" 1d.	43,158 "	179 16 6
Cement	℔ barrel, 2s.	10,509 barrels	1,050 18 0
Cheese	℔ lb., 2d.	63,247 lb.	527 1 2
Cocoa (prepared) and Chocolate ...	" 4d.	31,528 "	525 9 4
Coffee (roasted)	" 6d.	817 "	20 8 6
Colours (dry)	℔ ton, 30s.	9 tons 4 cwt. 3 qrs.	13 17 2
Confectionery	℔ lb., 2d.	9,298 lb.	77 9 8
Cordage and Rope	℔ ton, 60s.	15 t. 0 c. 0 q. 25 lb.	45 0 9
Cordials, &c. (not containing spirit) ...	℔ doz. qts., 1/6.	16 dozen quarts.	1 4 0
Fish, dried and preserved	℔ lb., 1d.	317,900 lb.	1,324 11 8
Fruit—			
Fresh...	℔ bushel, 1s.	39 bushels	1 19 0
Bottled	℔ doz. qts., 2s.	123 dozen quarts.	12 6 0
Dried...	℔ lb., 2d.	375,562 lb.	3,129 13 8
Edible Nuts (Almonds)	" 1d.	663 "	2 15 3
Gasoline	℔ gallon, 6d.	24 gallons	0 12 0
Gelatine	℔ lb., 1d.	152 lb.	0 12 8
Glucose—			
Solid	℔ cwt., 5s.	22 cwt.	5 10 0
Liquid	" 3s. 4d.	779 c. 3 q. 17 lb.	129 19 8
Glue	℔ lb., 1d.	406 lb.	1 13 10

No. 30.—Goods on which Drawback was obtained, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	Rate.	Quantity.	Amount.
Specific Import Duties—*continued.*			
			£ s.
Other Articles—*continued.*			
Grain, Pulse, &c.—			
Barley	℔ cental, 10d.	1,244 lb.	0 10
Beans and Peas	„ 10d.	9,449 „	3 18
Bran	„ 1s.	3,047 „	1 10
Cornflour and Maizena	℔ lb., 1d.	18,001 „	75 0
Flour...	℔ cental, 1s.	32,550 „	10 5
Oatmeal	℔ cwt, 2s.	8 cwt.	0 16
Oats	℔ cental, 10d.	52,329 lb.	21 16
Rice	℔ ton, 60s.	127t. 10c. 1q. 24lb.	382 11
Wheat	℔ cental, 10d.	917 lb.	0 7
Grease	℔ ton, 60s.	1t. 0c. 1q. 16lb.	3 1
Hay and Chaff	„ 10s.	17t. 17c. 2q. 18lb.	8 18
Honey	℔ lb., 1d.	208 lb.	0 17
Iron and Steel—			
Bolts, Nuts, &c.	℔ ton, 40s.	64t. 12c. 3q. 7lb.	129 5
Pig	„ 10s.	25t. 17c. 3q. 14lb.	12 18
Galvanised	„ 40s.	2,092t. 19c. 2q. 13lb.	4,185 19
Manufactures	„ 60s.	5t. 0c. 1q. 7lb.	15 0
Wire-netting	„ 30s.	97t. 14c. 2q. 26lb.	146 12
Jams and Jellies	℔ lb., 1d.	50,935 lb.	212 4
	„ 2d.	51,668 „	430 11
Lead—Sheet	℔ ton, 40s.	1t. 0c. 3q. 22lb.	2 1
Meat—			
Bacon and Ham	℔ lb. 2d.	31,794 lb.	264 19
Preserved	„ 1d.	51,201 „	213 6
Milk, condensed and preserved	„ 1d.	95,016 „	395 18
Oils (in bulk)—			
Kerosene	℔ gallon, 6d.	54,615 gallons	1,365 7
	„ 3d.	36,284 „	453 11
Other	„ 6d.	79,474 „	1,986 17
	„ 3d.	24,148 „	301 17
In bottle—			
Quarts	℔ doz., 1s. 6d.	66 dozen quarts	4 19
Pints	„ 9d.	20 „ pints	0 15
Half-pints...	„ 6d.	577 „ half pints	14 8
Onions	℔ cwt, 1s.	10c. 2q.	0 10
Paints and Colours (in oil)	℔ ton, 60s.	151t. 10c. 0q. 13lb.	454 10
Paper, &c.—			
Advertising matter	℔ cwt., 15s.	23c. 0q. 11lb.	17 6
Brown and Wrapping	„ 3s.	20c. 0q. 13lb.	3 0
Bags—Plain	„ 7s. 6d.	8c. 1q. 26lb.	3 3
Pickles and Sauces	℔ doz. qts., 1s.	111 dozen quarts	5 11
	℔ doz. pts., 6d.	1,423 „ pints	35 11
Playing Cards	℔ doz. packs, 3s.	121 „ packs.	18 3
Potatoes	℔ ton, 10s.	9c. 3q. 23lb.	0 5
Preserves, &c.	℔ lb., 2d.	15,787 lb.	131 11
	„ 1d.	48,471 „	201 19
Putty	℔ ton, 20s.	12c. 2q. 23lb.	0 12
Salt	„ 20s.	489t. 3c. 2q. 1lb.	489 3
Soap—			
Fancy, Toilet, and Scented	℔ lb., 2d.	1,152 lb.	9 12
Common	℔ cwt., 3s.	17c. 3q. 3lb.	2 15
Starch	℔ lb., 1d.	11,969 lb.	49 [illegible]
Sugar—			
Refined	℔ cwt., 6s. 8d.	141c. 2q. 3lb.	47 [illegible]
Raw	„ 5s.	9,449c. 2q. 19lb.	2,36[illegible]
Molasses	„ 3s. 4d.	79c. 2q. 26lb.	[illegible]
Size	℔ lb., 1d.	448 lb.	

No. 30.—Goods on which Drawback was obtained, 1896—*continued.*

Article.	Rate.	Quantity.	Amount.
Specific Import Duties—*continued.*			
er Articles—*continued.*			£ s. d.
Timber—			
Doors	each, 2s.	1,221 No.	122 2 0
Dressed	℔ 100 ft. sup., 3s.	152,053 sup. ft.	228 1 7
Rough	„ 1s. 6d.	882,792 „	662 1 11
Laths	℔ 1,000 9d.	367,130 No.	13 15 4
Palings	℔ 100 1s.	500 „	0 5 0
Varnish—			
Containing spirit	℔ gallon, 2s.	354 gallons	35 8 0
Not containing spirit...	„ 1s.	1,321 „	66 1 0
Vegetables—Preserved	℔ lb., 1d.	17,333 lb.	72 4 5
Vinegar	℔ gallon, 6d.	611 gallons	15 5 6
Whiting and Chalk	℔ ton, 10s.	2t. 5c.	1 2 6
Zinc	„ 60s.	4c. 1q. 18lb.	0 13 3
Total "Other Articles"	.....	..... £	23,648 9 4
Total Specific Import Duties	.....	..... £	25,778 5 6
Ad Valorem Duties.			
			£ s. d.
At 10 per cent.	.....	.....	4,836 17 3
At 15 per cent.	.....	.....	2,816 14 0
Total Ad Valorem Duties	.....	..... £	7,653 11 3
Excise Duties.			
			£ s. d.
Beer	℔ gallon, 3d.	5,648 gallons	70 12 0
Total Excise Duties...	.....	..... £	70 12 0
Summary.			
Customs (Import) Duties—			£ s. d.
Specific—			
Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c.			2,129 16 2
Other Articles			23,648 9 4
Total ... ... £			25,778 5 6
Ad Valorem Duties			7,653 11 3
Total Import Drawback ... ... £			33,431 16 9
Excise Duties			70 12 0
Total Import and Excise Drawback ... ... £			33,502 8 9

No. 31.—Goods on which Refunds were obtained, 1896.

Article.	Amount.	Article.	Amou
SPECIFIC IMPORT DUTIES.			
Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c.—	£ s. d.	Other Articles—*continued.*	£
Ale and Beer—		Glucose—	
In bottle	30 3 3	Liquid	4
In wood	50 1 9	Grain, Pulse, &c.—	
Spirits—		Oatmeal	4
Brandy	15 1 9	Peas and Beans	24
Geneva	5 16 0	Rice	198
Liqueurs	4 6 8	Hay and Chaff	19
Rum	2 0 8	Iron and Steel—	
Whisky	28 7 4	Wire—galvanised (barbed)	1
Perfumed	148 7 0	Jams and Jellies	0
All other	5 16 5	Meat—Bacon and Ham	20
Bitters, 75 per cent. proof spirit	0 15 9	Milk, condensed and preserved	8
Essences, 25 per cent. proof spirit	0 9 0	Oils in Bulk—	
Wines—		Kerosene	24
Still	76 6 2	Other	122
Sparkling	4 0 1	Onions	13
Tobacco, manufactured, and Snuff	26 3 1	Paints and Colours	1
Tobacco, unmanufactured	107 4 0	Paper—	
Cigars	0 6 0	Advertising matter	20
Total, Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c. £	505 4 11	Pickles and Sauces	6
Other Articles—		Potatoes	6
Acid, Acetic	1 2 6	Preserves	2
Arms, Ammunition, &c.—		Salt	4,057
Dynamite and Lithofracteur	1 5 0	Seeds	6
Butter	22 19 4	Stearine	4
Candles	0 12 0	Spirit, Methylated	1
Cheese	7 5 6	Sugar (raw)	86
Confectionery	10 11 8	Timber—	
Farinaceous Foods	0 3 9	Dressed	13
Fish (dried and preserved)	4 4 7	Undressed	370
Fruit—		Vinegar	0
Fresh	2 12 0	Total "Other Articles" £	5,108
Dried	43 3 8		
Boiled, &c.	1 4 0	Total, Specific Import Duties £	5,613
Edible Nuts—Almonds	1 8 0		

AD VALOREM DUTIES.

	£
At 10 per cent.	483
At 15 per cent.	8
Total, Ad Valorem Duties £	492

EXCISE DUTIES.

	£
Beer	1,231
Tobacco	135
Total, Excise Duties £	1,366

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS.

	£
Harbour and Light Rates	55
Pilotage Rates	640
Tonnage Dues	65
Removal Dues	36
Chinese Restriction	100
Bond Rent	119
Total, Miscellaneous Receipts £	1,017

SUMMARY.

	£
Refunds—	
Customs (Import) Duties—	
Specific—	
Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c.	505
Other Articles	5,108
Total £	5,613
Ad Valorem	492
Total Import Refunds £	6,105
Excise Duties	1,366
Miscellaneous Receipts	1,017
Total Refunds £	8,488

Refunds of duties overpaid or erroneously charged will not be paid unless claimed within five years. Refu on beer which has been spoiled or become unfit for use after removal from the brewery.

No. 32.—Principal Stocks in Bonding Warehouses on 31st December, 1896.

Article.	Quantity.
Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c.	
Ale and Beer—	
In bottle ...	72,528 gallons.
In wood ...	115,177 „
Spirits—	
Brandy ...	160 hhd., 2,334 qr., 474 oct., 21,935 cases.
Geneva ...	4 qr., 11,537 cases.
Gin ...	1 „ 4,384 „
Liqueurs...	2,487 cases.
Rum ...	1 punch, 401 hhd., 937 qr., 70 oct., 2,438 cases.
Schnapps ...	10,703 cases.
Whisky ...	213 hhd., 3,493 qr., 1,015 oct., 59,364 cases.
White Spirits ...	4 punch., 98 hhd., 66 qrs. 12 oct.
Sarsaparilla ...	398 gallons.
All other...	1 punch., 3 qr., 9 oct., 1,103 cases.
Wines—	
Sparkling ...	3,882 cases.
Still ...	34 hhd., 1,872 qr., 243 oct., 9,686 cases.
Opium ...	120 cases.
Tobacco—	
Manufactured ...	76 qr. tierces, 271 boxes, 3,165 cases.
Leaf ...	524 hhd., 376 casks, 56 cases, 143 bales.
Cigars ...	924 cases, 27 packages.
Other Articles.	
Candles ...	1,080,829 lb.
Confectionery ...	37,640 lb.
Fruit—Dried ...	1,380,073 lb.
Jams and Jellies ...	252,537 lb.
Oil—Kerosene ...	48,053 cases.
Preserves ...	102,792 lb.
Sugar ...	1,100 tons.

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PART IV.—LAND SETTLEMENT.

). 1.—Alienation and Occupation of Land in New South Wales on 31st December, 1896.

ALIENATION.	Acres.	Acres.
granted and sold by private tender and public auction (ranging om 5s. to 20s. per acre) prior to the year 1862	7,146,579	
old by auction and other forms of sale, 1862–1896, inclusive ...	14,388,649	
old under system of Conditional Purchase for which deeds were sued, 1862–1896, inclusive	2,773,065	
granted under "Volunteer Land Regulations of 1867," to 31st ecember, 1896	*167,945	
ledicated for public and religious purposes, 1862–1896, inclusive ...	236,701	
Total area covered by deeds or dedication	24,712,939	
IN PROCESS OF ALIENATION.		
under system of Conditional Purchase, standing good on 31st ecember, 1896	20,212,812	
under system of Homestead Selections, including Conditional urchases converted	331,717	
al area alienated and in process of alienation on 31st December, 1896	.....	45,257,468

OCCUPATION.		Acres.	
ield under Pastoral Leases			52,706,670
" Occupation Licenses—	Ordinary ...	32,897,227	40,210,241
	Preferential ...	7,313,014	
" Homestead Leases			10,429,261
" Conditional Leases†	Gazetted	12,486,322	13,260,052
	Not gazetted ...	773,730	
" Settlement Leases			542,778
" Improvement Leases			1,861,922
" Annual Leases			5,873,263
" Scrub Leases			215,455
" Snow Land Leases			112,670
" Special Leases			19,026
" Inferior Land Leases			364,336
" Artesian Well Leases			357,923
" Residential Leases on Mineral Fields			1,706
" Mining Act—			
Mineral and Auriferous Leases ...		74,035	†97,031
Permits to mine under Reserves ...		22,996	
" Church and School Lands Act—			
Pastoral		244,071	255,456
Mining		904	
Agriculture		10,454	
Building		27	
otal area under lease on 31st December, 1896			126,307,790
rea neither alienated nor leased (includes, however, areas under Reserves for Public Purposes, Roads, Streets, and Travelling Stock Routes)			24,316,892
Area of New South Wales exclusive of water ‡			195,882,150

djusted figures.

he area is exclusive of Crown Lands held by virtue of Miners' Rights, Mineral Licenses, and Business Licenses, of which is not known.

he total area of the Colony as recently computed is 198,634,980 acres.

No. 2.—Land Sales during 1896.

AUCTION AND OTHER SALES AND DEDICATIONS.

Class of Sale.	Eastern Division.		Central Division.		Western Division.		Total, New South Wales	
	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.
Auction—								
Town Lots	261	101	221	85	6	3	488	
Suburban Lots	163	529	81	159	..	....	244	
Country Lots	259	5,070	65	6,060	1	85	325	1
Total	683	5,700	367	6,304	7	88	1,057	1
After Auction—								
Town Lots	229	83	150	63	5	1	384	
Suburban Lots	140	593	49	196	4	10	193	
Country Lots	47	856	3	65	....	....	50	
Total	416	1,532	202	324	9	11	627	
Improvement Purchases	21	8	55	450	11	8	87	
Special Purchases (Ex. Land, Sec. 42, Act 1889)	41	209	5	52	..	....	46	
Dedications—								
For Public Purposes	..	.....	..	....	..	....	182	
For Religious Purposes	..	.....	..	....	..	....	2	
Volunteer Land Orders	..	.....	..	....	..	....	1	
Gross Area alienated by Auction and other Sales, 1896							2,602	

CONDITIONAL PURCHASES.

Applications Received and Confirmed.

Applications Received—								
Ordinary Lands	630	65,998	317	89,644	1	660	948	1
Special Areas	218	19,285	113	23,863	..	....	331	
Total applications received	848	85,283	430	113,507	1	660	1,279	1
Applications Confirmed—								
Ordinary Lands	245	21,512	89	32,189	1	629	335	
Special Areas	144	12,622	67	12,887	..	....	211	
Total applications confirmed	389	34,134	156	45,076	1	629	546	

Disallowances, Forfeitures, &c.

Disallowed	132	15,700	107	27,529	..	....	239	
Declared Forfeited—								
For non-fulfilment of required conditions	312	33,829	58	13,456	1	107	371	
For non-payment of balance, interest, and instalment of purchase-money	68	6,590	3	596	1	200	72	
Reduced in Area—								
Under 1861 Act	..	638	..	337	..	1	....	
Under 1884 Act	..	486	..	1,344	..	30	....	
Converted into homestead selections	43	5,436	1	111	..	....	44	
Total Disallowances, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..	726	1
Forfeited C.P.'s, the forfeitures of which have been reversed	12	1,732	1	640	..	....	13	
Increased in Area—								
Under 1861 Act	..	105	..	21	..	....	....	
Under 1884 Act	..	1,127	..	424	..	....	....	
Total Decisions reversed	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	
Net Disallowances, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..	713	1

HOMESTEAD SELECTIONS.

Applications received	580	80,963	583	267,525	24	14,386	1,187	1
,, confirmed	515	68,510	533	242,277	32	14,055	1,100	1
,, disallowed	102	17,064	159	84,292	1	534	[illegible]	

No. 3.—Transfers of Conditional Purchases, 1889–96.

Transfers of Conditional Purchases.—The number of transfers intimated to the Treasury during 1896 was 8,618, racing 16,509 C.P.'s, but as considerable numbers were transferred more than once during the year, the number Conditional Purchases actually transferred was reduced to 11,264.

Year.	Counted once every time the transfers were made.		Actually transferred.	
	Transfers.	Conditional Purchases.	Area.	Conditional Purchases.
	No.	No.	acres.	No.
9	10,741	22,138	2,327,562	14,395
0	9,439	19,798	1,863,508	13,392
1	11,494	24,536	2,333,808	16,727
2	9,861	19,695	2,060,130	14,017
3	8,324	16,981	1,825,097	12,581
4	7,949	15,489	1,617,263	11,235
5	8,243	16,099	1,785,011	11,517
6	8,618	16,509	1,777,783	11,264

No. 4.—Occupation: Leases at close of 1895 and 1896, compared.

Division.	1895.		1896.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.
	Acres.	£	Acres.	£	Acres.	£	Acres.	£
PASTORAL LEASES.								
stern Division	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....
ntral Division	14,814,475	161,910	14,060,881	152,767	.....	....	753,594	9,143
stern Division	38,612,218	179,268	38,645,789	166,493	33,571	....	.....	12,775
Total	53,426,693	341,178	52,706,670	319,260	33,571	....	753,594	21,918
OCCUPATION LICENSES.								
ORDINARY.								
stern Division	3,671,019	10,567	4,785,594	11,842	1,114,575	1,275	.....	....
ntral Division	6,399,972	33,539	5,832,800	30,805	.....	....	567,172	2,734
stern Division	23,426,621	42,097	22,278,833	26,356	.....	....	1,147,788	15,741
PREFERENTIAL.								
stern Division	3,580,773	18,673	3,674,573	17,482	93,800	....	.....	1,191
ntral Division	3,738,899	18,851	3,638,441	26,924	.....	8,073	100,458	....
Total	40,817,284	123,727	40,210,241	113,409	1,208,375	9,348	1,815,418	19,666
HOMESTEAD LEASES.								
stern Division	10,250,437	68,974	10,429,261	68,686	178,824	....	.....	288
CONDITIONAL LEASES.								
GAZETTED.								
stern Division	4,764,030	57,941	4,806,270	58,149	42,240	208	.....	....
ntral Division	7,330,354	88,598	7,437,970	89,094	107,616	1,096	.....	....
stern Division	243,808	2,541	242,082	2,519	.....	....	1,726	22
NOT GAZETTED—UNDER PROVISIONAL RENT.								
stern Division	355,761	2,965	402,383	3,353	46,622	388	.....	....
ntral Division	259,250	2,160	371,347	3,094	112,097	934	.....	....
stern Division	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....
Total	12,953,203	154,205	13,260,052	156,809	308,575	2,626	1,726	22
SETTLEMENT LEASES.								
stern Division	.....	....	9,576	115	9,576	115	.....	....
ntral Division	.....	....	498,168	6,403	498,168	6,403	.....	....
stern Division	.....	....	35,034	242	35,034	242	.....	....
Total	.....	....	542,778	6,760	542,778	6,760	.....	....
IMPROVEMENT LEASES.								
stern Division	.....	....	127,956	205	127,956	205	.....	....
ntral Division	.....	....	610,353	1,175	610,353	1,175	.....	....
stern Division	.....	....	1,123,613	1,022	1,123,613	1,022	.....	....
Total	.....	....	1,861,922	2,402	1,861,922	2,402	.....	....

No. 4.—Occupation: Leases at close of 1895 and 1896, compared—*continu*

Division.	1895.		1896.		Increase.		Decrea	
	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.	Area.	R
	Acres.	£	Acres.	£	Acres.	£	Acres.	
ANNUAL LEASES.								
Eastern Division	4,676,669	31,112	4,967,079	32,579	290,410	1,467	.....	
Central Division	806,786	7,898	819,883	7,651	13,097	....	.....	
Western Division	80,847	499	86,301	523	5,454	24	.....	
Total	5,564,302	39,509	5,873,263	40,753	308,961	1,491	.....	
SCRUB LEASES.								
Eastern Division	3,667	33	3,727	33	60	....	.....	
Central Division	100,199	150	194,297	211	94,098	61	.....	
Western Division	17,431	90	17,431	90	.....	....	.....	
Total	121,297	273	215,455	334	94,158	61	.....	
SNOW LAND LEASES.								
Eastern Division	82,980	618	112,670	774	29,690	156	.....	
SPECIAL LEASES.								
Eastern Division	3,351	12,498	5,111	12,890	1,760	392	.....	
Central Division	5,073	1,090	5,954	1,122	881	32	.....	
Western Division	5,920	1,040	7,961	1,073	2,041	33	.....	
Total	14,344	14,628	19,026	15,085	4,682	457	.....	
INFERIOR LAND LEASES.								
Eastern Division	166,099	235	41,960	75	.....	....	124,139	
Central Division	112,426	96	112,426	97	.....	1	...	
Western Division	209,950	89	209,950	89	.....	....	.. ..	
Total	488,475	420	364,336	261	.....	1	124,139	
ARTESIAN WELL LEASES.								
Western Division only	337,443	939	357,923	996	20,480	57	.....	
RESIDENTIAL LEASES ON MINERAL FIELDS.								
Eastern Division	1,223	185	1,392	202	169	17	.....	
Central Division	200	43	204	40	4	....	.....	
Western Division	160	28	110	19	.....	....	50	
Total	1,583	256	1,706	261	173	17	50	
CHURCH AND SCHOOL LANDS.								
Eastern Division	262,574	8,966	255,456	8,890	.....	....	7,118	
Total under Lands Department ..	124,320,615	753,693	126,210,759	734,680	1,890,144	....	.....	
MINERAL AND AURIFEROUS LEASES.								
Total under Mines Department ..	91,978	19,824	97,031	29,662	5,053	9,838	.....	
Total Government Lands Leased ..	124,412,593	773,517	126,307,790	764,342	1,895,197	....	.....	

No. 5.—Particulars of Auction and Other Sales.

s of Alienation.—Crown Lands may be acquired by (1) Auction Sale and after Auction, (2) virtue of Improvements, 3) Special Purchase, (4) virtue of Volunteer Land Orders, (5) Exchange, (6) Dedication, (7) Conditional Purchase, and 8) Homestead Selection.

...ions in ...h Land ...y be ...quired.	Authority.	Limit of Area.	Minimum Price.	Remarks.
		AUCTION SALES.—Payment to be completed within three months.		
...rn, ...tral, ...stern.	Act 1884, sections 61 and 62, and Regulations 131 and 132.	Town lots, ¼-acre; Suburban lots, 20 acres; Country Lots, 640 acres.	The upset price is fixed by the Minister for Lands, but is limited by law at not less than £8 per acre for Town, £2 10s. for Suburban, and £1 5s. for Country lots. Twenty-five per cent. of the purchase money must be paid at the time of sale, and the balance within three months, otherwise the sale may be declared void and the deposit forfeited.	Crown Lands not exceeding 200,000 acres in the aggregate for the whole Colony may be sold by auction annually. Town and Suburban Lands are areas within the boundaries proclaimed Town and Suburban Boundaries. Areas outside these limits are treated as Country lands.
		AUCTION SALES.—Deferred Payment system.		
...tern, ...tral, ...stern.	Section 61 of the Act of 1884 & Balances Act of 1887, and Regulations 131 and 132.	Town Lots, ¼-acre; Suburban Lots, 20 acres. Areas outside these boundaries, that have been or may ...reafter be sub-divided into areas not exceeding ...acres, pursuant to section 61 of the Act of 1884.	The Minister for Lands may make special terms of payment, but the minimum price for each class of land must not be less than that given above, and in every case a deposit of 25 per cent. must be paid at the time of sale.	Deferred payments bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum. The time fixed for the final payment must not in any case exceed five years from date of sale.
		AFTER AUCTION SALES.		
	Under section 56 of the Crown Lands Act of 1895 provision is made for the sale of Town and Suburban land, and land within Population Areas, which may have been offered for sale by auction and not sold. The price and terms of payment shall be the same as those attached to the last offer by auction. The granting of such applications is optional with the Minister.			
		IMPROVEMENT PURCHASES.		
...tern, ...tral, ...stern.	Act of 1884, section 46, and Regulations 136 to 138.	Inside Town Boundaries, ¼-acre; Outside Town Boundaries, maximum 1 acre. Applications made prior to the ...of 1884 becoming law are dealt with under ...Act of 1875, under which the maximum area ...ailable for purchase was 640 acres.	£8 per acre for Town Land, £2 10s. per acre for Suburban or other land, or £2 10s. for any area less than 1 acre.	Persons who, by virtue of Miners' Rights or Business Licenses issued under the Mining Act, are in authorised occupation of, and reside on land within a proclaimed gold-field may, in consideration of improvements of a minimum value of £8 per acre for Town, and £2 10s. for Suburban and Country lands, purchase the land without competition, at the price to be fixed by the Local Land Board.
		SPECIAL PURCHASES.		
...rn, ...tral, ...stern.	Act of 1884, sections 63 to 68, Regulations 139 to 145.	Not fixed	As regards sections 63 and 66 minimum upset auction prices of each class of land; for sections 64 and 67, no minimum.	Crown Lands to which no way of access is attainable, or which are insufficient in area for Conditional Purchase, or are situated between granted land and a street which forms, or should form, the ...ay of approach to such granted land, may be sold to the holder in fee simple of the adjacent lands upon the ...ecommendation of the Minister or Land Board, without competition. Reservations of water frontage may be ...cluded, and the land sold without competition to the owner of the adjoining land. Permission may be given to ...e owner of freehold land having water frontage to reclaim land below high-water mark, which land may then be ...old to him without competition. Unnecessary roads may be sold without competition to the owners in fee simple ...f the adjoining land. In all of these cases the price is fixed by the Land Board.
		VOLUNTEER LAND ORDERS.		
...rn, ...tral.	Act of 1884, section 22, Regulation 146.	50 acres	....	Any person who was enrolled as a Volunteer between January, 1868, and April, 1878, and underwent five years continuous training, ...as entitled to a free grant of 50 acres of Crown Lands open for Conditional Purchase. These Orders could be ...ransferred by the holder.
		DEDICATIONS FOR PUBLIC PURPOSES.		
...tern, ...tral, ...stern.	Act of 1884, sections 104 to 106, "Lands for Public Purposes Acquisition Act" (44 Vic., No. 16).	The Governor may, by notice in the *Government Gazette*, dedicate Crown Lands for any public purpose set forth in section 104 of the Act of 1884, and the "Lands for Public Purposes Acquisition Act" (44 Vic., No. 16).		
		DEDICATIONS FOR RELIGIOUS PURPOSES.		
...tern, ...tral, ...stern.	By a resolution of the Legislative Assembly of 11th May, 1880, this form of dedication was discontinued. Those lands dedicated subsequent to that date were in pursuance of promises previously made.			
		EXCHANGES.		
...rn, ...tral, ...stern.	Act of 1889, section 56. Act of 1895, section 47.	.....	Transactions under this head are chiefly confined to land, being exchanged for land without any monetary consideration.	The Governor may, after inquiry and report by the Land Board, accept from the holder the surrender of any land for which he holds or is entitled to demand a Grant, and may grant him in ...xchange an equal area of Crown Land. The Governor may, after similar inquiry and report, acquire by purchase ...r exchange land held under any tenure, which may be required for purposes of access or approach to any natural ...ater, tank, dam, or any like purpose. The land exchanged must be of equal value.

No. 6.—Land Alienations, 1896.

Description.	Lots.	Area.	Average price per acre.	Lots.	Area.
	No.	a. r. p.	£ s. d.	No.	a. r. p.
Auction Sales—					
Town	488	188 3 1	30 8 1¾		
Suburban	244	683 2 5	5 7 6¾		
Country	325	11,214 3 6	2 5 11	1,057	12,092 0 12
After Auction Sales—					
Town	384	147 1 29	20 15 4¼		
Suburban	193	798 2 32	4 19 10¾		
Country	50	920 3 30	2 15 5¾	627	1,867 0 1
Improvement Purchases—					
Lots sold to owners of improvements	87	466 1 23	3 9 4	87	466 1 2
Special Purchases—					
Reclaimed lands	15	1 1 30	1,049 0 0		
Unnecessary roads	11	84 3 19	6 1 6		
Rescissions of reservation	3	1 1 9	134 3 4		
Newcastle Pasturage Reserve	....	.....	.....		
Other sales without competition	17	173 3 25	10 10 10	46	261 2
Dedications for Public and Religious Purposes				184	3,186 0
Volunteer Land Orders—Grants in virtue of				1	50 0
Total wholly alienated during the year				2,002	17,923 0
Conditional Purchases—Applications received during the year				1,279	199,450 0
Homestead Selections—Applications received during the year				1,187	362,874 0
Gross alienations during year (exclusive of resumptions by Crown)				4,468	580,247 0

Surrenders, Exchanges, and Road Resumptions.—Transactions under the two former are made under 46th section of the 1889 Act and the 47th section of the 1895 Act, and the latter under the 42nd section of the same Being merely land exchanged for land without any monetary consideration the extent of the area of Crown Lands is thereby affected.

Resumptions and Purchases.—The total alienations represent the gross area, no allowance being made for the of land and the resumptions and direct purchases made from private owners on behalf of the various departments particulars of which see Table No. 15.

No. 7.—Auction Sales during 1896.

Town Lots.								Suburban Lots.								Country Lots.								Total.							
Lots.	Area.			Price realised.				Lots.	Area.			Price realised.				Lots.	Area.			Price realised.				Lots.	Area.			Price realised.			
	a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.			a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.			a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.			a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.	
EASTERN DIVISION.																															
261	101	0	10¾	2,082	15	0		163	529	0	4½	2,968	3	6		259	5,070	0	8	14,733	14	4		683	5,700	0	23¼	19,784	12		
CENTRAL DIVISION.																															
221	84	3	30¼	3,569	1	0		81	159	2	0¼	734	16	0		65	6,059	2	38	10,592	0	9		367	6,304	0	29¼	14,896	17		
WESTERN DIVISION.																															
6	2	3	0	87	15	0		..	.....			.....				1	85	0	0	425	13	9		7	87	3	0	513			
NEW SOUTH WALES.																															
488	188	3	1¾	5,739	11	0		244	683	2	5	3,702	19	6		325	11,214	3	6	25,751	8	10		1,057	12,092	0	12¼	35,1[illegible]		1[illegible]	

No. 8.—After Auction Sales during 1896.

Town Lots.								Suburban Lots.								Country Lots.								Total.							
Lots.	Area.			Price realised.				Lots.	Area.			Price realised.				Lots.	Area.			Price realised.				Lots.	Area.			Price realised.			
	a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.			a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.			a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.			a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.	
EASTERN DIVISION.																															
229	83	1	17	1,639	5	0		140	392	3	12	1,058	6	3		47	855	3	26	2,389	12	8		416	1,732	0	36	7,078	3		
CENTRAL DIVISION.																															
150	62	3	11	1,351	15	0		49	195	3	20	881	0	0		3	65	0	4	163	2	6		202	323	2	35¼	2,395	17		
WESTERN DIVISION.																															
5	1	1	0	89	0	0		4	10	0	0	50	0	0		..	....			.....				9	11	1	0	139	0		
NEW SOUTH WALES.																															
384	147	1	29	3,062	0	0		193	798	2	32	3,989	6	3		50	920	3	30¼	2,552	15	2		627	1,867	0	11¼	9,616	1		

No. 9.—Improvement Purchases, 1896.

wn Lots.			Suburban Lots.				Country Lots.				Total.			
rea.	Price realised.		Lots.	Area.	Price realised.		Lots.	Area.	Price realised.		Lots.	Area.	Price realised.	
r. p.	£ s.	d.		a. r. p.	£ s.	d.		a. r. p.	£ s.	d.		a. r. p.	£ s.	d.
EASTERN DIVISION.														
2 27¾	114 10	0	8	5 3 0	39 12	0	..	.....	.....		21	8 1 27¾	154 2	0
CENTRAL DIVISION.														
1 12	644 18	0	8	5 2 8	131 4	0	2	433 2	0	569 12	6	55	450 1 20	1,345 14	6
WESTERN DIVISION.														
1 36	25 0	0	9	7 0 19½	92 10	0	..	.....	.....		11	7 2 15½	117 10	0
NEW SOUTH WALES.														
1 35¼	784 8	0	25	18 1 27½	263 6	0	2	433 2	0	569 12	6	87	466 1 23¼	1,617 6	6

No. 10.—Special Sales, 1896.

s of Reser- of Water ntage.			Reclamations.				Land to which no way of access is available or insufficient in area for Conditional Sale, &c.				Unnecessary Roads.				Exchanged as compensation for old road taken.			
.	Price.		Lots.	Area.	Price.		Lots.	Area.	Price.		Lots.	Area.	Price.		Lots.	Area.		
p.	£ s.	d.		a. r. p.	£ s.	d.		a. r. p.	£ s.	d.		a. r. p.	£ s.	d.		a. r. p.		
EASTERN DIVISION.																		
9¼	175 5	3	15	1 1 30¼	1,507 18	9	16	172 1 25¼	1,824 16	4	7	33 3 17	355 3	8	20	45 1	5	
CENTRAL DIVISION.																		
	.....		..	....	.....		1	1 2 0	9 0	6	4	51 0 2	160 10	6	1	9 3	0	
NEW SOUTH WALES.																		
9¼	175 5	3	15	1 1 30¼	1,507 18	9	17	173 3 25¼	1,833 16	10	11	84 3 19	515 14	2	21	55 0	5	

No. 11.—Dedications of Land during 1896.

ses of Dedications.	Grants.	Area.			Purposes of Dedications.	Grants.	Area.		
oses—	No.	a.	r.	p.	Public Purposes *(continued)*—	No.	a.	r.	p.
ch ool	106	209	2	31½	Public Recreation and Access ..	1	1	0	13
all	2	0	2	20	Public Landing Place	1	0	2	36¾
es' Institute	10	2	3	23¾	Athletic Sports	1	10	0	0
e	2	12	0	0					
Cemeteries	23	159	2	14¼	Total Public Purposes ..	182	3,183	3	25¾
nt Commons	2	1,408	1	34					
ecreation	17	393	0	24¾	Religious Purposes	2	1	3	38
tion of Graves	3	1	0	34					
ves	8	1,031	1	0	Volunteer Land Orders	1	50	0	0
ounds	4	28	2	3					
eservoir	1	12	2	30	Total Dedications	185	3,235	3	22¾
edation House	1	2	0	0					

No. 12.—Land Alienation by Auction and Special Sales, 1875–96.

Year.	Auction Sales.		Improvement Purchases.		Special Purchases.		Total.		Av 1 pe
	Area.	Amount represented by sales.	Area.	Amount represented by sales.	Area.	Amount represented by sales.	Area.	Amount represented by sales.	
	acres.	£	acres.	£	acres.	£	acres.	£	£
1875	983,442	1,014,951	49,852	50,723	262	1,347	1,033,556	1,067,021	1
1876	1,690,528	1,729,552	86,099	87,620	166	1,605	1,776,793	1,818,777	1
1877	1,830,996	1,855,749	159,849	172,138	2	111	1,990,847	2,027,998	1
1878	862,988	1,086,622	224,841	229,656	52	529	1,087,881	1,316,807	1
1879	355,569	462,818	121,062	126,798	564	751	477,195	590,367	1
1880	*388,061	478,208	237,646	243,026	225	1,508	625,932	722,742	1
1881	*854,752	996,415	474,098	487,694	55	797	1,328,905	1,484,906	1
1882	*858,735	1,068,317	165,030	175,236	50	3,558	1,023,815	1,247,111	1
1883	*61,683	133,157	103,774	116,219	660	3,135	166,117	252,511	1
1884	41,544	125,896	252,127	302,315	506	5,125	294,177	433,336	1
1885	2,648	74,468	292,257	367,990	119	3,853	295,024	446,311	1
1886	60,353	140,635	227,560	294,458	149	2,649	288,062	437,742	1
1887	107,374	235,100	125,043	162,127	539	11,787	232,956	409,014	1
1888	105,485	273,613	59,833	86,440	875	21,833	157,193	381,886	2
1889	22,589	94,181	16,144	43,632	1,493	10,380	40,226	148,193	3
1890	68,683	141,677	14,333	42,388	634	10,496	83,650	194,561	2
1891	47,105	141,551	3,270	23,473	502	2,757	50,877	167,781	3
1892	82,981	310,718	454	9,795	176	1,967	83,611	322,480	3
1893	96,219	223,376	2,392	5,531	233	8,052	98,844	236,959	2
1894	44,794	105,162	5,159	10,543	446	4,497	50,399	120,202	2
1895	†21,886	61,180	148	1,504	538	4,721	22,572	67,405	2
1896	†13,959	44,798	466	1,617	261	4,033	14,686	50,448	3

* Including land selected after auction under the 1880 Act. † Including land selected after auction under the

No. 13.—Alienation by all Forms of Sale and Dedication, 1875–96.

Year.	Area wholly Alienated by—					Conditional Purchases Applications made during year.	Homestead Selections—Applications made during year.	Tot
	Auction Sales.	Improvement Purchases.	Special Purchases.	Dedications (Public and Religious Purposes).	Volunteer Land Orders.			
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	
1875	983,442	49,852	262	673	14,498	1,756,678	.....	2,8
1876	1,690,528	86,099	166	5,557	18,758	1,984,212	.....	3,7
1877	1,830,996	159,849	2	2,899	14,079	1,699,816	.....	3,7
1878	862,988	224,841	52	1,811	13,022	1,588,248	.....	2,6
1879	355,569	121,062	564	21,762	26,506	924,136	.....	1,4
1880	*388,061	237,646	225	20,637	18,886	1,147,002	.....	1,8
1881	*854,752	474,098	55	7,113	13,876	2,329,202	.....	3,6
1882	*858,735	165,030	50	1,969	5,649	2,392,218	.....	3,4
1883	*61,683	103,774	660	2,535	4,358	1,617,712	.....	1,7
1884	41,544	252,127	506	6,625	4,500	1,453,937	.....	1,7
1885	2,648	292,257	119	481	1,936	1,165,351	.....	1,4
1886	60,353	227,560	149	11,100	740	963,197	.....	1,2
1887	107,374	125,043	539	5,377	1,797	793,004	.....	1,0
1888	105,485	50,833	875	3,310	1,433	865,199	.....	1,0
1889	22,589	16,144	1,493	1,902	783	903,160	.....	9
1890	68,683	14,333	634	1,566	882	1,713,577	.....	1,7
1891	47,105	3,270	502	916	1,100	1,303,094	.....	1,3
1892	82,981	454	176	8,735	590	816,399	.....	9
1893	96,219	2,392	233	5,833	350	533,805	.....	6
1894	44,794	5,159	446	41,678	Nil.	414,355	.....	5
1895	†21,886	148	538	7,591	50	253,431	62,576	3
1896	†13,959	466	261	3,186	50	199,450	362,874	5

* Including land selected after auction under the 1880 Act. † Including land selected after auction under the

NOTE.—No allowance has been made in the returns for resumptions and purchases of land made on behalf Departments, for returns of which see Table No. 15.

No. 14.—Land Resumptions and Purchases, 1890–96.

d acquired by the State.—Land may be acquired by resumption, by purchase, by exchange, by surrender, and esumptions are made under the "Public Works Act" (51 Vic. No. 37), the "Lands for Public Purposes Acqui- ' (44 Vic. No. 16), and the Crown Lands Acts of 1884 and 1889. All resumptions, other than those made by the ' Public Instruction and the Commissioners for Railways, are dealt with by the Government Land Valuer.

Year.	Resumptions and Purchases.	Gifts.	Total.
	a. r. p.	a. r. p.	a. r. p.
... ...	4,534 0 28	14 2 34	4,540 3 22
... ...		2 0 0	
... ...	1,339 0 32 3/8	4 0 8 1/4	1,343 1 0 17/40
... ...	485 2 32	5 3 8	491 2 0
... ...	1,354 0 30 1/8	Nil.	1,354 0 30 1/8
... ...	1,179 0 4 2/15	3 5 3/4	1,183 3 9 43/60
... ...	2,195 2 3 117/200	4 0 35 3/20	2,199 2 38 121/160

No. 15.—Land Resumptions and Purchases during 1896.

Purpose.	Area.	Purpose.	Area.
	a. r. p.		a. r. p.
... ...	0 0 17	Railways	1,829 1 37 1/3
, Punts, and Ferries ...	15 3 17 3/8	Reclamation Works	6 3 26 3/4
Extension	6 2 33	Roads	4 1 26
ry	10 0 0	River Bank Protection ...	0 2 3
ouse and Police Barracks	0 2 7 1/4	Sewerage, Drainage, &c. ...	6 1 39 11/16
rgical Works	0 3 39	Stormwater Channel	6 2 18 3/8
d Telegraph Office ...	3 2 25 17/40	Water Supply	226 0 37
Schools	55 0 20 3/4	Weir	2 2 15
... ...	14 2 33	Wharfage and Approaches ...	8 3 2 1/2

No. 16.—Particulars relating to Conditional Purchases and Homestead Select

Land available for Conditional Purchase.—Lands held under the following forms of lease are not available for conditional purchase:—pastoral, homestead, conditional, scrub, snow-land, special, inferior, and artesian well, mineral, and auriferous; also, the area in the Western Division is not available for ordinary conditional purchase; only lands that can be conditionally purchased are the unoccupied lands outside reservations and areas under occupation license and annual lease in the Eastern and Central Divisions, and lands under conditional lease, if not within reserves, be applied for as conditional purchases by the holders thereof.

Divisions in which Land may be acquired.	Authority.	Limit of Area.	Price.	Remarks.
		CONDITIONAL PURCHASES—Ordinary Residential.		
Eastern ..	Acts 1884 and 1889 and amending Acts passed subsequent to the Act of 1884, including Act of 1895.	Maximum area, 640 acres; minimum area, 40 acres. The maximum can, however, be increased to 1,280 acres by converting a conditional lease into an additional conditional purchase.	£1 per acre—2s. per acre deposit, payable on making the application, and after an interval of three years, during which period no payment is required and interest is not charged, the balance, together with interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, is payable by annual instalments of 1s. per acre. The whole of the balance may be paid at selector's option, if he has obtained a certificate of conformity, after a continuous residence of five years from date of application in the case of selections made prior to the Act of 1895, or after ten years if subsequent thereto. The survey fee, according to prescribed scale, must be paid at the date of selection.	The holder of an ordinary residential conditional purchase [illegible] a conditional lease [illegible] times the area of his [illegible] tional purchase, [illegible] total area, including the leased, does not exceed [illegible] Under section [illegible] of the Act [illegible] the term of residence [illegible] with a new conditional [illegible] or a new additional [illegible] purchase in virtue of a [illegible] purchase under the repealed [illegible] or even under the Act [illegible] increased to ten years from date of application. Exemptions as to residence are [illegible] tion 30 of the Act of 1895.
Central ..	do ..	Maximum area, 2,560 acres; minimum area, 40 acres.	do do ..	The same provisions [illegible] conditional lease as to the [illegible] Division, excepting that the maximum area is 2,560 acres.
		CONDITIONAL PURCHASES—Ordinary Non-Residential.		
Eastern, Central.	Acts 1884 and 1889 and amending Acts passed subsequent to the Act of 1884.	Maximum area, 320 acres; minimum area, 40 acres.	The price per acre, deposit, and all subsequent instalments are double those prescribed for ordinary residential conditional purchases. The survey fee is the same as that for ordinary residential conditional purchases.	A non-residential conditional purchase does not entitle the [illegible] to a conditional lease [illegible] him from selecting at any time.
		CONDITIONAL PURCHASES—Special Areas outside Population or Suburban boundaries.		
Eastern ..	Acts of 1884 and 1889.	The minimum and maximum areas are specified in each proclamation, but the maximum area cannot exceed 320 acres.	Thirty shillings per acre and upwards, the price being fixed by proclamation in the *Government Gazette*. One-tenth of the purchase money is payable on application, one-twentieth at the expiration of three years, and a similar amount each year subsequently until the balance of the purchase money, with interest at 4 per cent., has been paid.	This system was first [illegible] under the Act of 1884. [illegible] ditions to be fulfilled are [illegible] those of the ordinary [illegible] purchase. No conditional [illegible] can be taken up in [illegible] and no conditional [illegible] Crown Lands [illegible] virtue of a conditional [illegible] within a special area.
Central ..	do ..	The minimum and maximum areas are specified in each proclamation, but the maximum area cannot exceed 640 acres.	do do	The same provisions as in the Eastern Division, with the [illegible] that a conditional [illegible] nary land can be taken up [illegible] of a conditional purchase [illegible] special area.
Western ..	do ..	do ..		The same provisions as in the Eastern Division.
		CONDITIONAL PURCHASES—Special Areas within Population or Suburban boundaries.		
Eastern, Central, Western.	Act of 1889 ..	Maximum and minimum areas are specified in the proclamations.	The conditions of payment are specified in the proclamations.	Conditions as to residence and other improvements [illegible] fied in the proclamations [illegible] lands within population or suburban boundaries [illegible] proclamation special areas [illegible] able for special area [illegible] purchase.

HOMESTEAD SELECTIONS.

Division.	Authority.	Limit of Area.	Conditions.
Eastern, Central, Western.	Act of 1895 [illegible]	[illegible] equal to [illegible] of [illegible] the residence of a family, but not [illegible] than [illegible] and 1,280 acres.	The applicant may take possession immediately after lodging his application, and shall continue to reside on the selection within three months after confirmation of the application, and thereafter continue for the first five years. The annual rent shall be paid 1½ per cent. of the capital value during the first years. At the expiration of that period a grant is issued, transfer land in perpetuity to the lessee, on the payment annually of a rent equal per cent. of the capital value. Provision is made for a revaluation selection by the Government every ten years.

An applicant may appoint a deputy to fulfil the residential conditions during the five years prior to the issue of the subject to the approval of the Local Land Board, but the applicant will be required to pay an annual rent equ per cent. on the capital value during the betterment period and effect greater improvements, but on grant his residence on the selection must be continuous for such period, not less than 7 months in each year, be determined by the Governor.

7.—Conditional Purchases: Ordinary and Special Areas applied for during 1896.

l Conditional rchases.		Additional Conditional Purchases.			Non-residential Conditional Purchases.			Total.		
rea.	Deposit.	No.	Area.	Deposit.	No.	Area.	Deposit.	No.	Area.	Deposit.
res.	£		Acres.	£		Acres.	£		Acres.	£
				EASTERN DIVISION.						
,709	6,935	277	29,530	3,343	19	1,044	217	848	85,283	10,495
				CENTRAL DIVISION.						
,968	6,560	214	62,835	6,595	3	704	212	430	113,507	13,367
				WESTERN DIVISION.						
....	.....	1	660	66	...	.....	.....	1	660	66
				NEW SOUTH WALES.						
,677	13,495	492	93,025	10,004	22	1,748	429	1,279	199,450	23,928

No. 18.—Conditional Purchases: Disallowances, &c., 1896.

Particulars.	No.	Area.	Particulars.	No.	Area.
al Purchases—		Acres.	Conditional Purchases on which Decisions were reversed—		Acres.
ed	355	*68,940	Forfeited Conditional Purchases (the forfeiture of which has been reversed)	13	2,372
l Forfeited	443	54,689	Increased in area...	...	1,678
l in area	...	2,837			
d into Homestead ions	44	5,548			
al Disallowances, &c. ...	842	132,014	Total Decisions reversed, &c.	13	4,050
			Net Disallowances, Voidances, &c.	829	127,964

ures include the disallowance of Conditional Purchases applied for prior to 1st January, 1896, which were not disposed of by the Land Boards at that time.

19.—Conditional Purchases: Special Areas applied for during 1896.

l Conditional rchases.		Additional Conditional Purchases.			Non-residential Conditional Purchases.			Total.		
rea.	Deposit.	No.	Area.	Deposit.	No.	Area.	Deposit.	No.	Area.	Deposit.
res	£		Acres.	£		Acres.	£		Acres.	£
				EASTERN DIVISION.						
,963	2,860	60	5,237	914	1	85	26	218	19,285	3,800
				CENTRAL DIVISION.						
,966	3,460	29	4,313	686	2	584	188	113	23,863	4,334
				NEW SOUTH WALES.						
,929	6,320	89	9,550	1,600	3	669	214	331	43,148	8,134

No. 20.—Special Areas: Lands Proclaimed and Selected, from 1st January, 1 to 31st December, 1896.

Area available for Selection.	Area Selected.	Area Unselected on 31st December, 1896.	Class of Land.	Proporti Area Sel to Are available Selecti
a. r. p.	a. r. p.	a. r. p.		per ce
Eastern Division.				
119,143 2 27½	75,342 1 12	43,801 1 15½	Suburban or Population	63
453,227 3 33	369,986 0 18	83,241 3 15	Country	81
572,371 2 20½	445,328 1 30	127,043 0 30½	.....	76
Central Division.				
41,303 3 23	34,520 0 20	6,783 3 3	Suburban or Population	83
522,634 2 9	426,982 1 20	95,652 0 29	Country	81
563,938 1 32	461,502 2 0	102,435 3 32	.....	82
Western Division.				
120 0 0	80 0 0	40 0 0	Suburban or Population	6
14,040 2 0	2,309 3 0	11,730 3 0	Country	16
14,160 2 0	2,389 3 0	11,770 3 0	.....	17
NEW SOUTH WALES.				
160,567 2 10½	109,942 1 32	50,625 0 18½	Suburban or Population	68
989,903 0 2	799,278 0 38	190,624 3 4	Country	81
1,150,470 2 12½	909,220 2 30	241,249 3 22½	.....	

1.—Conditional Purchases: Applications made and confirmed, and Deeds issued, 1862–96.

Year.	Applications made.		Applications confirmed.		Area for which Deeds have been issued.	
	Number.	Area.	Number.	Area.	During the year.	To end of the year.
		acres.		acres.	acres.	acres.
8	180,816	22,016,203	.....	.....	963,204	1,819,078
.. ..	10,657	1,453,937	.....	.....	125,231	1,088,435
.. ..	5,377	1,165,352	434	141,654	92,633	1,181,068
.. ..	6,080	963,197	3,474	695,397	118,842	1,299,910
.. ..	4,769	793,004	4,478	723,151	115,492	1,415,402
.. ..	5,364	865,199	4,501	752,634	152,348	1,567,750
.. ..	6,205	903,160	4,778	754,161	182,965	1,750,715
.. ..	8,526	1,713,577	4,097	632,178	173,707	1,924,422
.. ..	6,154	1,303,414	6,445	1,280,901	159,690	2,084,112
.. ..	4,396	816,399	4,812	927,710	161,982	2,246,094
.. ..	3,393	533,805	3,471	595,291	96,157	2,342,251
.. ..	2,617	414,355	2,341	326,931	128,063	2,470,314
.. ..	1,751	253,431	1,627	268,762	178,016	2,648,330
.. ..	1,279	199,450	1,061	152,665	124,735	2,773,065
Total	247,384	33,394 483	41,519	7,251,435	.....	2,773,065

No. 22.—Conditional Purchases existing on 31st December, 1896.

d wholly alienated and in process of alienation by Conditional Purchase.—On the 31st December, 1896, the area :ional Purchases on which Deeds were issued was 2,773,065 acres, which, added to the 20,212,812 acres, given in ined table, makes a total of 22,985,877 acres alienated and in process of alienation.

Particulars.			No.	Area.	No.	Area.
				acres.		acres.
nal Purchases on which the payments had not been completed on December, 1895			147,883	20,266,061		
	No.	Area.				
		acres.				
ber and area on which Deeds have been issued ring 1896..	650	124,735	1,479	252,699	146,404	20,013,362
disallowances, voidances, forfeitures, reductions areas and conversions into Homestead Selections de during 1896..	829	127,964				
e Table No. 18.]						
nal Purchases applied for during 1896..					1,279	199,450
nal Purchases on which the payments had not been completed on 31st December, 1896 ..					147,683	20,212,812

.—Revenue received from Conditional Purchases to 31st December, 1896.

Head of Revenue.	Amount received— During the years 1862-95.	Amount received— During the year 1896.	Total.
	£	£	£
s and Improvements (Act of 1884)	7,143,574	28,152	7,171,726
ents and Interest (Acts of 1875 and 1884)	8,020,080	878,335	8,898,415
(Act of 1861)	3,511,912	80,150	3,592,062
Fees (Act of 1889)	296,956	25,078	322,034
s (Acts of 1861, 1875, and 1884)	1,814,666	63,616	1,878,282
ous Collections	20,787,188	1,075,331	21,862,519
s (Including Refunds of Survey Fees)..			1,412,686
lections			20,449,833
of Purchase Money Outstanding on 31st December, 1896			12,381,760
tal Amount paid and owing on Conditional Purchases to 31st December, 1896 .. .. £			32,831,59[illegible]

No. 24.—Homestead Selections applied for during 1896.

Division of Colony.	No. of Blocks applied for.	Area.	Annua Re
		a. r. p.	£
Eastern	580	80,963 0 29	1,728
Central	583	267,525 1 31	4,895
Western	24	14,385 3 4	133
Total	1,187	362,874 1 24	6,758

No. 25.—Homestead Selections: Applications confirmed to 31st Decembe

Division o Colony.	No.	Area.	Annual R
		a. r. p.	£
Eastern	515	68,510 0 3	1,493
Central	553	242,277 2 35	4,569
Western	32	14,054 3 24	182
Total...	1,100	324,842 2 22	6,245

No. 26.—Conditional Purchases converted into Homestead Selections durir

Division of Colony.	No. of Applications for conversion.	No. of Conditional Purchases included.	Area
			a.
Eastern	21	43	5,436
Central	1	1	111
Total...	22	44	5,547

No. 27.—Local Land Boards : Transactions of Courts, 1896.

Land Board District.	Courts held.	Cases		
		Dealt with.	Adjourned.	Total.
.. ..	82	2,461	225	2,686
.. ..	13	1,153	91	1,244
.. ..	31	1,582	497	2,079
.. ..	30	1,462	436	1,898
.. ..	178	2,843	170	3,013
.. ..	35	1,436	170	1,606
.. ..	23	1,380	90	1,470
.. ..	64	993	41	1,034
.. ..	14	1,429	146	1,575
.. ..	59	2,449	147	2,596
.. . .	43	526	39	565
ı	42	1,873	84	1,957
agga	36	2,480	172	2,652
Total	650	22,067	2,308	24,375

—Land Appeal Court : References by Minister and Local Land Boards, 1896.

oard District.	Reference by Minister.	Reference by Boards.	Total.	Land Board District.	Reference by Minister.	Reference by Boards.	Total.
.. .. ..	3	1	4	Hay	13	.....	13
.. .. ..	8	1	9	Maitland	1	1	2
.. .. ..	58	.....	58	Moree	5	1	6
.. .. ..	3	2	5	Orange	4	2	6
.. .. ..	4	5	9	Tamworth	6	7	13
.. .. ..	3	.....	3	Wagga Wagga	65	1	66
.. .. ..	4	.....	4				
.. .. ..	2	2	4	Total	179	23	202

No. 29—Land Appeal Court : Results of Appeals, 1896.

ınd Board District.	Appeals			Sent back for re-hearing.	Total.
	Sustained.	Dismissed.	Withdrawn.		
.. ..	.....	1	1	1	3
.. ..	4	5	1	.....	10
.. ..	29	16	.....	.....	45
.. ..	.....	6	.....	.....	6
.. ..	4	21	10	6	42
.. ..	3	19	4	3	29
.. ..	15	7	.....	8	30
.. ..	14	23	3	.....	40
.. ..	57	41	2	3	103
.. ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.. ..	15	5	6	2	28
.. ..	14	13	1	4	32
h	13	14	2	1	30
'agga	14	22	3	4	42
Total	182	103	33	32	440

ıisions of Supreme Court.—During 1896 the Land Appeal Court was requested to state special cases for the ! the Supreme Court in eleven instances, two of which were not proceeded with. In respect of three cases the he Land Appeal Court was confirmed, in five it was reversed, and in the remaining case the Supreme Court ruled ı no jurisdiction.

[o. 30.—Particulars relating to Occupation—*continued.*

ırrency of Lease r Crown Lands Acts 884, 1889, and 1895.	Limit of Area.	Remarks.
SETTLEMENT LEASES FOR AGRICULTURE AND GRAZING. (Under Land Act of 1895.)		
for 28 years, Act .	Area not more than 1,280 acres for agriculture, and not more than 10,240 acres for grazing and agriculture combined.	The land must, in the first instance, be set apart for this purpose. Lessee shall reside on farm, and make it his *bonâ fide* home. Last holder shall have tenant-right in improvements.
IMPROVEMENT LEASES. (Under Land Act of 1895.)		
for 28 years and ;r, Act 1895.	Area not more than 20,480 acres.	Scrub and inferior land leases granted under the principal Act may be extended to a term not exceeding 28 years. Lessee shall have tenant-right in improvements. These leases may be sold by auction, or offered by tender.
SCRUB LEASES. (Under Land Act of 1889.)		
:y-one years and un- commencing from of notification in *rnment Gazette.* c. 26 of the Act of , the period may be nded to 28 years.	No limit fixed	Scrub leases may be obtained for lands already held under other forms of lease or license, the area under scrub lease, however, being withdrawn from other tenure. A pastoral or homestead lessee is not allowed to hold a scrub lease, except within the land held under lease by himself. Last holder may be granted tenant-right in improvements.
SNOW LAND LEASES. (Under Land Act of 1889.)		
years (with possible ıssion of three years), mencing from date of ication in *Gazette.*	Maximum, 10,240 acres; minimum, 1,280 acres.	Lands held under pastoral or copditional leases are exempt, but areas under occupation license or annual lease are open to this form of lease.
SPECIAL LEASES. (Under Land Act of 1889.)		
:y-eight years and ;r, commencing from of notification in *rnment Gazette.*	Not to exceed 320 acres ..	These leases are granted for lands used for industrial and commercial purposes; chiefly, however, for the former.
INFERIOR LAND LEASES. (Under Land Act of 1889.)		
:y years and under, mencing from day of or notification of ptance of tender. me of currency may xtended to 28 years ;r the Act of 1895.	No limit fixed	Vacant lands of an inferior nature, or in isolated positions, in any division are available. Last holder may be granted tenant-right in improvements.
ARTESIAN WELL LEASES. (Under Land Act of 1889.)		
ct to circumstances..	Not to exceed 10,240 acres. Only one area may be leased out of each 64,000 acres under occupation license, and not more than 3 areas out of the same occupation license.	These leases are granted, under 1889 Act, to holders of occupation licenses or annual leases.
RESIDENTIAL LEASES ON GOLD AND MINERAL FIELDS. (Under Land Acts of 1889 and 1895.)		
n years and under, mencing from date otification in *Govern- t Gazette.*	Not to exceed 20 acres ..	Leases within proclaimed gold or mineral fields are granted to holders of miners' rights or mineral leases only. Last holder shall have tenant-right in improvements.

MINERAL AND AURIFEROUS LEASES.

(Issued by Mines Department.)

For particulars, see Part "Agriculture."

No. 31.—Land Leases current on 31st December, 1892–96.

Leases and Licenses.	1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.	
	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Re
	acres.	£	acres.	£	acres.	£	acres.	£	acres.	£
Pastoral	58,054,824	380,019	58,157,745	380,395	57,597,391	378,707	53,426,693	341,178	52,705,670	319,
Occupation Licenses—										
Ordinary ..	37,613,318	111,726	35,799,905	102,210	34,861,900	96,470	33,497,612	86,203	32,897,227	69
Preferential ..	5,448,489	33,507	4,685,777	26,125	4,042,616	21,723	7,319,672	37,524	7,313,014	44
Homestead	9,743,023	65,653	9,690,340	67,211	9,860,013	67,569	10,250,437	68,974	10,429,261	6
Conditional—										
Gazetted	10,713,052	131,710	11,726,661	143,068	12,198,150	148,018	12,338,192	149,080	12,486,322	15
Not Gazetted (under Provisional Rent)..	1,893,538	15,779	980,762	8,173	672,041	5,600	615,011	5,125	773,730	
Settlement	.....	..	.....	..	.....	..	.....	..	542,778	
Improvement	.....	..	.....	..	.....	..	.....	..	1,861,922	
Annual	4,580,729	33,027	5,207,222	38,205	5,428,383	38,359	5,564,302	39,500	5,873,383	4
Scrub	103,437	140	158,641	208	177,104	216	121,297	273	215,435	
Snow Land	90,785	910	115,100	1,150	107,890	1,090	82,980	618	112,670	
Special	13,140	11,654	13,428	12,140	12,021	12,413	14,344	14,628	19,028	1
Inferior Land	4,050	17	455,354	307	542,845	449	488,475	420	364,326	
Artesian Well	.....	..	.....	..	.....	..	337,443	939	357,922	
Residential Leases on Gold and Mineral Fields	588	130	854	159	1,308	227	1,583	256	1,706	
*Church and School Lands	260,331	8,650	260,331	8,650	260,331	8,650	262,574	8,966	255,456	
Total under Lands Department	128,529,204	793,522	127,252,180	788,001	125,762,053	779,491	124,320,615	753,693	126,210,759	7
Mineral and Auriferous Leases (Mines Department)	154,450	22,953	100,221	20,579	86,118	14,693	91,978	19,824	97,031	2
Total Leases for all Government Departments	128,683,654	816,475	127,352,401	808,580	125,848,171	794,184	124,412,593	773,517	126,307,790	7

NOTE.—The amount of rent collected on the leases is that stated by the Lands Department, which differs sl from the Treasury returns shown in Part "Public Finance."

* The particulars in respect of Church and School Lands for 1894, 1895, and 1896 are accurate; but the figures f previous years can only be accepted as approximately correct.

No. 32.—Land Leases current in each Division on 31st December, 1896

Leases and Licenses.	Eastern Division.			Central Division.			Western Division.			Total, New South W		
	No.	Area.	Rent.	No.	Area.	Rent.	No.	Area.	Rent.	No.	Area.	R
		acres.	£		acres.	£		acres.	£		acres.	
Pastoral	..	.....	....	476	14,060,881	152,767	308	38,645,789	169,463	784	52,706,670	32
Occupation Licenses—												
Ordinary ..	397	4,785,594	11,842	547	5,832,800	30,805	211	22,278,833	26,256	1,155	32,897,227	6
Preferential ..	314	3,674,573	17,482	224	3,638,141	26,924	..	.....	.....	538	7,313,014	44
Homestead	..	.....	....	..	.....	....	1,246	10,429,261	68,626	1,246	10,429,261	
Conditional—												
Gazetted	14,183	4,806,270	58,149	7,696	7,437,970	89,694	203	242,082	2,519	21,962	12,486,322	15
Not Gazetted (under Provisional Rent)	864	402,383	3,353	551	371,347	3,094	..	.....	....	1,415	773,730	
Settlement	5	9,576	115	186	498,168	6,403	7	35,034	242	198	542,778	
Improvement	27	127,956	205	81	610,353	1,175	58	1,123,613	1,6[illegible]	166	1,861,922	
Annual	8,449	4,967,079	32,579	1,073	819,883	7,651	75	86,301	52	9,598	5,873,383	
Scrub	3	3,727	33	29	194,297	211	3	17,431	180	37	215,435	
Snow Land	25	112,670	774	..	.....	....	..	.....	....	25	112,670	
Special	483	5,111	12,800	101	5,954	1,122	91	7,961	1,673	675	19,028	1
Inferior Land	6	41,960	75	27	112,426	97	4	209,950	8[illegible]	37	364,326	
Artesian Well	..	.....	....	..	.....	....	33	357,922	9,6[illegible]	33	357,922	
Residential Leases on Gold and Mineral Fields	144	1,392	222	21	204	40	11	110	1[illegible]	176	1,706	
Church and School Lands	813	255,456	8,800	..	.....	....	..	.....	....	813	255,456	
Total under Lands Department	25,706	19,193,747	146,789	10,920	33,582,724	319,983	2,252	73,434,288	268,108	38,878	126,210,759	7
Mineral and Auriferous Leases (Mines Department)											97,031	
Total area under Lease from all Government Departments on 31st December, 1896											126,307,790	

No. 33.—Settlement Leases, 1896.

Farms applied for to 31st December, 1896.									Applications confirmed to 31st December, 1896.								
	Area.			Rent.					No.	Area.			Rent.				
	a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.				a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.		
EASTERN DIVISION.																	
5	14,976	2	0	160	9	2			5	9,576	2	0	115	9	2		
CENTRAL DIVISION.																	
1	1,154,147	2	0	13,093	1	4			266	719,610	3	0	9,145	18	4		
WESTERN DIVISION.																	
1	50,178	0	0	396	4	5			7	35,034	0	0	260	16	0		
NEW SOUTH WALES.																	
1	1,219,302	0	0	13,649	14	11			278	764,221	1	0	9,522	3	6		

No. 34.—Improvement Leases, 1896.

Leases sold by Auction.									Leases let by Tender.								
	Area.			Rent.					No.	Area.			Rent.				
	a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.				a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.		
EASTERN DIVISION.																	
1	66,071	3	0	112	5	6			8	61,884	0	0	93	0	7		
CENTRAL DIVISION.																	
1	473,555	2	0	768	6	5			12	136,798	0	0	406	19	6		
WESTERN DIVISION.																	
1	690,580	0	0	608	6	5			22	433,033	0	0	413	2	6		
NEW SOUTH WALES.																	
1	1,230,207	1	0	1,488	18	4			42	631,715	0	0	913	2	7		
Grand Total, *166 Leases; area, 1,861,922a. 1r. 0p.; rent, £2,402 0s. 11d.																	

* leases were granted in 1895, this number represents the total number of Improvement Leases in existence on the 31st December, 1896.

5.—Church and School Lands held under Lease on 31st December, 1896.

Purpose for which area is leased.	No.	Area.			Rent.		
		a.	r.	p.	£	s.	d.
EASTERN DIVISION.							
ral	329	244,071	1	7	5,835	11	7
ulture	328	10,453	3	32	1,738	1	0
ing	44	27	2	8	554	15	0
Leases	106	619	3	29	678	16	0
al Leases	6	284	0	1	82	18	8
Total	813	255,456	2	37	8,890	2	3

RE.—Twenty-nine Gold Leases, comprising an area of 189 acres 2 roods, and returning an annual rent of £190, and al Lease of 40 acres, with an annual rent of £10, are included in land already held under Pastoral or Agricultural e area, therefore, actually held under lease is 255,227 acres 2 roods 37 perches.

e original area of the Church and School estate was 443,486 acres, of which 161,182 acres have been alienated in fee, balance of 271,740 acres brought under the operation of the Act for leasing purposes. Recent surveys indicate, that the area within the boundaries of the several estates as computed, not surveyed, is 282,304 acres, thus leaving 27,076 acres not held under lease on the 31st December, 1896.

No. 36—Survey of Lands: Area and Cost of Land Measured under Contr during 1896.

Classification.	Area.	Cost.	Average per ac
Area Surveys.	acres.	£	£ s. d.
Alienation—			
Auction Sales	19,014	3,395	0 3 6
Special Purchases	1½	5	3 10 3
Conditional Purchases— Ordinary	73,392	4,028	0 1 1
Conditional Purchases— Special Areas	4,442	423	0 1 10
Occupation—			
Exchange Areas	144,489	2,418	0 0 4
Conditional Leases	127,265	3,929	0 0 7
Homestead Leases	353,955	1,669	0 0 1
Special and Scrub Leases	23,713	437	0 0 4
Miscellaneous—			
Reserves and other areas	633,975	2,870	0 0 1
In anticipation, including Homestead Selections and Settlement and Improvement Leases	1,814,294	15,036	0 0 2
Total Area Surveys	3,194,530½	34,210	0 0 2
Lineal Surveys.	chains.	£	Average per ch £ s. d
Roads (4 Will. IV No. 11)	22,148	1,761	0 1 7
Boundaries, Pastoral Leases	2,964	134	0 0 10
Feature and Geographical	22,406	523	0 0 5
Miscellaneous Lengths	14,580	425	0 0 6
Alignments	3,552	610	0 3 5
Total Lineal Surveys	65,650	3,453	0 1 6

No. 37.—Gross and Net Revenue of Lands Department, 1887–96.

Year.	Gross Receipts.				Refunds.	Net Receipts.	Expenditure, Lands Department.	Net Revenue from La exclusive of interest on c expenditure on building	
	Auction and Special Sales.	Conditional Purchases.	Leases.	Total.				Total.	Per Inhabit
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s.
1887	349,585	872,192	1,100,423	2,322,200	62,992	2,259,208	479,381	1,779,827	1 15
1888	316,034	896,249	941,521	2,153,804	54,147	2,099,657	454,408	1,645,249	1 11
1889	214,691	934,480	917,491	2,066,662	76,774	1,989,888	466,437	1,523,451	1 8
1890	225,337	1,153,377	785,116	2,163,880	73,815	2,090,065	398,380	1,691,685	1 10
1891	191,686	1,174,979	848,980	2,195,635	143,026	2,052,609	403,167	1,649,442	1 7
1892	224,164	1,015,175	915,378	2,154,717	263,285	1,891,432	410,594	1,480,838	1 5
1893	252,782	1,044,710	849,652	2,147,144	89,052	2,058,092	361,460	1,696,632	1 8
1894	234,408	1,052,198	789,278	2,075,884	44,792	2,031,092	318,329	1,712,763	1 7
1895	78,766	1,092,692	799,146	1,960,604	33,270	1,927,334	317,500	1,609,834	1 5
1896	58,277	1,075,331	749,234	1,882,842	48,975	1,833,867	318,336	1,515,531	1 3

NOTE.—These figures are in accordance with the Treasury returns.

No. 38.—Labour Settlements.

Settlement.	Date of Establishment.	Area.	Population on 31st December, 1896.				Value of Improvements (exclusive of Crops).	L adv Go m
			Men Enrolled.	Women.	Children.	Total.		
		acres.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	
Bega	July, 1893..	1,360	20	20	74	114	1,557	1.
Wilberforce	August, 1893..	882	18	15	53	86	2,107	2.

NOTE.—The Settlement at Pitt Town was converted into a Casual Labour Farm on 17th June, 1896.

No. 39.—Court of Claims.

Prior to 1831 all grants of public land were made upon the sole authority of the Governor. After that date public lands were directed to be sold. The so-called "grants" issued prior to 1831 were only promises of grants, gi authority to take possession of the land, but not conferring any title in law. In 1833 an Act was passed (4 Wm. IV 9) appointing and empowering three or more Commissioners to hear and determine claims to grants of land. This was limited to two years' operation, but in 1835 was made perpetual by Act 5 Will. IV No. 21. No claims were hea before the Court during 1896.

The deed in respect of an area of 10 acres 1 rood 6 perches, the claim for which was dealt with in a previ was, however, issued during 1896.

). 40.—Area of Lands affected by Alienation and Long Lease, and Balance Available for Settlement at the close of the year 1896.

	Land Division.			Total, N. S. Wales.
	Eastern.	Central.	Western.	
actically beyond State control—	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
ted, and in process of alienation ...	22,943,350	20,438,247	1,875,871	45,257,468
ionally leased, with right to purchase	5,208,653	7,809,317	242,082	13,260,052
Total (*a*)	28,152,003	28,247,564	2,117,953	58,517,520
ıder long contracts—				
al leases, Western Division, 28 years...	.....	.....	38,645,789	38,645,789
stead leases	.....	.....	10,429,261	10,429,261
leases, 21 years, and Inferior Land ıs, 20 years, with right of extension in . case to 28 years	45,687	306,723	227,381	579,791
ın Well Leases...	.....	.....	357,923	357,923
and leases, 7 years, with 3 years nsion	112,670	.....	.....	112,670
nent leases, 28 years	9,576	498,168	35,034	542,778
vement leases, 28 years	127,956	610,353	1,123,613	1,861,922
leases	38,443	39,224	40,096	117,763
Total (*b*)	334,332	1,454,468	50,859,097	52,647,897
ea of each Land Division	60,450,000	55,460,000	79,972,150	195,882,150
rea parted with and leased for long (see *a* and *b*)	28,486,335	29,702,032	52,977,050	111,165,417
Balance	31,963,665	25,757,968	26,995,100	84,716,733
occupation, but leased for short terms*	13,682,702	24,352,005	22,365,134	60,399,841
ither alienated nor leased (includes ıes, roads, stock routes, &c.)	18,280,963	1,405,963	4,629,966	24,316,892

ere are 46,083,504 acres held under occupation license and annual lease in the three Land Divisions, and 14,060,881 r pastoral lease in the Central Division. The last-mentioned leases terminated in 1895; but, in accordance with of the Act of 1889, renewals were granted for various short terms. Leases of the following areas will expire year mentioned:—

1897	1,226,315 acres.
1898	1,338,559 ,,
1899	998,002 ,,
1900	10,034,304 ,,
1901	46,053 ,,
1902	135,782 ,,
1903	17,111 ,,
1904	54,345 ,,
Total	13,850,471 acres.

ithstanding these renewals, however, the Act of 1895 provides for the withdrawal of half each lease mands of settlement as they arise, compensation being allowed in the form of a fixed section. The areas, the leases of which expire in 1902, 1903, and 1904, comprise which were withdrawn for settlement during 1896 under the provisions of section

No. 41.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, Cultivated, Enclosed, and enclosed, &c., in the Counties of each Division, Year ended 31st March, 18

Counties.	Total Area—			Proportion of Land—		Area—	
	Of County.	Occupied in Holdings over 1 acre in extent.	Cultivated (including small area Crown Lands).	Alienated to Total Area.	Cultivated to Area Alienated.	Enclosed.	Une
A.—Northern Division.							
1.—Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent.	acres.	ac
Rous	1,480,320	551,237	33,564	37·24	6·09	399,520	15
Richmond	704,640	196,155	8,695	27·84	4·43	188,709	
Clarence	867,840	204,828	35,877	23·60	17·52	197,272	
Fitzroy	985,600	105,746	4,929	10·73	4·66	82,613	2
Raleigh	623,360	75,840	11,552	12·17	15·23	32,189	4
Dudley	631,040	130,124	13,262	20·62	10·19	123,246	
Macquarie	1,635,200	322,615	27,940	19·73	8·66	243,015	7
Gloucester	1,985,640	586,530	14,127	29·54	2·41	281,979	30
Total	8,913,640	2,173,075	149,946	24·38	6·90	1,548,543	62
2.—Table-land.							
Parry	867,840	507,389	14,381	58·47	2·83	499,955	
Buckland	951,680	706,582	10,867	74·24	1·54	706,087	
Vernon	1,075,200	322,103	2,787	29·96	0·87	311,995	1
Inglis	560,000	176,311	7,395	31·50	4·19	170,786	
Darling	993,920	295,439	16,320	29·73	5·53	292,816	
Sandon	809,600	491,421	16,697	60·70	3·40	489,946	
Clarke	972,800	154,552	1,777	15·89	1·15	120,917	3
Hardinge	1,156,480	241,557	4,935	20·89	2·04	233,212	
Clive	1,101,440	138,873	6,583	12·61	4·74	116,131	2
Hawes	1,051,520	97,466	223	9·27	0·23	48,539	4
Gresham	709,760	20,632	156	2·91	0·76	8,043	1
Gough	1,138,560	595,245	21,231	52·27	3·57	569,276	2
Arrawatta	1,480,320	241,837	8,476	16·34	3·50	238,841	
Drake	840,960	115,734	352	13·76	0·30	114,505	
Buller	933,120	49,502	499	5·30	1·01	41,376	
Total	14,643,200	4,154,643	112,679	28·37	2·71	3,962,425	19
3.—Western Slope.							
Stapylton	1,566,720	188,846	46	12·05	0·02	183,158	
Burnett	1,164,800	449,101	2,315	38·56	0·52	432,247	1
Courallie	1,232,640	602,159	693	48·85	0·12	600,237	
Benarba	2,017,000	317,775	59	15·75	0·02	299,066	1
Murchison	1,208,960	225,043	8,735	18·61	3·88	210,062	
Nandewar	851,840	289,401	3,720	33·97	1·29	287,228	
Jamison	1,482,880	401,613	404	27·08	0·10	401,533	
Denham	954,240	258,027	39	27·04	0·02	241,099	1
Leichhardt...	2,367,680	583,279	762	24·64	0·13	578,594	
Baradine	1,545,600	126,159	840	8·16	0·67	118,322	
White	1,208,960	40,953	303	3·39	0·74	40,722	
Pottinger	1,804,120	879,726	3,137	48·76	0·36	873,800	
Napier	667,520	172,159	1,125	25·79	0·65	170,800	
Gowen	1,085,440	218,460	3,163	20·13	1·45	214,683	
Total	19,157,800	4,752,791	25,341	24·81	0·53	4,658,061	9
Total, Northern Division...	42,714,640	11,080,509	287,966	25·95	2·60	10,169,029	98

No. 41.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area— Of County.	Total Area— Occupied in Holdings over 1 acre in extent.	Total Area— Cultivated (including small area Crown Lands).	Proportion of Land— Alienated to Total Area.	Proportion of Land— Cultivated to Area Alienated.	Area— Enclosed.	Area— Unenclosed.
CENTRAL DIVISION.	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent.	acres.	acres.
Iunter and Hawkesbury Valleys.							
am	1,340,800	825,691	23,644	61·58	2·86	820,551	5,140
er	1,340,800	129,821	3,417	9·68	2·63	122,357	7,464
iumberland	1,543,040	548,096	28,175	35·52	5·14	429,774	118,322
... ...	1,085,440	188,638	12,920	17·38	6·85	165,996	22,642
Total	5,310,080	1,692,246	68,156	31·87	4·03	1,538,678	153,568
'ounty of Cumberland and Metropolis.							
Police Districts.)							
›politan	241,920	43,662	4,836	*	*	36,934	6,728
... ...	101,120	25,888	6,771	25·60	26·15	21,964	3,924
.matta	74,240	53,346	9,759	71·86	18·29	49,636	3,710
pool	107,520	74,231	3,748	69·04	5·05	53,333	20,898
len (*part of*)... ...	40,840	33,897	1,118	83·00	3·30	33,897	.....
›belltown	97,920	50,501	2,573	51·57	5·09	40,525	9,976
›ngong (*part of*) ...	60,280	11,219	294	18·61	2·62	4,820	6,399
lsor (*part of*) ...	139,520	61,415	9,753	44·02	15·88	54,822	6,593
th (*part of*)... ...	143,360	118,522	7,781	82·67	6·57	114,161	4,361
Total	1,006,720	472,681	46,633	46·95	9·87	410,092	62,589
6. —Table-land.							
ane	1,419,520	942,154	8,797	66·37	0·93	936,256	5,898
ip	1,080,320	296,423	14,274	27·44	4·82	280,498	15,925
... ...	1,011,840	424,982	6,409	42·00	1·51	404,335	20,647
›ln	1,259,520	267,421	27,095	21·23	10·13	262,479	4,942
›n	972,800	333,149	24,459	34·24	7·34	330,372	2,777
ington	1,212,160	385,029	20,675	31·76	5·37	382,395	2,634
urgh	1,043,840	290,600	24,259	27·84	8·35	285,919	4,681
urnham	1,367,040	666,627	58,691	48·76	8·80	660,713	5,914
urst	1,240,960	793,519	91,203	63·94	11·49	789,157	4,362
moreland	1,041,280	214,553	10,827	20·60	5·05	208,215	6,338
Total	11,649,280	4,614,457	286,689	39·61	6·21	4,540,339	74,118
—Western Slope.							
›ry	1,964,520	622,786	236	31·70	0·04	595,523	27,263
›mar	1,314,560	308,804	2,030	23·49	0·66	307,148	1,656
›lego	1,398,400	37,735	1,197	2·70	3·17	34,024	3,711
... ...	849,280	252,836	1,259	29·77	0·50	252,195	641
›mine	1,156,480	214,076	17,128	18·51	8·00	188,093	25,983
›ers	1,545,600	70,640	2,323	4·57	3·29	69,680	960
›dy	1,466,880	174,954	6,591	11·93	3·77	171,144	3,810
›ingham	1,532,800	312,299	10,418	20·37	3·34	308,389	3,910
Total	11,228,520	1,994,130	41,182	17·76	2·07	1,926,196	67,934
al, Central Division...	29,194,600	8,773,514	442,660	30·05	5·05	8,415,305	358,209

* ole of the land in this district, with the exception of public reserves, is alienated in city and suburban allotments.

No. 41.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total area— Acres.	Total area— Alienated or Holdings over [illegible] Acres.	Total area— Unalienated including small areas held under Leases.	Proportion of Land— Alienated to Total Area.	Proportion of Land— Unalienated to Area Alienated.	Area— Enclosed.	Area— Tot[illegible]
C. Southern Division.							
2.—Coast.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	per cent.	per cent.	Acres.	[illegible]
Camden	1,121,640	[illegible]	21,455	45.25	2.47	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Vincent	1,632,640	[illegible]	21,289	19.76	3.52	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dampier	941,440	[illegible]	4,734	[illegible]	2.54	[illegible]	[illegible]
Auckland	1,206,400	342,115	7,930	28.36	2.32	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	5,205,120	1,508,687	53,408	28.97	3.54	[illegible]	[illegible]
3.—Tableland.							
Forbes	904,320	389,673	21,607	43.09	5.54	388,721	
Monteagle	788,480	553,687	46,147	70.22	8.33	547,526	
Harden	1,101,440	834,464	52,365	75.76	6.35	[illegible]	[illegible]
King	1,178,720	600,173	15,713	50.87	2.62	598,474	
Georgiana	1,239,680	337,260	6,747	27.45	2.00	327,695	
Argyle	1,262,080	642,527	15,306	50.93	2.38	638,254	
Murray	1,429,760	904,951	12,485	63.29	1.38	897,120	
Cowley	741,120	117,497	1,007	15.85	0.86	115,586	
Buccleuch	901,760	197,882	6,267	21.95	3.17	194,757	
Clarendon	741,120	626,783	72,432	84.57	11.59	625,511	
Wynyard	1,091,200	647,765	22,912	59.39	3.55	641,370	
Goulburn	888,760	581,629	29,590	65.39	5.09	557,127	
Selwyn	1,219,840	244,219	2,295	20.02	0.94	232,[illegible]	
Wallace ...	1,379,840	427,664	3,880	31.09	0.90	427,410	
Beresford	912,000	339,172	4,607	37.16	1.36	325,381	
Westerley	967,680	526,951	4,206	54.45	0.80	523,[illegible]	
Total	16,755,200	7,920,304	309,246	47.63	3.88	7,878,744	[illegible]
10. Western Slope.							
Dowling	1,177,600	117,443	800	9.97	0.68	117,443	
Gipps	1,566,720	543,446	6,262	34.69	1.15	540,141	
Bland	1,548,160	770,714	46,081	49.78	5.68	752,047	
Bourke	1,472,000	638,385	83,728	43.37	13.12	620,369	
Cooper	1,761,280	651,259	16,841	36.98	2.59	642,251	
Nicholson	1,411,840	352,660	14,746	24.98	4.18	350,069	
Sturt	967,680	615,076	2,958	62.53	0.49	605,070	
Warrigery	1,784,960	931,218	3,804	52.17	0.41	930,935	
Boyd	1,001,600	659,229	4,318	65.82	0.65	659,229	
Mitchell	825,600	664,587	33,679	80.50	5.07	661,531	
Urana	1,999,680	1,552,855	33,535	77.68	2.16	1,534,459	
Townsend	2,335,680	1,673,844	18,034	71.68	1.08	1,668,175	
Wakool	1,900,800	1,163,409	9,402	61.21	0.81	1,159,607	
Cadell	667,520	483,584	25,664	72.44	5.31	482,173	
Denison	788,480	665,155	138,249	84.36	20.78	650,784	
Hume	1,664,960	886,234	109,421	83.22	12.35	886,181	
Total	22,273,300	12,359,104	547,522	55.49	4.43	12,261,174	
Total, Southern Division...	44,233,680	21,847,495	910,176	49.39	4.17	21,519,770	[illegible]

No. 41.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area— Of County.	Total Area— Occupied in Holdings over 1 acre in extent.	Total Area— Cultivated (including small area Crown Lands).	Proportion of Land— Alienated to Total Area.	Proportion of Land— Cultivated to Area Alienated.	Area— Enclosed.	Area— Unenclosed.
ESTERN DIVISION.							
-Western Plains.	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent.	acres.	acres.
... ...	2,640,360	137,273	80	5·20	0·06	135,073	2,200
... ...	2,348,520	92,952	171	3·96	0·18	91,349	1,603
... ...	1,495,680	15,544	61	1·04	0·39	14,824	720
rbooka	1,561,600	26,081	278	1·67	1·07	26,037	44
... ...	2,729,320	11,082	92	0·41	0·83	11,052	30
a	1,671,680	40	.....	...	...	40	.....
... ...	3,003,240	41,401	297	1·38	0·72	39,716	1,685
... ...	1,884,800	136,703	253	7·25	0·19	120,355	16,348
on	1,569,280	14,031	342	0·89	2·44	13,155	876
... ...	1,904,360	10,945	184	0·57	1·68	10,175	770
orough	1,259,520	9,111	223	0·72	2·45	9,111	.....
ndarra	1,322,240	2,140	196	0·16	9·16	1,880	260
... ...	1,669,120	9,007	321	0·54	3·56	8,407	600
... ...	1,813,760	8,906	70	0·49	0·79	3,847	5,059
... ...	1,603,200	6,685	389	0·42	5·82	6,685	.....
da	1,532,800	3,067	144	0·20	4·70	3,067	.....
mba...	1,559,040	8,711	572	0·56	6·57	7,873	838
d	2,787,560	65,429	1,767	2·34	2·70	56,809	8,620
el	2,685,160	28,193	434	1·05	1·54	27,000	1,193
in	894,080	206,639	1,187	23·13	0·57	206,639	.....
rs	1,719,040	214,424	1,165	12·47	0·54	214,424	.....
... ...	1,695,360	352,378	1,864	20·78	0·53	340,957	11,421
... ...	1,506,560	18,634	856	1·24	4·59	18,623	11
... ...	1,056,640	13,013	217	1·23	1·67	13,013	.....
... ...	2,564,200	35,342	405	1·38	1·15	35,342	.....
... ...	1,687,680	22,978	1,100	1·36	4·79	22,401	577
ulgra	1,862,120	17,956	205	0·96	1·14	16,166	1,790
ald	1,374,720	720	15	0·05	2·08	80	640
a	1,875,560	5,804	212	0·31	3·65	2,406	3,398
a	1,914,600	5,485	138	0·29	2·52	2,186	3,299
n	1,379,840	360	50	0·03	13·89	.....	360
anna	1,038,720	2,730	207	0·26	7·58	2,690	40
orth	2,156,520	70,500	1,671	3·27	2·37	70,167	333
... ...	2,046,440	46,867	1,365	2·29	2·91	46,837	30
yer	2,193,000	27,061	545	1·23	2·01	27,021	40
... ...	1,938,280	43,053	527	2·22	1·22	42,853	200
dee	1,582,720	4,246	8	0·27	0·19	4,192	54
stone	2,582,120	14,648	354	0·57	2·42	14,488	160
winna	1,690,240	13,595	195	0·80	1·43	11,688	1,907
a	1,532,800	3,341	104	0·22	3·11	3,340	1
l	1,925,480	3,182	40	0·17	1·26	3,181	1
ingee	2,269,800	7,741	512	0·34	6·61	7,121	620
... ...	2,377,320	5,514	99	0·23	1·80	5,469	45
... ...	1,288,320	120	.....	0·01	...	120	.....
voko...	1,511,680	2,062	.....	0·14	...	2,020	42
Western Division ...	82,705,080	1,765,694	18,915	2·13	1·07	1,699,879	65,815
l, New South Wales	198,848,000	43,467,212	1,659,717	21·86*	3·82	41,803,983	1,663,229

roportion of Land alienated.—Calculated upon the recently computed area, this percentage would be increased and upon the area, exclusive of water, the figures are 22·19 per cent.
a of New South Wales.—The total area of New South Wales, as recently ex[illegible] e Colony, exclusive of water, is 195,882,150 acres, as stated in Table No. 1.

No. 42.—Number of Occupiers of Freehold, Leasehold, and Mixed Holdin also the Areas and Percentages of Freehold and Private Leasehold, in Counties of each Division, Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Counties.	Occupiers of—							Area Alienated.			Percent Land each Hold
	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Partly Freehold and partly Private Rented.	Freehold with Crown Lands attached.*	Private Rented with Crown Lands attached.	Partly Freehold, partly Private Rented, and partly Crown Lands.	Total.	Total.	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Freehold.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.
A.—NORTHERN DIVISION.											
1.—Coast.											
Rous	1,354	698	123	60	6	7	2,248	551,237	466,779	84,458	84·68
Richmond	274	141	33	52	2	3	505	196,155	174,321	21,834	88·87
Clarence	759	627	113	65	9	13	1,586	204,828	142,953	61,875	69·79
Fitzroy	234	50	10	78	3	3	378	105,746	96,532	9,214	91·28
Raleigh	373	164	37	29	2	2	607	75,840	55,289	20,551	72·90
Dudley	249	270	65	50	7	9	650	130,124	83,491	46,633	64·16
Macquarie	902	554	116	27	2	4	1,605	322,615	228,636	93,979	70·87
Gloucester	677	271	113	128	12	13	1,214	586,530	327,413	259,117	55·82
Total	4,822	2,775	610	489	43	54	8,793	2,173,075	1,575,414	597,661	72·50
2.—Table-land.											
Parry	210	83	22	111	4	15	454	507,389	489,291	18,098	96·43
Buckland	248	26	24	76	..	13	387	706,582	693,676	12,906	98·17
Vernon	133	30	8	111	..	4	286	322,103	314,957	7,146	97·78
Inglis	152	39	13	141	..	9	354	176,311	154,191	22,120	87·45
Darling	89	45	14	222	2	18	390	295,439	274,050	21,389	92·76
Sandon	594	127	38	128	3	4	894	491,421	458,339	33,082	93·29
Clarke	46	10	3	114	2	4	179	154,552	150,110	4,442	97·13
Hardinge	81	30	11	179	3	8	312	241,557	228,155	13,402	94·44
Clive	325	44	20	121	..	2	512	138,873	136,211	2,662	[illegible]
Hawes	7	1	..	88	1	1	98	97,466	96,791	675	99·31
Gresham	10	..	2	7	..	1	20	20,632	20,152	480	97·67
Gough	435	137	54	144	12	18	800	505,245	453,188	52,057	92
Arrawatta	101	17	25	99	..	5	247	241,837	223,628	18,209	92·47
Drake	15	7	..	23	..	2	47	115,731	114,265	1,466	98·79
Buller	64	7	1	65	3	3	143	49,562	47,129	2,433	95·09
Total	2,519	603	235	1,620	30	107	5,123	4,154,613	3,951,206	203,407	97·18
3. Western Slope.											
Stapylton	21	2	3	60	1	9	96	188,846	176,329	12,517	93·37
Burnett	75	8	3	102	..	4	192	449,191	443,108	6,083	98·65
Courallie	60	22	6	59	..	5	152	602,159	587,850	14,309	97·62
Benarba	15	2	2	158	2	8	187	317,775	300,983	16,792	94·72
Murchison	121	21	19	98	2	8	269	225,043	212,865	12,178	94·58
Nandewar	115	32	4	52	..	5	208	289,461	276,248	13,213	95·46
Jamison	21	6	1	90	..	12	130	401,613	392,128	9,485	97·64
Denham	8	5	..	80	1	8	102	228,027	218,210	9,817	84·39
Leichhardt	40	13	5	168	..	10	236	585,279	541,018	44,261	92·27
Baradine	41	9	3	70	1	2	126	126,159	122,716	3,443	97·27
White	61	7	2	17	..	2	89	40,932	37,777	3,155	92·29
Pottinger	169	26	11	117	1	6	330	879,726	855,200	24,526	97·21
Napier	23	5	4	31	1	5	69	172,149	157,861	14,288	91·69
Gowen	81	31	10	126	2	9	259	218,460	212,812	5,648	97·41
Total	851	189	73	1,237	11	93	2,454	4,752,791	4,538,115	214,676	95·48
Total, Northern Division ..	8,192	3,567	918	3,355	84	254	16,370	11,080,509	10,067,735	1,012,774	[illegible]

* For Occupiers of "Crown Lands only," see Table No. 50.

2.—Number of Occupiers of Freehold, Leasehold, and Mixed Holdings, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Occupiers of— Freehold.	Private Rented.	Partly Freehold and partly Private Rented.	Freehold with Crown Lands attached.*	Private Rented with Crown Lands attached.	Partly Freehold, partly Private Rented, and partly Crown Lands.	Total.	Area alienated. Total.	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Percentage of Land in each class of Holding. Freehold.	Private Rented.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent.
ENTRAL DIVISION.												
Hunter and Hawkesbury Valleys.												
ı	722	692	121	183	5	25	1,748	825,691	651,704	173,987	78·93	21·07
.. .. ..	133	61	24	35	3	5	261	129,821	112,366	17,455	86·55	13·45
mberland ..	1,584	1,155	202	36	3	7	3,047	548,096	364,557	183,539	66·51	33·49
.. .. ..	867	195	127	54	5	13	1,261	188,638	135,401	53,237	71·78	28·22
Total	3,306	2,103	534	308	16	50	6,317	1,692,246	1,264,028	428,218	74·70	25·30
unty of Cumberland and Metropolis. (*ice Districts.*)												
olitan	1,044	1,140	62	..	..	..	2,846	43,662	29,842	13,820	68·35	31·65
.. .. ..	791	165	55	..	..	..	1,011	25,888	22,346	3,542	86·32	13·68
atta	923	193	52	..	..	..	1,168	53,346	37,042	16,304	69·44	30·56
ol	723	290	50	..	..	..	1,063	74,231	36,940	37,291	49·76	50·24
ı (*part of*) ..	66	40	20	..	..	..	126	33,897	17,123	16,774	50·51	49·49
illtown	232	115	39	1	1	1	389	50,501	29,897	20,604	59·20	40·80
gong (*part of*) ..	54	25	7	..	..	..	86	11,219	9,169	2,050	81·73	18·27
r (*part of*) ..	537	196	55	..	..	..	788	61,415	45,263	16,152	73·70	26·30
(*part of*) ..	713	241	84	..	..	..	1,038	118,522	56,177	62,345	47·40	52·60
Total	5,683	2,405	424	1	1	1	8,515	472,681	283,799	188,882	60·04	39·96
-Table-land.												
e	436	95	72	214	4	26	847	942,154	879,397	62,757	93·34	6·66
.. .. ..	398	128	32	108	7	22	755	296,423	266,557	29,866	89·92	10·08
.. .. ..	132	21	14	269	1	23	460	424,982	354,960	70,022	83·52	16·48
.. .. ..	199	74	27	201	4	4	509	267,421	244,585	22,836	91·46	8·54
.. .. ..	205	46	14	180	1	9	455	333,149	318,374	14,775	95·57	4·43
ton	549	210	72	254	6	24	1,115	385,029	340,545	44,484	88·45	11·55
gh	356	173	45	158	11	27	770	290,600	189,263	101,337	65·13	34·87
nham	893	123	47	245	12	21	1,341	666,627	613,872	52,755	92·09	7·91
st	756	621	161	142	15	42	1,737	793,519	614,548	178,971	77·45	22·55
oreland	229	94	20	220	15	40	627	214,553	169,529	45,024	79·02	20·98
Total	4,153	1,585	513	2,051	76	238	8,616	4,614,457	3,991,630	622,827	86·50	13·50
Western Slope.												
r	11	3	4	74	1	14	107	622,786	566,426	56,360	90·95	9·05
ar	30	10	4	136	1	11	192	308,804	286,311	22,493	92·72	7·28
ago	17	1	1	33	..	..	52	37,755	37,750	5	99·99	0·01
.. .. ..	72	7	2	62	..	5	148	252,836	242,858	9,978	96·05	3·95
dine	148	21	6	111	2	4	292	214,076	193,311	20,765	90·30	9·70
e	3	..	..	67	..	..	70	70,640	70,640	....	100·00	..
y	18	1	..	119	1	4	143	174,954	165,101	9,853	94·37	5·63
gham	40	15	5	138	2	10	210	312,299	297,579	14,720	95·29	4·71
Total	339	58	22	740	7	48	1,214	1,994,130	1,859,956	134,174	93·27	6·73
Central Division	13,481	6,151	1,493	3,100	100	337	24,662	8,773,514	7,399,413	1,374,101	84·34	15·66

* For Occupiers of "Crown Lands only," see Table No. 50.

No. 42.—Number of Occupiers of Freehold, Leasehold, and Mixed &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Occupiers of—							Area Alienated.		
	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Partly Freehold and partly Private Rented.	Freehold with Crown Lands attached.*	Private Rented with Crown Lands attached.	Partly Freehold, partly Private Rented, and partly Crown Lands.	Total.	Total.	Freehold.	Private Rented.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	acres.	acres.	acres
C.—SOUTHERN DIVISION.										
8.—Coast.										
Camden	1,739	1,505	460	74	4	17	3,799	658,837	391,778	267,0
St. Vincent	711	353	133	129	11	26	1,363	320,979	232,239	88,7
Dampier	336	93	37	76	1	9	552	186,156	152,964	33,1
Auckland	542	190	104	62	5	8	911	342,115	283,755	58,3
Total	3,328	2,141	734	341	21	60	6,625	1,508,087	1,060,736	447,3
9.—Table-land.										
Forbes	263	32	13	128	3	6	445	389,673	369,164	20,5
Monteagle	601	57	43	106	2	16	825	553,687	524,095	29,5
Harden	610	132	64	99	3	14	922	834,464	766,681	67,7
King	482	126	72	299	6	28	1,013	600,183	533,000	67,1
Georgiana	241	84	29	264	12	50	680	337,260	266,240	71,0
Argyle	576	275	142	170	10	52	1,225	642,827	466,393	176,4
Murray	450	161	87	189	5	58	950	904,951	777,068	127,8
Cowley	31	4	..	65	..	11	111	117,497	99,503	17,9
Buccleuch	117	88	11	83	2	4	305	197,882	189,145	8,7
Clarendon	368	127	61	39	1	5	601	626,783	569,973	56,8
Wynyard	541	200	64	86	1	20	912	647,765	593,949	53,8
Goulburn	345	69	31	69	1	7	522	588,029	527,613	60,4
Selwyn	128	18	17	74	3	8	248	244,216	232,254	11,9
Wallace	133	23	13	200	6	12	387	428,964	412,824	16,1
Beresford	190	44	17	113	10	14	397	339,172	323,152	16,0
Wellesley	275	62	26	123	4	12	502	526,951	492,822	34,1
Total	5,360	1,502	690	2,107	69	317	10,045	7,980,304	7,143,876	836,4
10.—Western Slope.										
Dowling	21	3	1	45	..	4	74	117,443	114,164	3,27
Gipps	22	6	2	165	..	6	201	543,446	537,104	6,34
Bland	378	40	18	231	7	21	695	770,714	724,460	46,25
Bourke	398	78	30	94	2	5	607	638,385	586,021	52,36
Cooper	76	19	2	79	4	7	187	651,259	636,733	14,52
Nicholson	37	15	3	51	2	2	110	352,666	339,363	13,30
Sturt	22	2	2	19	..	1	46	605,076	600,532	4,54
Waradgery	52	12	3	66	1	16	150	931,218	894,288	36,9
Boyd	41	..	1	6	..	..	48	659,229	654,109	5,12
Mitchell	192	57	17	36	1	6	309	664,587	619,813	44,77
Urana	287	23	16	42	..	5	373	1,552,855	1,525,021	27,83
Townsend	171	44	12	36	2	3	268	1,673,844	1,645,688	28,15
Wakool	89	1	13	55	1	5	164	1,163,409	1,151,382	12,02
Cadell	156	21	22	7	..	1	207	483,584	469,374	14,21
Denison	211	174	23	12	2	4	426	665,155	580,347	84,80
Hume	315	94	48	18	1	1	477	886,234	821,862	64,37
Total	2,468	589	213	962	23	87	4,342	12,359,104	11,900,291	458,96
Total, Southern Division ..	11,156	4,232	1,637	3,410	113	464	21,012	21,847,495	20,104,813	1,742,6

* For Occupiers of "Crown Lands only," see Table No. 50.

Number of Occupiers of Freehold, Leasehold, and Mixed Holdings, &c.—*continued.*

ies.	Occupiers of— Freehold.	Private Rented.	Partly Freehold and partly Private Rented.	Freehold with Crown Lands attached.*	Private Rented with Crown Lands attached.	Partly Freehold, partly Private Rented, and partly Crown Lands.	Total.	Area Alienated. Total.	Freehold.	Private rented.	Percentage of Land in each Class of Holding. Freehold.	Private rented.
	No.	No.	No	No.	No.	No.	No	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent
ERN DIVISION.												
estern Plains.												
.. ..	9	4	..	18	7	2	40	137,273	136,330	943	99·31	0·69
.. ..	12	7	5	18	3	1	46	92,952	71,026	21,926	76·41	23·59
.. ..	9	2	..	7	..	..	18	15,544	14,544	1,000	93·57	6·43
a	21	1	..	17	1	..	40	26,081	25,601	480	98·16	1·84
.. ..	5	..	..	6	..	..	11	11,082	11,082	....	100·00	..
.. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	40	40	....	100·00	..
.. ..	17	12	..	19	2	1	51	41,401	38,752	2,649	93·60	6·40
.. ..	16	6	..	30	2	3	57	136,703	84,266	52,437	61·64	38·36
.. ..	36	8	1	13	1	..	59	14,031	12,797	1,234	91·21	8·79
.. ..	3	..	..	6	2	..	11	10,945	8,225	2,720	75·15	24·85
gh	1	..	..	3	..	..	4	9,111	9,111	....	100·00	..
a	..	..	..	5	..	..	5	2,140	2,140	....	100·00	..
.. ..	2	..	..	7	..	..	9	9,067	9,067	....	100·00	..
.. ..	1	1	..	3	..	..	5	8,906	8,761	145	98·37	1·63
.. ..	2	1	..	7	..	..	10	6,685	6,605	80	98·80	1·20
.. ..	4	..	..	3	..	..	7	3,067	3,067	....	100·00	..
.. ..	32	..	2	8	..	..	42	8,711	8,501	210	97·59	2·41
.. ..	23	8	1	19	..	..	51	65,429	62,383	3,046	95·34	4·66
.. ..	7	1	..	11	1	..	20	28,193	27,773	420	98·51	1·49
.. ..	6	5	..	17	4	2	34	206,639	200,835	5,804	97·19	2·81
.. ..	1	2	..	11	3	1	18	214,424	195,276	19,148	91·07	8·93
.. ..	42	7	6	22	..	2	79	352,378	346,798	5,580	98·42	1·58
.. ..	14	1	3	8	..	..	26	18,634	18,632	2	99·99	0·01
.. ..	3	..	..	4	..	..	7	13,013	13,013	....	100·00	..
.. ..	..	2	..	6	..	..	8	35,342	35,142	200	99·43	0·57
.. ..	24	5	..	15	..	..	44	22,978	22,706	272	98·82	1·18
.. ..	3	2	..	3	..	1	9	17,956	13,530	4,426	75·35	24·65
.. ..	1	1	..	1	..	..	3	720	640	80	88·89	11·11
.. ..	3	..	..	3	1	..	7	5,804	5,803	1	99·98	0·02
.. ..	5	1	..	..	..	..	6	5,485	5,445	40	99·27	0·73
.. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	360	360	....	100·00	..
.. ..	1	..	..	3	..	..	4	2,730	2,730	....	100·00	..
.. ..	33	5	2	14	..	1	55	70,500	69,752	748	98·94	1·06
.. ..	2	..	1	11	1	..	15	46,867	39,737	7,130	84·79	15·21
.. ..	3	1	..	7	..	..	11	27,061	27,057	4	99·99	0·01
.. ..	4	..	..	6	..	1	11	43,053	42,933	120	99·72	0·28
.. ..	2	..	..	3	..	..	5	4,246	4,246	....	100·00	..
.. ..	6	..	..	8	..	1	15	14,648	14,328	320	97·82	2·18
a	133	56	2	17	2	..	210	13,595	12,169	1,426	89·51	10·49
.. ..	3	..	..	6	..	..	9	3,341	3,341	....	100·00	..
.. ..	1	..	..	3	..	..	4	3,182	3,182	....	100·00	..
)	2	1	..	9	..	..	12	7,741	7,661	80	98·97	1·03
.. ..	3	3	..	5	..	..	11	5,514	5,224	290	94·74	5·26
.. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	120	120	....	100·00	..
.. ..	3	..	..	4	..	..	7	2,062	2,062	....	100·00	..
, Western ision ..	498	143	23	389	30	16	1,099	1,765,694	1,632,733	132,961	92·47	7·53
, New South ies	33,327	14,093	4,071	10,254	327	1,071	63,143	43,467,212	39,204,694	4,262,518	90·19	9·81

* For Occupiers of "Crown Lands only," see Table No. 50.

No. 43.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, Freehold and Rented, i Counties of each Division; also Area Enclosed and Unenclosed in Class, and Portion Cultivated, Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Counties.	Total Area, Freehold and Private Rented.	Total under Crop, Freehold and Private Rented.	Freehold.				Private Rented.		
			Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.	Under Crop (included in foregoing).	Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.
	acres	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
A.—NORTHERN DIVISION.									
1.—Coast.									
Rous	551,237	33,393	338,158	128,621	466,779	20,855	61,362	23,096	84,458
Richmond	196,155	8,648	167,604	6,717	174,321	5,702	21,105	729	21,834
Clarence	204,828	35,669	136,812	6,141	142,953	19,037	60,460	1,415	61,875
Fitzroy	105,746	4,891	75,879	20,653	96,532	3,936	6,734	2,480	9,214
Raleigh	75,840	11,470	23,424	31,865	55,289	7,300	8,765	11,786	20,551
Dudley	130,124	13,216	78,035	5,456	83,491	6,195	45,211	1,422	46,633
Macquarie	322,615	27,922	166,090	62,546	228,636	14,801	76,925	17,054	93,979
Gloucester	586,530	13,095	198,198	129,215	327,413	8,949	83,781	175,336	259,117
Total	2,173,075	148,304	1,184,200	391,214	1,575,414	86,775	364,343	233,318	597,661
2.—Table-land.									
Parry	507,389	14,304	483,063	6,228	489,291	11,366	16,892	1,206	18,098
Buckland	706,582	10,842	693,281	395	693,676	10,224	12,806	100	12,906
Vernon	322,103	2,785	304,863	10,094	314,957	2,665	7,132	14	7,146
Inglis	176,311	7,340	149,393	4,798	154,191	6,440	21,393	727	22,120
Darling	295,439	16,269	271,427	2,623	274,050	13,628	21,389	....	21,389
Sandon	491,421	16,692	457,183	1,256	458,439	14,014	32,763	219	32,982
Clarke	154,552	1,754	116,475	33,635	150,110	1,532	4,442	....	4,442
Hardinge	241,557	4,879	220,007	8,151	228,158	4,142	13,205	194	13,399
Clive	138,873	6,581	113,559	22,652	136,211	6,395	2,572	90	2,662
Hawes	97,466	229	47,864	48,927	96,791	202	675	....	675
Gresham	20,632	156	7,603	12,549	20,152	148	440	40	480
Gough	595,245	21,192	528,510	24,678	553,188	16,738	40,766	1,291	42,057
Arrawatta	241,837	8,452	220,692	2,936	223,628	7,966	18,149	60	18,209
Drake	115,734	341	113,006	1,229	114,235	181	1,499	....	1,499
Buller	49,502	493	39,379	7,750	47,129	486	1,997	376	2,373
Total	4,154,643	112,210	3,766,395	187,901	3,954,296	96,127	196,120	4,317	200,437
3.—Western Slope.									
Stapylton	188,846	46	170,841	5,488	176,329	39	12,317	200	12,517
Burnett	449,191	2,205	426,214	16,894	443,108	1,877	6,053	50	6,083
Courallie	602,159	673	586,568	1,282	587,850	509	13,669	640	14,309
Benarba	317,775	56	282,274	18,709	300,983	56	16,792	....	16,792
Murchison	225,043	8,632	204,399	8,456	212,855	8,128	11,663	525	12,188
Nandewar	289,401	3,711	274,534	1,714	276,248	3,429	12,694	459	13,153
Jamison	401,613	399	392,048	80	392,128	375	9,485	....	9,485
Denham	258,027	39	201,842	16,418	218,260	34	39,767	....	39,767
Leichhardt	583,279	752	541,433	2,585	544,018	647	37,161	2,100	39,261
Baradine	126,159	779	114,884	7,832	122,716	768	3,438	5	3,443
White	40,953	285	37,526	231	37,757	254	3,196	....	3,196
Pottinger	879,726	3,028	849,484	5,716	855,200	2,859	24,326	210	24,526
Napier	172,159	948	156,604	1,248	157,851	869	14,197	111	14,308
Gowen	218,460	3,121	209,664	3,148	212,812	2,697	5,019	629	5,648
Total	4,752,791	24,648	4,448,314	89,801	4,538,115	22,571	209,747	4,929	214,676
Total, Northern Division	11,080,509	285,162	9,398,819	668,916	10,067,735	205,473	770,210	242,564	1,012,774

3.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, Freehold and Private Rented, &c.—*continued.*

ities.	Total Area, Freehold and Private Rented.	Total Area under Crop, Freehold and Private Rented.	Freehold.				Private Rented.			
			Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.	Under Crop (included in foregoing).	Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.	Under Crop (included in foregoing).
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
RAL DIVISION.										
ter and Hawkesbury Valleys.										
.. ..	825,691	23,585	647,541	4,163	651,704	10,044	173,010	977	173,987	13,541
.. ..	129,821	3,408	108,504	3,862	112,366	2,179	13,853	3,602	17,455	1,229
erland ..	548,096	28,146	270,498	94,059	364,557	15,569	159,276	24,263	183,539	12,577
.. ..	188,638	12,758	115,372	20,029	135,401	9,479	50,624	2,613	53,237	3,279
.. ..	1,692,246	67,897	1,141,915	122,113	1,264,028	37,271	396,763	31,455	428,218	30,626
ity of Cumberland.										
istricts.)										
an.. ..	43,662	4,809	24,464	5,378	29,842	2,586	12,470	1,350	13,820	2,223
.. ..	25,888	6,771	18,457	3,889	22,346	5,945	3,507	35	3,542	826
a	53,346	9,759	34,389	2,653	37,042	8,194	15,247	1,057	16,304	1,565
.. ..	74,231	3,748	27,517	9,423	36,940	2,854	25,816	11,475	37,291	894
part of) ..	33,897	1,118	17,123	....	17,123	822	16,774	....	16,774	296
own ..	50,501	2,573	20,509	9,388	29,897	1,509	20,016	588	20,604	1,064
g (part of)	11,219	293	3,449	5,720	9,169	219	1,371	679	2,050	74
part of) ..	61,415	9,753	39,040	6,223	45,263	6,237	15,782	370	16,152	3,516
art of) ..	118,522	7,781	52,590	3,587	56,177	4,796	61,571	774	62,345	2,985
.. ..	472,681	46,605	237,538	46,261	283,790	33,162	172,554	16,328	188,882	13,443
le-land.										
.. ..	942,154	8,797	873,599	5,798	879,397	7,308	62,657	100	62,757	1,489
.. ..	296,423	14,223	253,342	13,215	266,557	10,364	27,156	2,710	29,866	3,859
.. ..	424,982	6,303	340,254	14,706	354,960	5,790	64,081	5,941	70,022	513
.. ..	267,421	26,722	240,403	4,182	244,585	23,958	22,076	760	22,836	2,764
.. ..	333,149	23,458	315,767	2,607	318,374	20,736	14,605	170	14,775	2,722
.. ..	385,029	20,562	338,704	1,841	340,545	15,557	43,691	793	44,484	5,005
.. ..	290,600	24,215	185,282	3,981	189,263	9,612	100,637	700	101,337	14,603
am.. ..	666,627	57,820	608,733	5,139	613,872	52,370	51,980	775	52,755	5,450
.. ..	793,519	89,608	611,496	3,052	614,548	54,063	177,661	1,310	178,971	35,545
land ..	214,553	10,785	164,331	5,198	169,529	7,447	43,884	1,140	45,024	3,338
.. ..	4,614,457	282,493	3,931,911	59,719	3,991,630	207,205	608,428	14,399	622,827	75,288
rn Slope.										
.. ..	622,786	229	545,423	21,003	566,426	205	50,100	6,260	56,360	24
.. ..	308,804	2,006	284,993	1,318	286,311	1,935	22,155	338	22,493	71
.. ..	37,735	821	34,019	3,711	37,730	821	5	....	5	....
.. ..	252,836	821	242,217	641	242,858	785	9,978	....	9,978	36
.. ..	214,076	17,031	167,348	25,963	193,311	15,655	20,745	20	20,765	1,376
.. ..	70,640	1,649	69,680	960	70,640	1,649	....	....	....	....
.. ..	174,954	5,020	161,291	3,810	165,101	4,978	9,853	....	9,853	42
am.. ..	312,299	7,837	293,669	3,910	297,579	7,622	14,720	....	14,720	215
.. ..	1,994,130	35,414	1,798,640	61,316	1,859,956	33,650	127,556	6,618	134,174	1,764
al, Central Division ..	8,773,514	432,409	7,110,004	289,409	7,399,413	311,288	1,305,301	68,800	1,374,101	121,121

No. 43.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, Freehold and Private Ren &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area, Freehold and Private Rented.	Total Area under Crop, Freehold and Private Rented.	Freehold.				Private Rented.		
			Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.	Under Crop (included in foregoing).	Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
C.—SOUTHERN DIVISION.									
8.—Coast.									
Camden	658,837	29,447	367,458	24,320	391,778	15,745	261,530	5,529	267,059
St. Vincent	320,979	11,179	192,746	39,493	232,239	7,117	77,845	10,895	88,740
Dampier	186,156	4,722	131,582	21,382	152,964	3,366	28,870	4,322	33,192
Auckland	342,115	7,723	265,520	18,235	283,755	5,953	54,301	4,059	58,360
Total	1,508,087	53,071	957,306	103,430	1,060,736	32,181	422,546	24,805	447,351
9.—Table-land.									
Forbes	389,673	21,231	368,212	952	369,164	19,252	20,509	....	20,509
Monteagle	553,687	45,884	521,117	2,978	524,095	44,567	26,391	3,201	29,592
Harden	834,464	52,805	752,638	14,043	766,681	42,097	67,283	500	67,783
King	600,183	15,713	531,392	1,608	533,000	13,108	67,072	111	67,183
Georgiana	337,260	6,673	259,383	6,857	266,240	5,136	68,300	2,720	71,020
Argyle	642,827	15,305	462,663	3,730	466,393	10,569	175,621	813	176,434
Murray	904,951	12,483	770,271	6,797	777,068	10,165	126,858	1,025	127,883
Cowley	117,497	986	97,715	1,788	99,503	916	17,874	120	17,994
Bucclench	197,882	6,225	176,030	13,115	189,145	3,132	8,737	....	8,737
Clarendon	626,783	72,257	508,709	1,264	509,973	51,336	56,893	7	56,910
Wynyard	647,765	22,964	589,977	3,972	593,949	12,256	51,389	2,427	53,816
Goulburn	588,029	20,524	526,515	1,098	527,613	18,226	60,412	4	60,416
Selwyn	244,216	2,274	220,737	11,517	232,254	2,008	11,392	600	11,992
Wallace	428,964	3,795	411,050	1,774	412,824	3,469	15,960	780	16,740
Beresford	339,172	4,606	309,689	13,463	323,152	4,204	15,662	358	16,020
Wellesley	526,951	4,195	489,657	3,165	492,822	3,610	33,356	773	34,129
Total	7,980,304	307,920	7,055,755	88,121	7,143,876	244,021	822,989	13,439	836,428
10.—Western Slope.									
Dowling	117,443	766	114,164	....	114,164	695	3,279	....	3,279
Gipps	543,446	5,681	533,849	3,255	537,104	5,619	6,342	....	6,342
Bland	770,714	44,852	707,045	17,415	724,460	38,741	43,092	1,252	44,254
Bourke	638,385	86,048	570,022	15,999	586,021	62,299	59,344	2,020	62,364
Cooper	651,259	13,788	627,725	9,008	636,733	11,909	14,526	....	14,526
Nicholson	352,696	12,465	337,493	1,810	339,303	11,744	13,203	160	13,363
Sturt	605,076	2,701	600,532	....	600,532	2,701	4,544	....	4,544
Waradgery	931,218	3,671	894,006	282	894,288	2,786	36,920	1	36,930
Boyd	659,229	4,268	654,109	....	654,109	4,268	5,120	....	5,120
Mitchell	664,587	33,629	616,757	3,056	619,813	26,506	44,774	....	44,774
Urana	1,552,855	33,050	1,506,655	18,366	1,525,021	30,340	27,834	....	27,834
Townsend	1,673,844	17,979	1,641,520	4,168	1,645,688	14,890	26,655	1,501	28,156
Wakool	1,163,469	8,657	1,147,580	3,802	1,151,382	8,558	12,027	....	12,027
Cadell	483,584	25,454	467,963	1,411	469,374	22,285	14,210	....	14,210
Denison	695,155	137,889	578,085	2,262	580,347	84,958	72,699	12,109	84,808
Hume	886,234	109,281	821,809	53	821,862	90,350	64,372	....	64,372
Total	12,359,104	535,088	11,819,314	89,887	11,909,201	418,649	441,860	17,043	458,903
Total, Southern Division ..	21,847,495	896,079	19,832,375	272,438	20,104,813	694,851	1,687,395	55,287	1,742,682

—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, Freehold and Private Rented, &c.—*continued.*

es.	Total Area, Freehold and Private Rented.	Total Area under Crop, Freehold and Private Rented.	Freehold.				Private Rented.			
			Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.	Under Crop (included in foregoing).	Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.	Under Crop (included in foregoing).
	acres.	acres	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
ERN DIVISION.										
estern Plains.										
.. ..	137,273	39	134,130	2,200	136,330	36	943	....	943	3
.. ..	92,952	87	69,465	1,561	71,026	74	21,884	42	21,926	13
.. ..	15,544	....	13,824	720	14,544	....	1,000	....	1,000	....
a ..	26,081	120	25,557	44	25,601	120	480	....	480	....
.. ..	11,082	16	11,052	30	11,082	16	....	....	....	....
.. ..	40	....	40	....	40	....	....	....	....	....
.. ..	41,401	98	37,147	1,605	38,752	61	2,569	80	2,649	37
.. ..	136,703	114	67,918	16,348	84,266	48	52,437	....	52,437	66
.. ..	14,031	97	11,922	875	12,797	68	1,233	1	1,234	29
.. ..	10,945	74	7,455	770	8,225	74	2,720	....	2,720	....
gh ..	9,111	13	9,111	....	9,111	13	....	....	....	....
ra ..	2,140	113	1,880	260	2,140	113	....	....	....	....
.. ..	9,007	175	8,407	600	9,007	175	....	....	....	....
.. ..	8,906	15	3,707	5,054	8,761	15	140	5	145	....
.. ..	6,685	129	6,605	....	6,605	129	80	....	80	....
.. ..	3,067	124	3,067	....	3,067	124	....	....	....	....
.. ..	8,711	506	7,663	838	8,501	464	210	....	210	42
.. ..	65,429	1,165	53,853	8,530	62,383	1,129	2,956	90	3,046	36
.. ..	28,193	182	26,580	1,193	27,773	182	420	....	420	....
.. ..	206,639	895	200,835	....	200,835	861	5,804	....	5,804	34
.. ..	214,424	167	195,276	....	195,276	157	19,148	....	19,148	10
.. ..	352,378	1,314	335,377	11,421	346,798	1,263	5,580	....	5,580	51
.. ..	18,634	526	18,623	9	18,632	526	....	2	2	....
.. ..	13,013	109	13,013	....	13,013	109	....	....	....	....
.. ..	35,342	278	35,142	....	35,142	278	200	....	200	....
.. ..	22,978	893	22,129	577	22,706	743	272	....	272	150
.. ..	17,956	....	11,740	1,790	13,530	....	4,426	....	4,426	....
.. ..	720	....	.....	640	640	....	80	....	80	....
.. ..	5,804	26	2,405	3,398	5,803	25	1	....	1	1
.. ..	5,485	60	2,180	3,265	5,445	60	6	34	40	....
.. ..	360	....	.....	360	360	....	....	....	....	....
.. ..	2,730	77	2,690	40	2,730	77	....	....	....	....
.. ..	70,500	770	69,541	211	69,752	707	626	122	748	6
.. ..	46,867	992	39,707	30	39,737	992	7,130	....	7,130	....
.. ..	27,061	220	27,017	40	27,057	216	4	....	4	4
.. ..	43,053	239	42,733	200	42,933	239	120	....	120	....
.. ..	4,246	8	4,192	54	4,246	8	....	....	....	....
.. ..	14,648	117	14,168	160	14,328	117	320	....	320	....
.. ..	13,595	....	10,613	1,556	12,169	....	1,075	351	1,426	....
.. ..	3,341	25	3,340	1	3,341	25	....	....	....	....
.. ..	3,182	....	3,181	1	3,182	....	....	....	....	....
.. ..	7,741	255	7,041	620	7,661	255	80	....	80	....
.. ..	5,514	30	5,224	....	5,224	30	245	45	290	....
.. ..	120	....	120	....	120	....	....	....	....	....
.. ..	2,062	....	2,020	42	2,062	....	....	....	....	....
, Western ision ..	1,765,694	10,068	1,567,690	65,043	1,632,733	9,529	132,189	772	132,961	539
ew South	43,467,212	1,623,718	37,908,888	1,295,806	39,204,694	1,221,141	3,895,095	367,423	4,262,518	402,577

No. 44.—Number of Alienated Holdings Over 1 Acre in Extent, arrange Area Series, for the Years ended 31st March, 1888–97.

Area Series.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	
Acres.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
1 to 5	4,285	4,055	4,265	5,454	5,770	6,288	6,847	7,824	8,414	
6 „ 15	2,753	2,834	3,025	3,350	3,431	3,876	4,045	4,477	4,687	
16 „ 30	2,423	2,358	2,431	2,450	2,639	2,732	2,905	3,102	3,218	
1 to 30	9,461	9,247	9,721	11,254	11,840	12,896	13,797	15,403	16,319	17
31 to 50	5,048	5,109	5,150	5,136	5,237	5,469	5,594	6,184	6,403	
51 „ 100	6,823	6,707	6,876	6,838	7,119	7,496	7,446	7,977	8,274	
101 „ 200	7,357	7,329	7,591	7,729	7,820	8,093	8,117	8,444	8,634	
201 „ 300	3,660	3,606	3,730	3,881	4,022	4,145	4,152	4,397	4,375	
301 „ 400	2,821	3,006	3,044	3,178	3,370	3,651	3,669	3,902	3,940	
31 to 400	25,709	25,757	26,391	26,762	27,568	28,854	28,978	30,904	31,626	3
401 to 500	1,683	1,639	1,670	1,749	1,707	1,780	1,765	1,850	1,794	
501 „ 600	1,144	1,125	1,180	1,216	1,172	1,267	1,224	1,208	1,306	
601 „ 700	2,482	2,424	2,367	2,266	2,595	2,676	2,533	2,624	2,448	
701 „ 800	585	624	652	686	675	705	706	788	747	
801 „ 900	393	438	467	486	472	500	532	547	553	
901 „ 1,000	491	500	513	503	537	525	553	552	575	
401 to 1,000	6,778	6,750	6,849	6,906	7,158	7,453	7,313	7,569	7,423	7
1,001 to 1,500	1,370	1,340	1,418	1,591	1,560	1,696	1,646	1,596	1,581	
1,501 „ 2,000	640	749	773	797	842	851	862	879	835	
2,001 „ 3,000	707	743	777	840	784	846	846	822	863	
3,001 „ 4,000	325	358	379	394	395	438	409	449	431	
4,001 „ 5,000	186	203	205	231	227	224	240	236	249	
5,000 „ 7,500	250	287	264	288	311	315	317	319	320	
7,501 „ 10,000	150	183	185	241	188	183	200	187	183	
1,001 to 10,000	3,628	3,863	4,001	4,382	4,307	4,553	4,520	4,488	4,482	4
10,001 to 15,000	168	162	202	220	219	203	197	219	235	
15,001 „ 20,000	119	106	122	116	122	131	119	120	117	
20,001 „ 30,000	104	118	125	119	132	125	115	116	128	
30,001 „ 40,000	43	55	64	67	57	60	68	59	62	
40,001 & upwards	132	139	145	134	147	153	144	142	137	
10,001 & upwards	566	580	658	656	677	672	643	656	679	
Total N.S.W...	46,142	46,197	47,620	49,960	51,550	54,428	55,251	59,020	60,529	6

).—Number and Area of each class of Alienated Holdings, arranged in :ea Series; together with the Proportion of each class to the total Area lienated, for the Year ended 31st March, 1897.

eries.	Holdings.							Area Alienated.			Percentage of Land in each Class of Holdings.	
	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Partly Freehold & partly Private Rented.	Freehold, with Crown Lands attached.	Private Rented, with Crown Lands attached.	Partly Freehold, partly Private Rented, partly Crown Lands.	Total.	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Total.	Freehold.	Private Rented.
es.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent.
5	5,780	2,920	281	87	8	2	9,078	15,280	8,734	24,014	63·63	36·37
15	3,028	1,615	315	29	11	6	5,004	31,299	17,431	48,730	64·23	35·77
30	1,848	1,323	263	23	5	3	3,465	44,967	34,810	79,777	56·37	43·63
30	10,656	5,858	859	139	24	11	17,547	91,546	60,975	152,521	60·02	39·98
50	3,984	1,864	249	507	31	4	6,729	196,446	84,485	280,931	69·93	30·07
100	4,655	2,327	466	958	65	28	8,499	468,537	205,421	673,958	69·52	30·48
200	4,901	1,816	685	1,394	56	82	8,934	1,022,896	333,152	1,356,048	75·43	24·57
300	2,300	777	429	938	24	81	4,540	894,582	255,907	1,150,489	77·76	22·24
400	2,006	486	261	1,182	31	73	4,039	1,162,745	226,813	1,389,558	83·68	16·32
400	17,846	7,270	2,081	5,069	207	268	32,741	3,745,206	1,105,778	4,850,984	77·21	22·79
500	900	239	186	515	10	44	1,894	708,214	157,980	866,194	81·76	18·24
600	642	133	146	329	7	39	1,296	600,839	119,605	720,444	83·40	16·60
700	839	150	117	1,227	23	39	2,395	1,389,553	154,595	1,544,148	89·99	10·01
800	334	82	85	248	6	43	798	489,480	110,196	599,676	81·62	18·38
900	252	46	67	168	3	29	565	410,284	74,448	484,732	84·64	15·36
1,000	228	57	66	178	2	38	569	443,799	100,185	543,984	81·58	18·42
1,000	3,195	707	667	2,665	51	232	7,517	4,042,169	717,009	4,759,178	84·93	15·07
1,500	650	111	154	629	15	109	1,663	1,783,347	286,382	2,069,729	86·16	13·84
2,000	295	53	98	362	11	70	889	1,340,687	226,416	1,567,103	85·55	14·45
3,000	305	52	79	354	4	90	884	1,869,785	316,388	2,186,173	85·53	14·47
4,000	137	11	37	194	5	61	443	1,381,980	161,127	1,543,107	89·56	10·44
5,000	55	7	22	121	2	43	250	986,331	147,089	1,133,420	87·02	12·98
7,500	75	10	35	164	6	44	334	1,831,839	216,922	2,048,761	89·41	10·59
10,000	44	9	13	102	1	29	198	1,539,854	186,159	1,726,013	89·21	10·79
10,000	1,561	253	438	1,926	42	446	4,666	10,733,823	1,540,483	12,274,306	87·45	12·55
15,000	24	3	11	130	2	39	209	2,369,288	242,955	2,612,243	90·70	9·30
20,000	17	1	3	79	..	19	119	1,990,155	89,567	2,079,722	95·69	4·31
30,000	12	..	8	88	1	26	135	3,089,725	260,307	3,350,032	92·23	7·77
40,000	6	1	2	46	..	9	64	2,148,127	121,834	2,269,961	94·63	5·37
res and ds.	10	..	2	112	..	21	145	10,994,655	123,610	11,118,265	98·89	1·11
upwards	69	5	26	455	3	114	672	20,591,950	838,273	21,430,223	96·09	3·91
.S.W...	33,327	14,093	4,071	10,254	327	1,071	63,143	39,204,694	4,262,518	43,467,212	90·19	9·81

No. 46.—Area of Alienated Lands, Enclosed, Unenclosed, and un

Area Series.	Area Enclosed			Area Unenclosed.		
	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Total.	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Tot
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acr
1 to 5	14,404	8,580	22,984	876	154	:
6 „ 15	29,395	17,096	46,491	1,904	335	:
16 „ 30	41,294	33,818	75,112	3,673	992	:
Total, 1 to 30	85,093	59,494	144,587	6,453	1,481	:
31 to 50	163,846	79,163	243,009	32,600	5,322	3
51 „ 100	400,874	191,882	592,756	67,663	13,539	8
101 „ 200	909,440	311,063	1,220,503	113,456	22,089	13
201 „ 300	814,182	239,473	1,053,655	80,400	16,434	9
301 „ 400	1,082,769	214,070	1,296,839	79,976	12,743	9
Total, 31 to 400 ...	3,371,111	1,035,651	4,406,762	374,095	70,127	44
401 to 500	651,596	148,631	800,227	56,618	9,349	6
501 „ 600	558,984	113,330	672,314	41,855	6,275	4
601 „ 700	1,315,291	142,772	1,458,063	74,262	11,823	8
701 „ 800	467,639	101,927	569,566	21,841	8,269	3
801 „ 900	386,344	69,234	455,578	23,940	5,214	2
901 „ 1,000	419,931	91,443	511,374	23,868	8,742	3
Total, 401 to 1,000 ...	3,799,785	667,337	4,467,122	242,384	49,672	29
1,001 to 1,500	1,702,172	259,965	1,962,137	81,175	26,417	10
1,501 „ 2,000	1,307,577	213,591	1,521,168	33,110	12,825	4
2,001 „ 3,000	1,798,747	306,671	2,105,418	71,038	9,717	8
3,001 „ 4,000	1,338,746	155,977	1,494,723	43,234	5,150	4
4,001 „ 5,000	950,994	145,925	1,096,919	35,337	1,164	3
5,001 „ 7,500	1,784,977	202,342	1,987,319	46,862	14,580	6
7,501 „ 10,000	1,504,968	158,199	1,663,167	34,886	27,960	6
Total, 1,001 to 10,000...	10,388,181	1,442,670	11,830,851	345,642	97,813	44
10,001 to 15,000	2,297,943	212,215	2,510,158	71,345	30,740	10
15,001 „ 20,000	1,952,658	72,947	2,025,605	37,497	16,620	5
20,001 „ 30,000	3,063,614	214,517	3,278,131	26,111	45,790	7
30,001 „ 40,000	2,080,939	66,654	2,147,593	67,188	55,180	12
40,001 and upwards ...	10,869,564	123,610	10,993,174	125,091	.....	12
Total, 10,001 and upwards	20,264,718	689,943	20,954,661	327,232	148,330	48
Total, New South Wales	37,908,888	3,895,095	41,803,983	1,295,806	367,423	1

p in Holdings of various areas, Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Extent of Holdings.			Area under Crop.			Area Series.
hold.	Private Rented.	Total.	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Total.	
res.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
5,280	8,734	24,014	4,000	2,708	6,708	1 to 5.
1,299	17,431	48,730	10,302	6,804	17,106	6 „ 15.
4,967	34,810	79,777	13,528	16,261	29,789	16 „ 30.
1,546	60,975	152,521	27,830	25,773	53,603	Total, 1 to 30.
6,446	84,485	280,931	33,546	32,888	66,434	31 to 50.
8,537	205,421	673,958	67,848	52,243	120,091	51 „ 100.
2,896	333,152	1,356,048	122,106	63,137	185,243	101 „ 200.
4,582	255,907	1,150,489	86,409	46,921	133,330	201 „ 300.
2,745	226,813	1,389,558	101,340	42,964	144,304	301 „ 400.
5,206	1,105,778	4,850,984	411,249	238,153	649,402	Total, 31 to 400.
8,214	157,980	866,194	56,725	25,316	82,041	401 to 500.
0,839	119,605	720,444	53,650	18,122	71,772	501 „ 600.
9,553	154,595	1,544,148	84,438	17,621	102,059	601 „ 700.
9,480	110,196	599,676	30,869	14,817	45,686	701 „ 800.
0,284	74,448	484,732	25,605	7,782	33,387	801 „ 900.
3,799	100,185	543,984	25,087	6,871	31,958	901 „ 1,000.
2,169	717,009	4,759,178	276,374	90,529	366,903	Total, 401 to 1,000.
3,347	286,382	2,069,729	97,867	13,925	111,792	1,101 to 1,500.
0,687	226,416	1,567,103	70,004	13,434	83,438	1,501 „ 2,000.
9,785	316,388	2,186,173	72,882	10,914	83,796	2,001 „ 3,000.
1,980	161,127	1,543,107	44,142	4,147	48,289	3,001 „ 4,000.
6,331	147,089	1,133,420	16,334	609	16,943	4,001 „ 5,000.
1,839	216,922	2,048,761	41,480	908	42,388	5,001 „ 7,500.
9,854	186,159	1,726,013	17,767	346	18,113	7,501 „ 10,000.
3,823	1,540,483	12,274,306	360,476	44,283	404,759	Total, 1,001 to 10,000.
9,288	242,955	2,612,243	14,746	2,860	17,606	10,001 to 15,000.
0,155	89,567	2,079,722	23,639	885	24,524	15,001 „ 20,000.
9,725	260,307	3,350,032	62,273	38	62,311	20,001 „ 30,000.
8,127	121,834	2,269,961	25,902	21	25,923	30,001 „ 40,000.
4,655	123,610	11,118,265	18,652	35	18,687	40,001 and upwards.
1,950	838,273	21,430,223	145,212	3,839	149,051	Total, 10,001 and upwards.
4,694	4,262,518	43,467,212	1,221,141	402,577	1,623,718	Total, New South Wales.

No. 47.—Number and Extent of Alienated Holdings, Area Cult end

Counties.	Total Area Alienated.	Holdings from 1 to 30 Acres.					Holdings from 31 to 400 Ac			
		Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.
			Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.	
A—NORTHERN DIVISION.	acres.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acre
1.—Coast.										
Rous	551,237	303	3,725	0·68	1,620	43·49	1,724	220,622	40·02	26,
Richmond	196,155	72	690	0·35	321	46·52	361	44,434	22·65	6,
Clarence	204,828	363	3,356	1·64	2,207	65·76	1,121	124,088	60·58	30,
Fitzroy	105,746	12	156	0·15	69	44·24	314	44,911	42·47	3,
Raleigh	75,840	38	529	0·70	220	41·59	558	68,708	90·60	10,
Dudley	130,124	153	1,957	1·50	1,221	62·39	426	51,706	39·74	10,
Macquarie	322,615	307	4,289	1·33	2,242	52·27	1,143	125,805	39·00	21,
Gloucester	586,530	130	1,853	0·32	602	32·49	946	121,159	20·66	10,
Total	2,173,075	1,378	16,555	0·76	8,502	51·36	6,593	801,433	36·88	129,
2.—Table-land.										
Parry	507,389	108	1,117	0·22	763	68·31	274	48,965	9·65	8,
Buckland	706,582	82	733	0·10	268	36·56	185	30,556	4·32	4,
Vernon	322,103	68	451	0·14	111	24·61	133	27,445	8·52	
Inglis	176,311	36	435	0·25	239	54·94	245	39,322	22·30	4,
Darling	295,439	39	282	0·10	203	71·99	240	46,173	15·63	6,
Sandon	491,421	332	2,184	0·44	609	27·88	367	57,418	11·68	9,
Clarke	154,552	5	98	0·06	65	66·33	122	22,850	14·79	1,
Hardinge	241,557	25	207	0·09	118	57·00	182	33,236	13·70	2,
Clive	138,873	132	823	0·59	277	33·66	327	45,804	32·98	4,
Hawes	97,466	..	..	..	..	..	78	17,859	18·32	
Gresham	20,632	3	10	0·05	3	30·00	10	1,321	6·40	
Gough	595,245	122	1,275	0·21	523	41·02	482	71,220	11·96	12,
Arrawatta	241,837	7	41	0·02	18	43·90	157	25,984	10·74	3,
Drake	115,734	8	72	0·06	41	56·94	28	5,653	4·88	
Buller	49,502	8	21	0·04	4	36·36	114	20,161	40·73	
Total	4,154,643	975	7,749	0·18	3,242	41·84	2,944	494,067	11·89	58,
3.—Western Slope										
Stapylton	188,846	5	10	0·00	..	..	23	5,351	2·83	
Burnett	449,191	29	221	0·04	34	15·38	82	13,648	3·04	
Courallie	602,159	25	201	0·03	36	17·91	49	7,238	1·20	
Benarba	317,775	3	6	0·00	..	..	35	7,602	2·39	
Murchison	225,043	28	212	0·10	79	37·26	174	29,480	13·10	4
Nandewar	249,401	21	249	0·09	90	36·14	136	23,025	7·56	1,
Jamison	401,613	1	10	0·00	5	50·00	24	4,253	1·06	
Denham	258,027	..	..	..	..	..	20	3,055	1·54	
Leichhardt	583,279	9	111	0·02	50	45·05	70	13,171	2·26	
Baradine	126,159	16	138	0·11	10	7·24	67	12,386	9·82	
White	40,973	39	257	0·63	55	21·40	33	3,788	9·25	
Pottinger	879,726	46	259	0·03	107	41·31	125	19,249	2·19	
Napier	172,159	7	43	0·03	6	13·95	37	5,008	2·91	
Gowen	218,460	38	474	0·22	108	22·78	142	21,859	10·00	
Total	4,752,791	267	2,191	0·05	580	26·47	1,017	170,013	3·58	
Total, Northern Division ..	11,080,509	2,620	26,495	0·24	12,324	46·51	10,554	1,465,513	13·23	

&c., in the Counties of each Division, arranged in Area Groups, Year March, 1897.

Holdings from 401 to 1,000 Acres.					Holdings from 1,001 to 10,000 Acres.					Holdings from 10,001 Acres and upwards.				
Holdings.	Area. Aggregate.	Area. Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.	Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area. Aggregate.	Area. Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.	Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area. Aggregate.	Area. Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.	Area Cultivated.	Average Area of Holdings in this Series.
No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	acres.
179	107,334	19·47	3,245	3·02	36	75,207	13·64	1,545	2·05	6	144,349	26·19	157	24,058
52	33,405	17·03	1,030	3·08	17	41,714	21·27	298	0·71	3	75,912	38·70	104	25,304
85	50,072	24·45	2,778	5·55	17	27,312	13·33	463	1·70	..	..	..	..	..
40	23,696	22·41	820	3·46	11	25,934	24·52	314	1·21	1	11,049	10·45	2	11,049
11	6,653	8·70	330	5·00	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
52	30,023	22·07	1,519	5·06	19	16,438	35·69	299	0·64	..	..	..	..	..
98	62,406	19·34	2,396	3·84	56	119,372	37·00	1,533	1·28	1	10,743	3·33	22	10,743
80	56,474	9·64	1,433	2·54	38	103,071	17·57	611	0·59	11	303,973	51·82	111	27,634
606	370,013	17·03	13,551	3·66	194	439,048	20·20	5,063	1·15	22	546,026	25·13	396	24,819
44	27,463	5·41	3,405	12·40	25	54,719	10·79	1,354	2·47	3	375,125	73·93	346	12,502
53	35,722	5·86	2,970	8·31	59	162,799	23·54	3,057	1·88	8	476,772	67·48	291	59,597
49	31,715	9·85	728	2·30	25	61,955	19·23	576	0·93	11	200,537	62·26	490	18,231
48	29,700	16·84	1,757	5·92	22	62,706	35·57	885	1·41	3	44,148	25·04	140	14,716
55	33,832	11·45	4,282	12·66	53	155,643	52·68	5,082	3·26	3	59,509	20·14	210	19,836
118	71,282	14·51	4,106	5·76	66	163,191	33·21	2,075	1·27	11	197,346	40·16	436	17,941
27	16,664	10·80	315	1·89	23	53,720	44·46	133	0·19	2	46,200	29·89	18	23,100
64	43,228	17·90	1,553	3·59	35	78,805	32·62	667	0·85	6	85,981	35·60	148	14,330
39	22,782	15·41	921	3·95	11	18,485	13·31	309	1·67	3	50,979	36·71	138	16,993
12	8,251	8·50	38	0·46	7	35,046	35·96	65	0·19	1	36,280	37·22	8	36,280
3	1,877	9·10	33	1·76	3	4,724	22·90	47	0·99	1	12,700	61·55	10	12,700
120	77,477	13·02	4,437	5·73	60	140,599	23·62	3,327	2·37	16	304,674	51·19	744	19,042
50	30,978	12·81	1,870	6·04	27	79,250	32·77	2,324	2·93	6	105,584	43·66	793	17,597
7	4,635	3·49	41	1·02	1	4,740	4·10	40	0·84	3	101,234	87·47	23	33,745
15	9,029	18·24	26	0·29	6	20,291	40·99	35	0·17	..	..	..	..	..
704	444,085	10·69	26,462	5·96	423	1,111,673	26·76	19,976	1·80	77	2,097,069	50·48	3,795	27,235
34	21,295	11·28	20	0·09	30	73,076	38·70	..	..	4	89,114	47·19	10	22,279
36	23,671	5·14	721	3·12	38	119,784	26·67	601	0·50	7	292,167	65·11	55	41,781
26	16,451	2·74	143	0·87	43	118,632	19·70	293	0·24	9	459,597	76·33	15	51,066
104	66,451	20·02	6	0·01	38	86,236	27·15	18	0·02	7	157,430	49·54	32	22,490
41	26,506	11·78	2,249	8·48	23	73,132	32·49	1,316	1·80	3	95,713	42·53	272	31,904
22	14,292	4·94	566	3·96	23	48,874	16·89	416	0·85	6	202,961	70·12	856	33,827
43	28,804	7·17	176	0·61	54	144,572	36·00	171	0·12	8	223,974	55·77	32	27,997
54	34,772	13·49	13	0·04	22	48,237	18·67	6	0·01	6	171,063	66·30	5	28,511
87	54,280	9·31	227	0·42	62	200,492	34·37	109	0·05	8	315,225	54·04	91	39,403
32	21,232	16·83	42	0·20	18	49,751	39·43	67	0·13	2	42,652	33·81	14	21,326
11	7,582	18·51	42	0·55	6	29,326	71·61	82	0·28	..	..	..	..	..
81	57,517	5·86	965	1·87	56	140,331	15·95	583	0·41	22	668,370	75·97	431	30,380
9	6,391	3·71	269	4·21	11	35,057	20·36	265	0·76	5	125,600	72·99	84	25,132
51	32,783	15·01	626	1·91	24	68,702	31·48	328	0·48	4	94,582	43·29	99	23,646
611	405,467	8·53	6,065	1·50	448	1,236,312	26·01	4,255	0·34	91	2,938,898	61·83	1,996	32,295
2,341	1,219,565	11·01	46,078	3·78	1,065	2,787,033	25·15	29,294	1·05	190	5,581,003	50·37	6,187	29,378

No. 47.—Number and Extent of Alien

Counties.	Total Area Alienated.	Holdings from 1 to 30 Acres.					Holdings from 31 to 400 Acres.			
		Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.
			Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.	
B.—CENTRAL DIVISION.	acres.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.
4.—Hunter and Hawkesbury Valleys.										
Durham	825,691	425	5,971	0·72	3,718	62·27	984	137,553	16·66	14,986
Hunter	129,821	31	424	0·33	178	41·98	196	25,774	19·85	2,652
Northumberland	548,096	1,262	12,955	2·36	4,986	38·49	1,550	173,212	31·60	18,844
Cook	188,638	524	5,061	2·68	1,729	34·16	651	68,510	36·32	9,163
Total	1,692,246	2,242	24,411	1·44	10,611	43·47	3,381	405,049	23·94	45,645
5. County of Cumberland and Metropolis. (*Police Districts.*)										
Metropolitan	43,662	2,593	15,964	36·56	3,826	23·97	241	19,129	43·82	969
Ryde	25,888	797	7,531	29·09	3,340	44·35	210	15,122	58·41	3,286
Parramatta	53,346	856	8,063	15·12	3,698	45·86	296	26,429	49·54	4,959
Liverpool	74,231	848	6,856	9·24	2,173	31·69	176	17,760	23·92	1,185
Camden (*part of*)	33,897	58	681	2·01	132	19·38	51	8,378	24·72	607
Campbelltown	50,501	170	1,880	3·72	376	20·00	195	26,317	52·11	1,733
Wollongong (*part of*) ..	11,219	40	286	2·55	54	18·88	42	4,833	43·06	237
Windsor (*part of*)	61,415	327	3,589	5·84	1,399	38·98	438	35,180	57·29	7,008
Penrith (*part of*)	118,522	629	6,411	5·41	1,809	28·22	352	38,171	32·21	4,897
Total	472,681	6,318	51,261	10·84	16,807	32·79	2,001	191,319	40·48	24,881
6.—Table-land.										
Brisbane	942,154	199	1,313	0·14	457	34·81	414	70,351	7·47	3,769
Phillip	296,423	106	920	0·31	257	27·93	549	78,243	26·40	10,575
Bligh	424,982	28	328	0·08	87	26·52	293	48,479	11·41	3,036
Lincoln	267,421	50	495	0·18	220	44·44	309	53,566	20·03	9,941
Gordon	333,149	13	153	0·05	75	49·01	311	63,265	18·99	10,433
Wellington	385,029	395	2,246	0·58	742	33·04	575	88,218	22·91	13,094
Roxburgh	290,600	207	1,590	0·55	734	46·16	439	57,483	19·78	10,085
Ashburnham	666,627	310	2,412	0·36	853	35·36	690	122,032	18·31	26,008
Bathurst	793,519	355	3,596	0·45	1,684	46·83	1,060	182,681	23·02	51,263
Westmoreland	214,553	37	471	0·22	176	37·37	456	71,770	33·45	5,786
Total	4,614,457	1,700	13,524	0·29	5,285	39·08	5,096	836,088	18·12	144,[illegible]
7.—Western Slope.										
Gregory	622,786	3	198	0·03	16	8·08	20	4,656	0·75	52
Ewenmar	308,804	2	23	0·01	3	13·04	66	10,784	3·49	565
Canbelego	37,735	3	15	0·04	....	..	20	4,714	12·49	221
Oxley	252,836	50	468	0·19	91	19·44	36	6,333	2·50	128
Narromine	214,076	71	704	0·33	175	24·86	107	17,908	8·36	2,732
Flinders	70,640	2	12	0·02	10	83·33	7	1,715	2·43	39
Kennedy	174,954	5	36	0·02	4	11·11	30	7,198	4·11	629
Cunningham	312,299	18	212	0·07	5	27·78	69	14,443	4·63	1,[illegible]
Total	1,994,130	154	1,668	0·08	304	18·22	355	67,751	3·40	[illegible]
Total, Central Division ..	8,773,514	10,414	90,864	1·03	33,007	36·33	10,833	1,500,207	17·10	[illegible]

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ldings from 401 to 1,000 Acres.				Holdings from 1,001 to 10,000 Acres.					Holdings from 10,001 Acres and upwards.				
Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Average Area of Holdings in this Series.
Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.		
acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	acres.
123,546	14·96	2,596	2·10	135	374,392	45·34	2,104	0·56	8	184,229	22·32	181	23,029
11,513	8·87	267	2·32	13	36,470	28·09	177	0·49	2	55,640	42·86	134	27,820
85,947	15·68	2,555	2·97	93	224,878	41·03	1,756	0·78	3	51,104	9·33	5	17,035
38,593	20·46	1,022	2·65	24	62,274	33·01	844	1·36	1	14,200	7·53	....	14,200
259,599	15·34	6,440	2·48	265	698,014	41·25	4,881	0·70	14	305,173	18·03	320	21,798
7,249	16·60	9	0·12	1	1,320	3·02	5	0·38	..	.....	..	....	....
1,992	7·70	144	7·23	1	1,243	4·80	1	0·01	..	.....	..	....	....
5,288	9·91	427	8·07	7	13,566	25·43	675	4·98	..	.....	..	....	....
16,949	22·83	302	1·78	11	21,591	29·09	88	0·41	1	11,075	14·92	....	11,075
5,838	17·22	141	2·42	9	19,000	56·05	238	1·25	..	.....	..	....	....
10,914	21·62	362	3·32	5	11,390	22·55	102	0·90	..	.....	..	....	....
1,500	13·37	2	0·01	2	4,600	41·00	....	..	..	.....	..	....	....
9,367	15·25	607	6·48	8	13,279	21·62	739	5·56	..	.....	..	....	....
19,833	16·73	688	3·47	27	54,107	45·65	387	0·71	..	.....	..	....	....
78,930	16·70	2,682	3·40	71	140,096	29·64	2,235	1·60	1	11,075	2·34	....	11,075
81,926	8·69	1,497	1·83	89	231,737	24·60	1,841	0·79	17	556,827	59·10	1,233	32,755
39,960	13·48	1,759	4·40	33	76,087	25·67	1,229	1·62	5	101,213	34·14	403	20,243
51,038	12·01	1,730	3·39	50	135,923	31·98	927	0·68	7	189,214	44·52	523	27,031
65,892	24·64	9,340	14·17	37	89,468	33·46	6,611	7·39	2	58,000	21·69	610	29,000
54,950	16·49	7,949	14·47	36	82,270	24·69	4,237	5·15	7	132,511	39·78	764	18,944
61,180	15·89	4,482	7·33	45	128,040	33·26	1,995	1·56	6	105,345	27·36	249	17,558
40,658	13·99	6,483	15·95	56	165,092	56·81	6,751	4·09	2	25,777	8·87	149	12,889
149,969	22·50	18,474	12·32	92	251,802	37·77	11,242	4·46	9	140,412	21·06	1,243	15,601
129,963	16·38	21,508	16·55	104	270,640	34·11	13,363	4·94	11	206,639	26·04	1,790	18,785
60,779	28·33	3,680	6·05	34	81,533	38·00	1,143	1·40	..	.....	..	....	....
736,315	15·96	76,902	10·44	576	1,512,592	32·78	49,339	3·26	66	1,515,938	32·85	6,964	22,969
16,181	2·60	15	0·09	41	122,512	19·67	88	0·07	17	479,239	76·95	58	28,191
36,977	11·97	612	1·65	61	157,539	51·02	739	0·47	6	103,481	33·51	87	17,247
12,731	33·74	512	4·02	9	20,275	53·73	88	0·43	..	.....	..	....	....
22,487	8·39	223	0·99	20	64,469	25·50	204	0·32	6	159,079	62·92	177	26,513
40,776	19·05	2,512	6·16	45	106,332	49·67	7,577	7·12	3	48,356	22·59	4,035	16,119
32,953	46·65	1,507	4·57	8	22,460	31·79	102	0·45	1	13,500	19·11	....	13,500
45,833	26·20	2,012	4·39	35	96,403	55·10	2,357	2·44	1	25,484	14·57	18	25,484
60,493	19·37	3,329	5·50	26	66,933	21·43	2,904	4·34	2	170,213	54·50	90	85,107
268,431	13·46	10,722	3·99	245	656,928	32·94	14,059	2·14	36	999,352	50·12	4,465	27,760
1,343,275	15·31	96,746	7·20	1,157	3,007,630	34·28	70,514	2·34	117	2,831,538	32·28	11,749	24,201

No. 47.—Number and Extent o

Counties.	Total Area Alienated.	Holdings from 1 to 30 Acres.					Holdings from 31		
		Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.	
			Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated
C.—SOUTHERN DIVISION.	acres.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.
8.—Coast.									
Camden	658,837	1,170	9,314	1·41	1,101	11·82	2,334	335,225	50·88
St. Vincent	320,979	365	2,754	0·86	670	24·33	829	119,058	37·08
Dampier	186,156	46	455	0·24	44	9·67	388	62,404	33·53
Auckland	342,115	180	1,553	0·45	413	26·59	479	79,360	23·20
Total	1,508,087	1,761	14,076	0·93	2,228	15·83	4,030	596,017	39·52
9.—Table-land.									
Forbes	389,673	50	832	0·21	258	31·01	261	48,805	12·52
Monteagle	553,687	270	2,229	0·39	612	27·46	373	57,623	10·41
Harden	834,464	216	2,045	0·24	476	23·28	418	72,584	8·70
King	600,183	114	939	0·15	301	32·06	597	99,575	16·59
Georgiana	337,260	61	667	0·20	208	31·18	434	71,996	21·35
Argyle	642,827	214	1,863	0·29	443	23·78	718	116,217	18·08
Murray	904,951	193	1,424	0·16	305	21·42	494	79,911	8·83
Cowley	117,497	..	.....	..	....	..	67	11,188	9·52
Buccleuch	197,882	45	728	0·37	598	82·14	186	27,437	13·86
Clarendon	626,783	165	1,246	0·20	337	27·05	253	49,473	7·89
Wynyard	647,765	314	2,079	0·32	689	33·14	401	61,852	9·55
Goulburn	588,029	123	1,251	0·21	321	25·66	250	40,419	6·87
Selwyn	244,216	57	225	0·09	39	17·33	118	23,521	9·63
Wallace	428,964	17	100	0·02	57	57·00	203	36,608	8·53
Beresford	339,172	70	486	0·14	164	33·74	212	30,547	9·01
Wellesley	526,951	93	700	0·14	254	33·42	240	34,030	6·46
Total	7,980,304	2,002	16,874	0·21	5,062	30·00	5,225	861,786	10·80
10.—Western Slope.									
Dowling	117,443	2	8	0·00	3	37·50	14	3,240	2·76
Gipps	543,446	3	32	0·01	30	93·75	44	9,043	1·66
Bland	770,714	74	519	0·07	93	17·91	349	82,591	10·72
Bourke	638,385	16	98	0·02	53	54·08	315	68,963	10·80
Cooper	651,259	29	166	0·02	21	12·65	49	11,398	1·75
Nicholson	352,666	5	86	0·02	34	39·53	30	5,885	1·67
Sturt	605,076	1	1	0·00	....	..	8	2,008	0·33
Waradgery	931,218	7	38	0·00	....	..	34	6,709	0·72
Boyd	659,229	..	....	..	....	..	13	2,816	0·43
Mitchell	664,587	10	133	0·02	31	23·31	140	29,822	4·49
Urana	1,552,855	53	316	0·02	36	11·39	116	23,795	1·53
Townsend	1,673,844	67	594	0·04	200	33·67	86	16,154	0·97
Wakool	1,163,409	4	15	0·00	9	60·00	31	6,966	0·60
Cadell	483,584	35	191	0·04	28	14·66	77	14,855	3·07
Denison	665,155	18	86	0·01	7	8·14	227	55,544	8·35
Hume	886,234	69	697	0·08	177	25·39	207	38,122	4·30
Total	12,359,104	393	2,980	0·02	722	24·22	1,740	377,911	3·06
Total, Southern Division ..	21,847,495	4,156	33,930	0·15	8,012	23·61	10,995	1,835,744	8·40

ngs, in Area Groups, &c.—*continued.*

Holdings from 401 to 1,000 Acres.				Holdings from 1,001 to 10,000 Acres.					Holdings from 10,001 Acres and upwards.				
Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Average Area of Holdings in this Series.
Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.		
acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	acres.
135,798	20·01	4,299	3·16	67	153,417	23·29	1,859	1·21	1	25,083	3·81	440	25,083
77,029	24·60	2,238	2·91	41	100,297	31·25	701	0·70	2	21,841	6·80	33	10,920
55,389	29·76	1,179	2·13	28	54,661	29·36	720	1·32	1	13,247	7·12	143	13,247
113,718	33·24	1,928	1·70	69	128,567	37·58	1,712	1·33	1	18,017	5·53	220	18,017
381,934	25·33	9,644	2·53	205	436,042	28·97	4,992	1·14	5	79,088	5·25	836	15,817
41,725	10·71	3,823	9·16	63	168,753	43·31	8,665	5·13	7	129,558	23·25	154	18,508
56,634	10·12	6,679	11·92	84	279,731	50·53	13,416	4·80	10	158,070	28·55	17,655	15,807
100,930	12·09	14,944	14·80	126	352,688	42·27	20,588	5·84	10	306,217	36·70	2,807	30,622
105,142	17·52	4,616	4·39	136	327,293	54·52	3,184	0·97	5	67,324	11·22	148	13,465
73,664	21·84	1,799	2·44	69	161,340	47·84	1,562	0·97	2	29,584	8·77	40	14,792
112,193	17·45	3,846	3·43	107	263,762	41·03	2,740	1·04	8	148,792	23·15	334	18,599
88,421	9·77	2,938	3·32	113	292,256	32·29	2,875	0·98	17	442,939	48·95	1,615	26,055
13,529	11·51	228	1·68	21	63,822	54·32	397	0·62	2	28,958	24·65	71	14,479
17,300	8·74	346	2·00	44	116,583	58·92	1,004	0·86	3	35,834	18·11	91	11,945
65,618	10·47	22,870	3·49	67	175,765	28·04	27,604	15·70	15	334,681	53·40	1,701	22,312
67,297	10·39	4,903	7·29	81	191,765	29·60	8,439	4·40	13	324,772	50·14	1,011	24,982
44,747	7·61	5,501	12·29	71	224,868	38·24	5,899	2·62	9	276,744	47·07	3,593	30,749
23,329	9·55	709	3·04	29	103,854	42·53	525	0·50	5	93,287	38·20	42	18,657
54,964	12·82	1,603	1·82	77	224,366	52·30	1,213	0·54	7	112,926	26·33	365	16,132
38,473	11·34	867	2·25	48	114,024	33·62	1,369	1·20	9	155,642	45·89	764	17,294
51,307	9·74	816	1·59	77	217,313	41·24	1,183	0·54	11	223,541	42·42	425	20,322
954,673	11·96	75,888	7·95	1,213	3,278,102	41·08	100,663	3·07	133	2,868,865	35·95	23,826	21,570
25,593	21·79	342	1·34	15	32,092	27·33	229	0·71	3	56,510	48·12	95	18,837
58,720	10·80	1,808	3·08	51	175,780	32·35	1,279	0·73	12	269,871	55·18	1,969	24,989
106,920	13·87	14,368	13·44	94	225,357	29·24	16,027	7·11	13	355,327	46·10	1,911	27,333
111,783	17·51	27,392	24·50	91	235,612	36·91	28,907	12·27	8	221,929	34·76	4,172	27,741
39,203	6·02	5,339	13·60	41	87,672	13·46	5,541	6·32	12	512,820	78·77	1,036	42,735
26,817	7·60	4,276	15·94	29	78,786	22·34	6,372	7·27	3	241,092	68·37	230	80,364
6,749	1·12	249	3·69	21	42,651	7·05	1,697	3·98	6	553,667	91·50	145	92,278
30,814	3·31	960	3·11	49	137,903	14·81	1,897	1·31	12	755,754	81·16	394	62,980
3,472	0·53	367	10·57	25	82,747	12·55	3,266	3·95	5	570,194	86·49	357	114,039
53,290	8·02	11,113	20·85	58	185,006	27·84	9,130	4·93	16	396,336	59·63	5,929	24,771
59,008	3·86	7,810	13·04	82	228,623	14·72	15,349	6·71	25	1,240,213	79·87	5,071	49,608
28,944	1·73	3,805	13·15	43	142,360	8·50	9,504	6·67	26	1,485,792	88·76	1,726	57,146
41,933	3·60	1,925	4·59	44	105,854	9·10	2,282	2·16	19	1,008,641	86·70	4,072	53,086
27,145	5·61	6,733	24·80	47	101,813	21·05	12,480	12·26	4	339,589	70·23	2,290	84,897
53,541	8·05	29,380	54·87	81	193,003	29·02	52,134	27·01	12	362,981	54·57	22,786	30,248
63,029	7·11	20,254	32·13	85	204,324	23·06	29,457	14·46	19	580,062	65·45	12,459	30,530
737,861	5·97	136,112	18·45	856	2,259,583	18·28	195,461	8·65	195	8,980,769	72·67	91,893	46,055
2,074,468	9·50	221,644	8·68	2,274	5,974,627	27·35	301,116	5·04	333	11,928,726	54·60	129,575	35,822

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Counties.	Total Alienated Area.	Holdings from 1 to 30 Acres.					Holdings from 31 to 400			
		Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.
			Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.	
D.—WESTERN DIVISION.	acres.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acr
11.—Western Plains.										
Finch	137,273	4	9	0·01	3	33·33	17	2,353	1·71	
Narran	92,952	5	19	0·02	8	42·11	11	1,931	2·08	
Culgoa	15,544	1	11	0·07	....	..	9	1,428	9·19	...
Gunderbooka	26,081	14	263	1·01	76	28·89	12	1,749	6·70	
Irrara	11,062	..	.....	..	....	..	6	720	6·50	
Barrona	40	..	.....	..	....	..	1	40	100·00	...
Cowper	41,401	6	54	0·13	12	22·22	25	2,786	6·73	
Clyde	136,703	8	81	0·06	42	51·85	11	1,776	1·30	
Robinson	14,031	18	74	0·53	12	16·20	30	3,889	27·72	
Yanda	10,945	..	.....	..	....	..	6	1,350	12·33	
Landsborough	9,111	..	.....	..	....	..	1	315	3·46	
Booroondarra	2,140	..	.....	..	....	..	3	460	21·50	
Rankin	9,007	..	.....	..	....	..	6	869	9·65	...
Killara	8,906	..	.....	..	....	..	3	449	5·04	
Woore	6,685	..	.....	..	....	..	6	640	9·57	
Werunda	3,067	..	.....	..	....	..	3	500	16·30	...
Mouramba	8,711	1	2	0·02	2	10·00	35	3,821	43·87	
Blaxland	65,429	3	33	0·05	6	18·18	29	3,687	5·64	
Mossgiel	28,193	2	8	0·03	....	..	9	1,340	4·75	
Franklin	206,629	1	4	0·00	4	100·00	10	2,538	1·23	
Waljeers	214,424	1	20	0·01	....	..	2	100	0·05	...
Caira	352,378	34	163	0·05	49	30·06	22	2,541	0·72	
Taila	18,634	15	27	0·14	3	11·11	6	1,450	7·78	
Kilfera	13,013	..	.....	..	....	..	3	220	1·69	..
Manara	35,342	..	.....	..	....	..	2	200	0·57	...
Young	22,978	18	73	0·32	15	20·55	8	970	4·22	
Yungnulgra	17,956	..	.....	..	....	..	6	550	3·06	..
Fitzgerald	720	..	.....	..	....	..	2	120	16·67	..
Ularara	5,894	2	9	0·15	1	11·11	2	135	2·33	
Yantara	5,425	1	1	0·02	....	..	1	40	0·73	...
Delalah	360	..	.....	..	....	..	1	360	100·00	...
Thoulcanna	2,730	..	.....	..	....	..	1	40	1·47	...
Wentworth	70,500	22	102	0·14	21	20·59	16	1,834	2·60	
Tara	46,867	..	.....	..	....	..	5	820	1·75	
Windeyer	27,061	1	4	0·01	4	100·00	3	436	1·61	..
Perry	43,053	1	2	0·00	1	50·00	4	912	2·12	..
Menindee	4,246	1	16	0·38	1	6·25	2	80	1·88	
Livingstone	14,648	..	.....	..	....	..	8	1,660	11·33	
Yancowinna	13,595	188	237	1·75	....	..	17	2,311	17·00	...
Tandora	3,341	1	1	0·02	....	..	3	200	5·99	
Farnell	3,182	2	2	0·06	....	..	1	320	10·06	...
Mootwingee	7,741	1	1	0·01	....	..	3	300	3·88	...
Evelyn	5,514	4	14	0·25	....	..	4	980	17·77	
Poole	120	..	.....	..	....	..	1	120	100·00	...
Tongowoko	2,062	2	2	0·10	....	..	3	180	8·73	...
Total, Western Division ..	1,765,694	357	1,232	0·07	200	21·10	359	49,520	2·81	1
Total, New South Wales ..	43,467,212	17,547	152,521	0·35	53,603	35·14	32,741	4,850,984	11·2	

ings, in Area Groups, &c.—*continued.*

Holdings from 401 to 1,000 Acres.				Holdings from 1,001 to 10,000 Acres.					Holdings from 10,001 Acres and upwards.				
Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Average Area of Holdings in this Series.
Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.		
acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	acres.
4,006	2·92	....	..	9	37,435	27·27	....	..	4	93,470	68·09	25	23,368
10,799	11·62	....	..	13	43,882	47·21	61	0·14	2	36,321	39·07	13	18,160
2,776	17·86	....	..	4	11,329	72·88	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
4,420	16·95	....	..	7	19,649	75·34	40	0·20	..	.....	....	..	....
1,692	15·27	1	0·06	2	8,670	78·23	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
6,736	16·27	4	0·06	11	31,825	76·87	27	0·08	..	.....	....	..	....
11,632	8·51	....	..	17	42,137	30·82	7	0·02	3	81,077	59·31	40	27,029
3,595	25·62	5	0·14	5	6,473	46·13	25	0·39	..	.....	....	..	....
640	5·85	....	..	4	8,955	81·82	54	0·60	..	.....	....	..	....
640	7·02	....	..	2	8,156	89·52	11	0·13	..	.....	....	..	....
540	25·23	8	1·48	1	1,140	53·27	45	3·94	..	.....	....	..	....
960	10·66	30	3·12	2	7,178	79·69	145	2·02	..	.....	....	..	....
.....	....	....	..	2	8,457	94·96	12	0·14	..	.....	....	..	....
.....	....	....	..	4	6,045	90·43	55	0·91	..	.....	....	..	....
2,567	83·70	124	4·83	..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
2,838	32·58	8	0·28	2	2,050	23·53	102	4·98	..	.....	....	..	....
2,780	4·25	37	13·80	14	42,929	65·61	1,020	2·38	1	16,000	24·45	40	16,000
1,900	6·74	55	2·89	5	10,945	38·82	42	0·38	1	14,000	49·66	50	14,000
6,466	3·13	88	1·36	8	24,468	11·84	502	2·05	4	173,163	83·80	214	43,291
3,520	1·64	7	0·20	6	18,284	8·53	40	0·22	4	192,500	89·77	120	48,125
11,763	3·34	448	3·81	3	7,166	2·03	25	0·35	4	330,745	93·86	542	82,686
1,883	10·11	6	0·32	1	1,700	9·12	102	6·00	1	13,574	72·85	40	13,574
1,100	8·45	33	3·00	2	11,693	89·86	76	0·65	..	.....	....	..	....
.....	....	....	..	5	24,018	67·96	202	8·41	1	11,124	31·47	76	11,124
7,797	33·93	197	2·53	6	14,138	61·53	510	3·61	..	.....	....	..	....
990	5·51	....	..	2	16,416	91·43	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
600	83·33	....	..	..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
680	11·72	....	..	2	4,980	85·80	6	0·12	..	.....	....	..	....
2,180	39·75	60	2·75	1	3,264	59·50	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
1,240	45·42	73	5·89	1	1,450	53·11	4	0·27	..	.....	....	..	....
4,644	6·59	377	8·12	8	17,074	24·22	166	0·97	2	46,846	66·45	135	23,423
3,430	7·32	543	15·83	3	10,980	23·43	280	2·55	2	31,637	67·50	33	15,818
1,702	6·29	....	..	4	12,934	47·80	95	0·73	1	11,985	44·29	121	11,985
2,014	4·68	71	3·52	1	4,511	10·48	76	1·68	2	35,614	82·72	91	17,807
820	19·31	....	..	1	3,330	78·43	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
3,000	20·48	50	1·67	3	9,988	68·19	60	0·60	..	.....	....	..	....
2,280	16·77	....	..	2	8,767	64·48	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
3,140	93·99	....	..	..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
.....	....	....	..	1	2,860	89·88	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
2,980	38·50	210	7·05	3	4,460	57·61	45	1·01	..	.....	....	..	....
480	8·71	....	..	2	4,040	73·27	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
640	31·04	....	..	1	1,240	60·13	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
121,870	6·90	2,435	2·00	170	505,016	28·60	3,835	0·76	32	1,088,056	61·62	1,540	34,002
4,759,178	10·95	366,903	7·71	4,666	12,274,306	28·24	404,759	3·30	672	21,430,223	49·30	149,051	31,890

No. 48.—Average Area of Alienated Holdings, 1880–97.

Year ended 31st March.	Average area of Holdings.	Year.	Average area of Holdings.	Year.	Average area of Holdings.
	acres.		acres.		acres.
1880	569	1886	778	1892	784
1881	691	1887	780	1893	750
1882	753	1888	778	1894	748
1883	770	1889	795	1895	707
1884	770	1890	787	1896	699
1885	762	1891	780	1897	688

No. 49.—Number and Extent of Alienated Holdings, Area Cultivated, Enclosed, and Unenclosed, 1879–97.

Year ended 31st March.	Number of Holdings.	Total extent of—				
		Holdings.	Land Enclosed.			Land Unenclose
			Under cultivation.	Under Permanent Artificially-sown Grasses.	Not under cultivation.	
		acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1879	37,887	21,471,596	564,198	49,444	15,903,803	4,954,1
1880	39,918	22,721,603	581,970	53,671	17,578,389	4,507,5
1881	39,992	24,193,318	629,180	81,157	19,300,560	4,182,4
1882	39,354	27,180,744	583,868	61,200	21,357,414	5,178,2
1883	39,760	29,960,749	660,207	73,355	23,551,008	5,676,1
1884	40,793	31,414,815	702,131	86,951	25,678,360	4,947,3
1885	43,079	32,843,317	735,021	116,996	27,550,250	4,441,0
1886	43,727	34,031,104	737,701	130,392	29,252,047	3,910,9
1887	44,932	35,056,740	837,468*	140,196	30,651,257	3,427,8
1888	46,142	35,895,645	855,627*	192,678	31,891,003	2,956,3
1889	46,197	36,729,679	794,347*	200,332	33,096,881	2,638,1
1890	47,620	37,497,889	942,198*	217,403	33,969,294	2,368,9
1891	49,960	38,959,225	847,235*	388,715	34,974,877	2,748,3
1892	51,550	40,050,286	840,896*	333,238	36,173,038	2,713,1
1893	54,428	40,798,666	1,003,025*	361,280	37,034,914	2,399,4
1894	55,251	41,317,498	1,199,050*	302,412	37,627,326	2,188,7
1895	59,020	41,736,073	1,309,659*	344,035	38,279,488	1,800,[illegible]
1896	60,529	42,321,926	1,325,940*	284,937	38,961,763	1,749,[illegible]
1897	63,143	43,467,212	1,623,718*	333,229	39,847,036	1,663,[illegible]

* The area of Crown lands under cultivation in 1887 was 5,168 acres; in 1888, 5,911 acres; in 1889, 4,619 acres; in 1891, 5,469 acres; in 1892, 5,487 acres; in 1893, 7,702 acres in 1894, 7,942 acres; in 1896, 10,[illegible] acres; and in 1897, 35,999 acres.

.—Area of Crown Lands Occupied under various forms of Lease, Culti-ated, &c., also Value of Improvements, in the Counties of each Division, ear ended 31st March, 1897.

unties.	Total Area Crown Lands Occupied.*	Area under Conditional Lease.	Area under Settlement Lease.	Area under other forms of Lease.	Area Cultivated.	Area under Permanent Artificially-sown Grasses.	Area Ringbarked and Partially Cleared.	Value of Improvements.	Holdings consisting of— Crown Lands attached to Alienated Holdings.	Holdings consisting of— Crown Lands only.
RTHERN DIVISION.										
-Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	£	No.	No.
.. .. ..	408,505	33,296	....	375,297	171	147	12,831	21,932	73	10
al	292,513	20,297	....	272,216	47	..	15,721	5,617	57	5
.. .. ..	250,300	10,073	....	240,227	208	..	3,164	3,834	87	16
.. .. ..	338,027	27,083	....	310,944	38	21	12,404	5,455	84	5
.. .. ..	13,248	4,209	....	9,039	82	49	895	2,119	33	10
.. .. ..	267,277	37,664	....	229,573	46	200	18,522	5,708	66	4
rie	65,291	15,430	....	49,861	18	7	8,444	4,138	33	4
ter	197,160	27,270	....	169,890	1,032	90	36,316	32,698	153	69
tal	1,832,369	175,322	....	1,657,047	1,642	514	108,298	81,501	586	123
Table-land.										
.. .. ..	178,359	82,333	....	96,026	77	2	35,229	26,685	130	9
d	151,895	90,088	6,766	55,041	25	..	49,250	28,545	89	5
.. ..	343,189	92,224	....	250,965	2	3,320	37,400	16,303	115	1
.. .. ..	207,062	126,338	....	140,744	55	200	39,192	17,251	150	10
.. .. ..	512,088	250,609	....	261,479	51	400	166,058	86,930	242	2
.. .. ..	201,119	93,562	....	107,557	95	..	38,301	73,518	135	30
.. .. ..	423,077	113,155	....	309,922	23	..	32,490	35,121	120	4
e	519,948	200,641	5,400	304,907	56	..	58,247	40,352	190	27
.. .. ..	964 655	50,086	....	914,569	2	..	21,871	25,827	123	9
.. .. ..	444,361	247,739	....	196,622	3	19	74,153	17,524	90	4
.. .. ..	241,044	1,930	....	239,114	..	..	6,850	6,322	8	8
.. .. ..	628,172	93,469	....	534,703	39	67	9,151	21,191	174	23
ta	613,956	72,720	1,094	540,142	24	25	22,339	18,000	104	3
.. .. ..	380,819	21,371	....	359,448	11	..	46,480	7,108	25	25
.. .. ..	237,642	44,605	....	192,037	6	1	17,281	9,080	71	..
tal	6,107,406	1,589,870	13,200	4,504,276	469	4,034	654,301	429,766	1,766	160
stern Slope.										
n	561,025	186,766	22,350	351,909	..	..	161,690	41,980	70	8
.. .. ..	788,203	390,182	4,283	393,738	110	..	208,783	42,275	106	3
.. .. ..	707,921	218,405	7,673	481,843	20	303	73,504	39,681	64	5
.. ..	1,618,568	442,423	110,392	1,065,748	3	..	262,983	139,652	168	40
m	848,958	112,101	12,388	724,469	103	..	200,411	50,852	108	9
ar	344,326	172,930	2,484	168,912	6	..	234,354	25,631	57	3
.. ..	875,259	301,089	54,907	519,263	14	..	93,100	94,092	102	20
.. ..	544,131	199,025	33,423	306,680	..	..	29,327	42,470	89	16
rdt	1,536,343	535,437	73,441	927,465	30	..	135,940	139,384	178	23
.. .. ..	919,504	113,480	45,606	760,418	61	19	40,438	53,734	82	20
.. .. ..	176,267	14,249	19,043	142,975	13	15	8,565	7,801	19	11
r	761,068	184,530	12,008	564,530	109	..	171,064	73,367	124	13
.. .. ..	498,031	33,414	3,382	461,235	177	..	106,961	31,601	37	2
.. .. ..	713,227	184,168	75,015	454,044	42	..	147,963	56,774	137	16
tal	10,892,831	3,088,204	481,398	7,323,229	693	427	1,875,143	830,277	1,341	189
al, Northern ivision ..	18,832,606	4,853,396	494,658	13,484,552	2,804	4,975	2,637,802	1,341,544	3,693	472

ange holdings extending into several counties are returned in the county where the homestead is situated.

No. 50.—Area of Crown Lands Occupied, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area Crown Lands Occupied.*	Area under Conditional Lease.	Area under Homestead Lease.	Area under Settlement Lease.	Area under other forms of Lease.	Area Cultivated.	Area under Permanent Artificially-sown Grasses.	Area Ringbarked and Partially Cleared.	Value of Improvements.	Hold consi of: Crown Lands attached to Alienated Holdings.
B.—CENTRAL DIVISION.										
4.—Hunter and Hawkesbury Valleys.										
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	£	No.
Durham	138,972	84,957	.....	..	54,015	59	..	65,264	32,022	213
Hunter..	27,302	7,310	.....	..	19,992	9	..	2,885	1,419	43
Northumberland ..	18,107	6,716	.....	..	11,391	29	..	1,265	1,308	46
Cook	76,179	9,746	.....	..	66,433	162	..	3,947	12,465	72
Total	260,560	108,729	.....	..	151,831	259	..	73,361	47,214	374
5.—County of Cumberland and Metropolis.										
(*Police Districts.*)										
Metropolitan	992	.....	.....	..	992	27	..	.....	....	..
Ryde	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	..	..	.....	....	..
Parramatta . ..	100	.....	.....	..	100	..	..	.....	....	..
Liverpool	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	..	..	.....	....	..
Camden (*part of*) ..	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	..	..	.....	....	..
Campbelltown ..	1,710	1,560	.....	..	150	..	..	8	200	3
Wollongong (*part of*)	182	182	.....	..	.....	1	..	.....	300	..
Windsor (*part of*) ..	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	..	..	.....	....	..
Penrith (*part of*) ..	.....	.....	.....	..	.....	..	..	.....	....	..
Total	2,984	1,742	.....	..	1,242	28	..	8	500	3
6.—Table-land.										
Brisbane	299,932	180,092	.....	..	119,840	..	40	106,324	44,561	244
Phillip	138,054	51,516	.....	..	86,538	51	..	30,352	17,083	197
Bligh	351,037	172,157	.....	..	178,880	106	72	65,541	45,427	293
Lincoln	496,158	211,978	.....	6,037	278,143	373	..	178,104	74,434	209
Gordon..	496,288	156,859	.....	..	339,429	1,001	13	88,842	46,078	190
Wellington	595,877	152,370	.....	..	443,507	113	18	83,669	51,961	284
Roxburgh	402,128	50,625	.....	..	351,503	44	..	24,758	23,583	196
Ashburnham	519,339	192,280	.....	2,089	324,970	871	1	184,716	61,687	278
Bathurst	389,143	41,608	.....	..	347,535	1,595	18,966	163,548	66,680	199
Westmoreland ..	179,396	85,194	.....	..	94,202	42	3,000	32,987	24,092	275
Total	3,867,352	1,294,679	.....	8,126	2,564,547	4,196	22,110	958,841	455,586	2,365
7.—Western Slope.										
Gregory	1,279,134	391,618	.....	30,294	857,222	7	..	122,526	128,520	89
Ewenmar	556,073	321,529	.....	11,497	223,047	24	1	189,274	73,322	148
Canbelego	1,338,303	49,189	160,742	42,367	1,086,005	376	1,920	453,611	88,674	33
Oxley	885,016	228,018	.....	15,036	641,962	438	..	140,729	60,790	67
Narromine	674,815	269,792	.....	1,562	403,461	97	..	373,802	115,461	117
Flinders	1,025,074	130,344	.....	..	894,730	674	..	318,920	133,375	67
Kennedy	985,460	340,813	.....	..	644,647	1,571	..	501,171	116,340	124
Cunningham	937,207	276,507	.....	..	660,700	2,581	..	601,061	189,972	150
Total	7,681,082	2,007,810	160,742	100,756	5,411,774	5,768	1,921	2,701,094	906,454	795
Total, Central Division ..	11,811,978	3,412,960	160,742	108,882	8,129,394	10,251	24,031	3,733,304	1,409,754	[illegible]

* holdings extending into several counties are returned in the county where the homestead is

No. 50.—Area of Crown Lands occupied, &c.—*continued.*

pties.	Total Area Crown Lands Occupied.*	Area under Conditional Lease.	Area under Settlement Lease.	Area under other forms of Lease.	Area Cultivated.	Area under Permanent Artificially-sown Grasses.	Area Ringbarked and Partially Cleared.	Value of Improvements.	Holdings consisting of— Crown Lands attached to Alienated Holdings.	Holdings consisting of— Crown Lands only.
UTHERN DIVISION.										
Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	£	No.	No.
.. ..	88,049	32,029	....	56,020	8	674	14,405	8,411	95	6
it	83,818	27,788	....	56,030	110	326	12,474	7,201	166	21
.. ..	82,111	13,190	....	68,921	12	135	4,688	23,335	86	4
.. ..	232,013	12,645	....	219,368	207	21	7,829	6,783	75	32
tal	485,991	85,652	....	400,339	337	1,156	39,396	45,730	422	63
ble-land.										
.. ..	330,444	175,500	20,354	134,590	376	100	126,624	49,942	137	6
.. ..	187,167	85,787	....	101,380	263	184	47,580	22,614	124	20
.. ..	139,022	70,427	....	68,595	160	..	36,416	26,276	116	17
.. ..	251,344	160,656	....	90,688	..	..	71,428	45,038	333	4
.. ..	453,269	110,411	....	342,858	74	150	64,744	36,672	326	30
.. ..	134,844	49,580	....	85,264	1	..	12,415	11,741	232	8
.. ..	232,270	99,998	....	132,272	2	..	37,758	29,509	252	4
.. ..	364,030	63,830	....	300,230	21	..	12,931	15,923	76	4
.. ..	294,784	64,003	....	230,781	42	..	23,958	20,195	89	10
.. ..	102,001	38,791	....	63,210	175	..	12,844	8,302	45	7
.. ..	323,091	109,762	....	213,329	28	835	70,530	41,244	107	21
.. ..	184,705	90,532	....	94,173	66	..	54,728	28,566	77	3
.. ..	353,452	83,927	....	269,525	21	17,081	122,116	20,907	85	19
.. ..	445,446	146,133	....	299,313	85	1,000	33,447	33,512	218	6
.. ..	451,363	60,249	....	391,114	1	..	41,861	13,862	137	5
.. ..	292,507	66,749	....	225,758	11	130	28,562	20,065	139	9
tal	4,539,760	1,476,335	20,354	3,043,080	1,326	19,480	797,942	424,368	2,493	173
tern Slope.										
.. ..	1,163,978	76,973	22,437	1,064,568	34	..	367,799	106,125	49	11
.. ..	1,148,475	346,266	98,708	703,501	581	25	694,155	193,315	171	8
.. ..	604,737	270,076	15,874	318,787	1,229	..	360,951	120,409	259	20
.. ..	661,819	341,807	8,390	311,622	2,780	..	113,730	115,280	101	9
.. ..	1,029,484	134,797	14,980	879,707	3,053	..	352,717	112,906	90	22
.. ..	521,891	210,882	7,122	303,887	2,281	135	5,270	34,158	55	3
.. ..	90,304	38,280	....	52,024	257	..	23,950	15,292	20	2
y	1,049,385	329,886	14,532	704,967	133	62	.....	71,646	83	15
.. ..	249,703	4,900	....	244,803	50	..	200	5,760	6	1
.. ..	238,187	26,422	....	211,765	50	310	85,196	30,086	43	4
.. ..	386,444	33,966	11,640	340,838	476	60	51,715	52,231	47	8
l	477,499	22,724	12,254	442,521	55	..	25,794	71,069	41	10
.. ..	650,401	102,194	4,037	544,170	745	530	242,163	69,324	61	4
.. ..	101,637	1,636	....	100,001	210	..	12,810	3,796	8	1
.. ..	74,807	2,797	....	72,010	360	..	43,446	16,560	18	2
.. ..	41,000	18,200	....	22,800	140	..	18,805	9,052	20	2
tal	8,489,751	1,961,806	209,974	6,317,971	12,434	1,122	2,398,701	1,027,009	1,072	122
Southern Division ..	13,515,511	3,523,793	230,328	9,761,390	14,097	21,758	3,236,039	1,497,107	3,987	358

Large holdings extending into several counties are returned in the county where the homestead is situated.

No. 50.—Area of Crown Lands Occupied, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total area Crown Lands occupied.*	Area under Conditional Lease.	Area under Homestead Lease.	Area under Settlement Lease.	Area under other forms of Lease.	Area cultivated.	Area under Permanent Artificially-sown Grasses.	Area Ringbarked and Partially Cleared.	Value of Improvements.	Holdi consis of— Crown Lands attached to Alienated Holdings.
D.—WESTERN DIVISION.										
11.—Western Plains.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	£	No.
Finch	2,861,037	15,468	1,236,986	..	1,608,583	41	..	377,108	263,652	27
Narran	1,929,867	24,856	729,208	7,953	1,167,850	84	..	6,220	176,093	22
Culgoa	1,676,709	14,134	343,119	..	1,319,456	61	..	46,000	104,966	7
Gunderbooka ..	1,308,090	17,640	510,199	..	780,251	158	..	64,834	96,693	18
Irrara	1,870,466	4,846	442,114	..	1,423,506	76	..	.....	87,570	6
Barrona	258,820	.....	90,960	..	167,860	..	..	.....	11,100	1
Cowper	2,488,460	19,000	1,101,637	67,577	1,367,823	199	..	95,155	239,693	22
Clyde	1,311,309	176,968	339,950	14,173	726,814	139	..	105,513	98,822	35
Robinson	1,799,858	1,951	271,902	10,240	1,511,832	245	20	239,832	125,659	14
Yanda	1,362,977	4,657	184,476	..	1,163,604	110	..	9,698	83,869	8
Landsborough ..	2,112,305	1,136	332,567	..	1,778,602	210	..	.....	138,876	3
Booroondarra ..	853,725	.....	30,720	..	823,005	83	..	171,022	103,964	5
Rankin..	1,692,824	2,442	110,900	..	1,579,482	146	..	.....	125,969	7
Killara	1,556,766	750	119,103	..	1,436,913	55	..	1,000	155,722	3
Woore	1,360,604	.....	.....	..	1,360,604	260	..	.....	95,185	7
Werunda	739,370	1,920	139,130	..	598,320	20	..	.....	41,750	3
Mouramba	746,557	302	.....	..	746,255	66	..	292,926	148,594	8
Blaxland	2,350,341	5,795	139,029	..	2,205,517	602	3	1,210,830	255,270	19
Mossgiel	1,523,896	2,925	182,125	..	1,338,846	252	..	6,253	93,958	12
Franklin	809,871	42,405	296,247	..	471,219	292	..	30	51,446	23
Waljeers	1,469,888	14,067	498,606	..	957,215	998	..	.....	125,821	15
Caira	1,519,725	25,174	282,582	..	1,211,969	550	..	74,674	65,616	24
Taila	286,561	5,475	101,821	..	179,265	330	..	40,510	14,280	8
Kilfera	980,020	.....	265,336	..	714,684	108	..	40	29,155	4
Manara	2,358,270	.....	101,766	..	2,256,504	127	..	.....	43,725	6
Young	1,563,552	13,650	55,977	..	1,493,925	207	..	.....	68,520	15
Yungnulgra	2,871,310	.....	117,420	..	2,753,890	205	..	.....	87,217	4
Fitzgerald	180,400	.....	.....	..	180,400	15	..	.....	12,508	1
Clarara	1,244,228	.....	10,240	..	1,233,988	186	..	4,924	48,244	4
Yantara	2,768,680	.....	.....	..	2,768,680	78	..	.....	126,300	..
Delalah	1,049,600	.....	.....	..	1,049,600	50	..	.....	17,000	1
Thouleanna	1,860,030	.....	30,720	..	1,829,310	130	..	1,000	75,300	3
Wentworth	2,299,563	8,603	142,948	..	2,148,012	901	..	5,540	103,913	15
Tara	1,123,767	17,350	128,155	..	978,262	373	..	900	49,730	12
Windeyer	2,689,244	368	337,844	..	2,351,032	325	..	.....	76,518	7
Perry	2,479,410	4,318	153,556	..	2,321,536	288	..	2,569	78,484	7
Menindee	1,181,500	240	28,070	..	1,153,190	..	..	.....	66,750	3
Livingstone	2,352,716	11,015	86,060	..	2,255,641	237	..	.....	145,420	9
Yancowinna	1,691,240	.....	259,703	..	1,431,537	195	..	.....	657,859	19
Tandora	750,301	.....	505,699	..	244,602	79	..	.....	50,307	6
Farnell	1,970,875	.....	2,560	..	1,968,315	40	..	.....	71,200	3
Mootwingee	3,129,353	.....	16,737	..	3,112,616	257	..	.....	189,214	9
Evelyn	2,202,888	.....	798,166	..	1,404,722	69	..	.....	70,165	3
Poole	1,000,380	.....	.....	..	1,000,380	..	..	.....	14,117	1
Tongowoko	1,248,247	.....	5,100	..	1,243,147	..	..	.....	73,312	4
Total, Western Division ..	72,975,600	437,455	10,529,438	99,943	61,908,764	8,847	23	2,755,978	4,859,946*	435
Total, New South Wales	117,135,695†	12,227,604	10,690,180	933,811	93,284,100	35,990	50,787	12,363,123	9,108,351	11,652

* Large holdings extending into several counties are returned in the county where the homestead is situated.

† This total of 117,135,695 acres is that obtained from the returns of holders of land. According to the Lands Department—see table 1, page 1—the total area of Crown Lands occupied on 31 December, 1896, was 126,307,790 acres. The [illegible] figures are, however, in excess of the actual area leased—probably by not less than 5½ million acres—owing to the fact [illegible] portions of land held under one form of lease, and in respect to which application has been made for transfer to [illegible] form, appear under both forms pending consideration of the application. On the other hand as there are always [illegible] returns which cannot be obtained from the landholders this accounts for a deficiency of about 3½ million acres in the [illegible]

—Area of Crown Lands Enclosed and Unenclosed in the Counties of each Division, Year ending 31st March, 1897.

Counties.	Area Enclosed.			Area Unenclosed.		
	Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Total.	Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Total.
THERN DIVISION.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
.—Coast.						
... ...	30,328	266,269	296,597	2,968	109,028	111,996
nd	19,341	190,787	210,128	956	81,429	82,385
... ...	9,066	20,430	29,496	1,007	219,797	220,804
... ...	23,040	16,235	39,275	4,043	294,709	298,752
... ...	863	10	873	3,346	9,029	12,375
... ...	24,690	47,019	71,709	12,974	182,554	195,528
rie	9,371	3,226	12,597	6,059	46,635	52,694
ter	20,613	51,364	71,977	6,657	118,526	125,183
tal	137,312	595,340	732,652	38,010	1,061,707	1,099,717
Table-land.						
... ...	72,024	74,157	146,181	10,309	21,869	32,178
d	88,998	53,911	142,909	1,090	7,896	8,986
... ...	71,418	97,239	168,657	20,806	153,726	174,532
... ...	120,410	133,429	253,839	5,928	7,315	13,243
... ...	246,190	240,465	486,655	4,419	21,014	25,433
... ...	90,907	60,288	151,195	2,655	47,269	49,924
... ...	106,348	102,302	208,650	6,807	207,620	214,427
e	200,550	164,043	364,593	9,091	146,264	155,355
... ...	37,219	611,889	649,108	12,867	302,680	315,547
... ...	243,908	188,297	432,205	3,831	8,325	12,156
... ...	1,930	11,913	13,843	.....	227,201	227,201
... ...	82,355	126,677	209,032	11,114	408,026	419,140
a	69,638	389,516	459,154	3,082	151,720	154,802
... ...	20,114	254,780	274,894	1,257	104,668	105,925
... ...	42,134	71,880	114,014	2,471	121,157	123,628
tal	1,494,143	2,580,786	4,074,929	95,727	1,936,750	2,032,477
Western Slope.						
n	184,127	331,209	515,336	2,639	43,050	45,689
... ...	347,182	319,273	666,455	43,000	78,748	121,748
... ...	207,172	439,991	647,163	11,233	49,525	60,758
... ...	373,176	1,059,823	1,432,999	69,252	116,317	185,569
on	104,475	665,791	770,266	7,626	71,066	78,692
ar	159,998	87,917	247,915	12,932	83,479	96,411
... ...	301,089	517,671	818,760	.....	56,499	56,499
... ...	195,885	236,079	431,964	3,140	109,027	112,167
rdt	530,215	916,792	1,447,007	5,222	84,114	89,336
... ...	94,444	655,608	750,052	19,036	150,416	169,452
... ...	14,099	139,805	153,904	150	22,213	22,363
r	178,329	471,619	649,948	6,201	104,919	111,120
... ...	32,194	427,786	459,980	1,220	36,831	38,051
... ...	172,690	404,832	577,522	11,478	124,227	135,705
tal	2,895,075	6,674,196	9,569,271	193,129	1,130,431	1,323,560
orthern Division.	4,526,530	9,850,322	14,376,852	326,866	4,128,888	4,455,754

No. 51.—Area of Crown Lands Enclosed and Unenclosed, &c.—

County.	Area Enclosed.			Area Unenclo	
	*Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Total.	*Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
D.—Western Division.					
11.—Western Plains.					
Finch	15,468	2,840,866	2,856,334	.....	4,70
Narran	24,856	1,897,058	1,921,914	.....	7,95
Culgoa	14,134	1,658,335	1,672,469	.....	4,24
Gunderbooka	17,640	1,289,183	1,306,823	.....	1,26
Irrara	4,846	1,803,791	1,808,637	.....	61,82
Narrona	.....	248,320	248,320	.....	10,50
Cowper	19,000	2,469,010	2,488,010	.....	45
Clyde	176,968	1,054,764	1,231,732	.....	79,57
Robinson	1,951	1,777,393	1,779,344	.....	20,51
Yanda	4,657	1,344,070	1,348,727	.....	14,25
Landsborough	1,136	2,100,929	2,102,065	.....	10,24
Bourke	.....	853,455	853,455	.....	27
Rankin	2,442	1,690,382	1,692,824	.....	.....
Killara	750	1,556,016	1,556,766	.....	.....
Wooro	.....	1,360,604	1,360,604	.....	.....
Warunda	1,920	737,450	739,370	.....	.....
Mouramba	302	745,497	745,799	.....	75
Blaxland	5,795	2,344,473	2,350,268	.....	7
Monaglel...	2,925	1,503,951	1,506,876	.....	17,02
Franklin	42,405	767,466	809,871	.....	.....
Waljeers	14,067	1,455,821	1,469,888	.....	.....
Cairn	25,174	1,494,551	1,519,725	.....	.....
Talla	5,475	268,346	273,821	.....	12,74
Kilfera	.....	969,780	969,780	.....	10,24
Manara	.....	2,343,336	2,343,336	.....	14,93
Young	13,650	1,531,462	1,545,112	.....	18,44
Yungnulgra	.....	2,862,985	2,862,985	.....	8,32
Fitzgerald	.....	180,400	180,400	.....	.....
Ularara	.....	1,234,088	1,234,088	.....	10,14
Yantara	.....	2,410,920	2,410,920	.....	357,76
Delalah	.....	320,000	320,000	.....	729,60
Thoulcanna	.....	1,755,010	1,755,010	.....	105,02
Wentworth	8,603	2,145,226	2,153,829	.....	145,73
Tara	17,350	1,091,057	1,108,407	.....	15,36
Windeyer	368	2,568,296	2,568,664	.....	120,58
Perry	4,318	2,444,384	2,448,702	.....	30,70
Menindee	240	1,181,257	1,181,497	.....	
Livingstone	11,015	2,323,890	2,334,905	.....	17,81
Yancowinna	.....	1,663,778	1,663,778	.....	27,46
Tandora	.....	672,219	672,219	.....	78,08
Farnell	.....	1,067,002	1,067,002	.....	3,87
Mootwingee	.....	2,858,390	2,858,390	.....	270,96
Evelyn	.....	1,580,113	1,580,113	.....	712,77
Poole	.....	840,380	840,380	.....	160,00
Tongowoko ...	.....	1,102,457	1,102,457	.....	85,79
Total, Western Division	437,455	99,368,161	99,805,616	.....	3,169,98
Total, New South Wales	11,687,804	94,373,412	106,061,216	539,800	10,534,67

* This form of lease is not granted in the Western Land Division under the existing Act, and of th the Act of 1884 the area remaining unenclosed, if any, is very small, and the figures have not been obtain to insert as such not

51.—Area of Crown Lands, Enclosed and Unenclosed, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Area Enclosed.			Area Unenclosed.		
	Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Total.	Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Total.
THERN DIVISION.						
.—Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
... ...	25,141	12,472	37,613	6,888	43,548	50,436
ent	20,048	20,116	40,164	7,740	35,914	43,654
... ...	7,321	18,803	26,124	5,869	50,118	55,987
d	8,877	1,990	10,867	3,768	217,378	221,146
tal	61,387	53,381	114,768	24,265	346,958	371,223
Table-land.						
... ...	173,237	130,711	303,948	2,263	24,233	26,496
gle	85,467	95,210	180,677	320	6,170	6,490
... ...	68,887	65,535	134,422	1,540	3,060	4,600
... ...	158,223	88,528	246,751	2,433	2,160	4,593
na	101,071	252,367	353,438	9,340	90,491	99,831
... ...	46,954	49,599	96,553	2,626	35,665	38,291
... ...	98,498	84,198	182,696	1,500	48,074	49,574
... ...	60,359	54,072	114,431	3,471	246,158	249,629
ch	59,752	81,375	141,127	4,251	149,406	153,657
on	38,024	53,155	91,179	767	10,055	10,822
d	108,182	209,737	317,919	1,580	3,592	5,172
n	89,588	74,771	164,359	944	19,402	20,346
... ...	74,342	164,009	238,351	9,585	105,516	115,101
... ...	143,206	116,448	259,654	2,927	182,865	185,792
d	53,814	157,264	211,078	6,435	233,850	240,285
y	63,571	91,563	155,134	3,178	134,195	137,373
tal	1,423,175	1,768,542	3,191,717	53,160	1,294,892	1,348,052
Western Slope.						
... ...	70,693	502,005	572,698	6,280	585,000	591,280
... ...	339,876	695,201	1,035,077	6,390	107,008	113,398
... ...	267,319	303,970	571,289	2,757	30,691	33,448
... ...	341,327	303,371	644,698	480	16,641	17,121
... ...	134,253	751,707	885,960	544	142,980	143,524
on	204,278	303,887	508,165	6,604	7,122	13,726
... ...	38,280	49,744	88,024	.....	2,280	2,280
gery	329,886	694,965	1,024,851	.....	24,534	24,534
... ...	4,900	244,803	249,703	.....	.....	.....
l	26,422	207,965	234,387	.....	3,800	3,800
... ...	33,966	325,438	359,404	.....	27,040	27,040
nd	22,176	422,631	444,807	548	32,144	32,692
... ...	100,320	512,225	612,545	1,874	35,982	37,856
... ...	1,636	100,001	101,637	.....	.....	.....
... ...	2,557	68,750	71,307	240	3,260	3,500
... ...	18,200	22,800	41,000	.....	.....	.....
Total	1,936,089	5,509,463	7,445,552	25,717	1,018,482	1,044,199
Southern Division	3,420,651	7,331,386	10,752,037	103,142	2,660,332	2,763,474

No. 51.—Area of Crown Lands Enclosed and Unenclosed, &c.—*continue*

Counties.	Area Enclosed.			Area Unenclosed.		
	*Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Total.	*Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Tota
D.—Western Division.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acr
11.—Western Plains.						
Finch	15,468	2,840,866	2,856,334	.....	4,703	4
Narran	24,856	1,897,058	1,021,914	.....	7,953	7
Culgoa	14,134	1,658,335	1,672,469	.....	4,240	4
Gunderbooka	17,640	1,289,183	1,306,823	.....	1,267	1
Irrara	4,846	1,803,791	1,808,637	.....	61,829	61
Barrona	.....	248,320	248,320	.....	10,500	10
Cowper	19,000	2,469,010	2,488,010	.....	450	
Clyde	176,968	1,054,764	1,231,732	.....	79,577	79
Robinson	1,951	1,777,393	1,779,344	.....	20,514	20
Yanda	4,657	1,344,070	1,348,727	.....	14,250	14
Landsborough	1,136	2,100,929	2,102,065	.....	10,240	10
Booroondarra	.....	853,455	853,455	.....	270	
Rankin	2,442	1,690,382	1,692,824	.....	.....	.....
Killara	750	1,556,016	1,556,766	.....	.....	.....
Woore	.....	1,360,604	1,360,604	.....	.....	.....
Werunda	1,920	737,450	739,370	.....	.....	.....
Mouramba	302	745,497	745,799	.....	758	
Blaxland	5,795	2,344,473	2,350,268	.....	73	
Mossgiel...	2,925	1,503,951	1,506,876	.....	17,020	17
Franklin...	42,405	767,466	809,871	.....	.....	.....
Waljeers...	14,067	1,455,821	1,469,888	.....	.....	.....
Caira	25,174	1,494,551	1,519,725	.....	.....	.....
Taila	5,475	268,346	273,821	.....	12,740	12
Kilfera	.....	969,780	969,780	.....	10,240	10
Manara	.....	2,343,336	2,343,336	.....	14,934	14
Young	13,650	1,531,462	1,545,112	.....	18,440	18
Yungnulgra	.....	2,862,985	2,862,985	.....	8,325	8
Fitzgerald	.....	180,400	180,400	.....	.....	.....
Ularara	.....	1,234,088	1,234,088	.....	10,140	10
Yantara	.....	2,410,920	2,410,920	.....	357,760	357
Delalah	.....	320,000	320,000	.....	729,600	729
Thoulcanna	.....	1,755,010	1,755,010	.....	105,020	105
Wentworth	8,603	2,145,226	2,153,829	.....	145,734	145
Tara	17,350	1,091,057	1,108,407	.....	15,360	15
Windeyer	368	2,568,296	2,568,664	.....	120,580	120
Perry	4,318	2,444,384	2,448,702	.....	30,708	30
Menindee	240	1,181,257	1,181,497	.....	3	
Livingstone	11,015	2,323,890	2,334,905	.....	17,811	17
Yancowinna	.....	1,663,778	1,663,778	.....	27,462	27
Tandora	.....	672,219	672,219	.....	78,082	78
Farnell	.....	1,967,002	1,967,002	.....	3,873	3
Mootwingee	.....	2,858,390	2,858,390	.....	270,963	270
Evelyn	.....	1,580,113	1,580,113	.....	712,775	712
Poole	.....	840,380	840,380	.....	160,000	160
Tongowoko	.....	1,162,457	1,162,457	.....	85,790	85
Total, Western Division	437,455	69,368,161	69,805,616	.....	3,169,984	3,16
Total, New South Wales	11,687,804	94,373,412	106,061,216	539,800	10,534,679	11,07

* This form of lease is not granted in the Western Land Division under the existing Act, and of those taken u the Act of 1884 the area remaining unenclosed, if any, is very small, and the figures have not been obtained. The wh is returned as enclosed.

PART V.

AGRICULTURE,

GRAZING AND DAIRYING,

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Counties.	Total Area in Cultivation.		Area under Permanent Artificially sown Grasses.		Area Cleared and Prepared for Cultivation on Alienated Holdings.	Area Ringbarked and Partially Cleared.	
	On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.	On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.		On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.
NORTHERN DIVISION.							
1.—Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
... ...	33,393	171	81,266	147	3,387	134,160	12,831
mond	8,648	47	376	...	8,183	93,818	15,721
nce	35,669	208	60	...	986	59,080	3,164
oy	4,891	38	1,767	21	1,252	53,679	12,404
gh	11,470	82	8,474	49	966	10,898	895
ey	13,216	46	7,948	200	545	45,885	18,523
uarie	27,922	18	4,518	7	2,656	62,098	8,444
cester	13,095	1,032	1,035	90	1,455	164,219	36,316
Total...	148,304	1,642	105,444	514	19,430	623,837	108,298
2.—Table-land.							
y	14,304	77	69	2	1,786	163,366	35,229
land	10,842	25	133	...	3,500	212,971	49,250
on	2,785	2	3,852	3,320	2,011	174,419	37,460
is	7,340	55	10	200	3,651	44,136	39,192
ing	16,269	51	34	400	4,127	109,345	166,058
on	16,602	95	1,754	...	3,722	267,752	38,301
te	1,754	23	273	...	135	74,668	32,490
linge	4,879	56	71	...	394	95,769	58,247
... ...	6,581	2	301	...	617	52,809	21,871
es	220	3	.....	19	365	90,818	74,153
ham	156	...	.....	...	5	7,172	6,850
gh	21,192	39	1,947	67	9,739	112,967	9,151
watta	8,452	24	10	25	354	71,907	22,339
te	341	11	.....	...	78	79,819	46,489
er	493	6	21	1	572	26,847	17,281
Total...	112,210	469	8,475	4,034	31,056	1,584,765	654,361
.—Western Slope.							
ylton	46	...	.....	...	.....	34,419	161,690
nett	2,205	110	6	...	2,210	203,662	208,783
rallie	673	20	.....	393	1,515	96,686	73,504
arba	56	3	.....	...	69	115,551	262,983
chison	8,632	103	65	...	810	65,341	200,411
dewar	3,714	6	35	...	5,590	162,695	234,354
ison	390	14	.....	...	.....	25,076	93,160
ham	39	...	.....	...	.....	11,362	29,327
hhardt	732	30	.....	...	393	82,618	135,940
dine	779	61	7	19	177	33,381	40,438
te	285	18	.....	15	109	4,918	8,565
inger	3,028	109	74	...	1,133	227,911	171,064
ier	948	177	.....	...	501	117,900	106,961
en	3,121	42	62	...	840	105,626	147,963
Total...	24,648	693	249	427	13,347	1,287,146	1,875,143
otal, Northern Division	285,162	2,804	114,168	4,975	63,833	3,495,748	2,637,802

No. 1.—Total Area in Cultivation, &c., year ended 31st March, 1897—*contin*

Counties.	Total Area in Cultivation.		Area under Permanent Artificially sown Grasses.		Area Cleared and Prepared for Cultivation on Alienated Holdings.	Area Ringbarked an Partially Cleared.	
	On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.	On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.		On Alienated Holdings.	On Cro Lands
B.—CENTRAL DIVISION.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acre
4.—Hunter and Hawkesbury Valleys.							
Durham	23,585	59	6,771	...	1,035	493,338	65,2
Hunter	3,408	9	102	...	254	66,996	2,8
Northumberland	28,146	29	917	...	2,608	156,685	1,2
Cook...	12,758	162	148	...	1,226	32,419	3,9
Total	67,897	259	7,938	...	5,123	749,438	73,3
5.—County of Cumberland and Metropolis.							
(*Police Districts.*)							
Metropolitan	4,809	27	2,271	...	193	230	.....
Ryde...	6,771	...	24	...	413	2,551	.....
Parramatta	9,759	...	61	...	442	4,471	.....
Liverpool	3,748	...	112	...	203	3,475	.....
Camden (*part of*)	1,118	...	.....	...	27	.....	.....
Campbelltown	2,573	...	5	...	67	14,165	
Wollongong (*part of*) ...	293	1	108	...	11	1,155	.....
Windsor (*part of*)... ...	9,753	...	23	...	1,698	2,525	.....
Penrith (*part of*)	7,781	...	41	...	75	2,020	.....
Total	46,605	28	2,645	...	3,129	30,592	
6.—Table-land.							
Brisbane	8,797	...	265	40	10,185	439,481	106,
Phillip	14,223	51	1,010	...	2,503	158,434	30,
Bligh	6,303	106	105	72	639	272,302	65,
Lincoln	26,722	373	1,001	...	3,240	145,494	178,
Gordon	23,458	1,001	342	13	3,363	117,393	88,
Wellington	20,562	113	779	18	4,420	130,967	83,
Roxburgh	24,215	44	223	...	8,310	102,033	24,
Ashburnham	57,820	871	4,514	1	13,405	194,778	184,
Bathurst	89,608	1,595	9,298	18,966	15,022	244,208	163,
Westmoreland	10,785	42	43	3,000	10,142	92,226	32,
Total	282,493	4,196	17,580	22,110	71,229	1,897,316	958,
7.—Western Slope.							
Gregory	229	7	56	...	25	83,129	122,
Ewenmar	2,006	24	6	1	3,525	138,824	189,
Canbelego	821	376	.....	1,920	30	16,050	453,
Oxley	821	438	5	...	298	55,252	140,
Narromine	17,031	97	22	...	3,458	101,829	373,
Flinders	1,649	674	.....	...	28	43,594	318,
Kennedy	5,020	1,571	27	...	1,670	83,110	901,
Cunningham	7,837	2,581	174	...	1,865	25,770	604,
Total	35,414	5,768	290	1,921	10,899	547,558	2,7[illegible]
Total, Central Division ...	432,409	10,251	28,453	24,031	90,380	3,224,904	3,[illegible]

—Total Area in Cultivation, &c., year ended 31st March, 1897—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area in Cultivation.		Area under Permanent Artificially sown Grasses.		Area Cleared and Prepared for Cultivation	Area Ringbarked and Partially Cleared.	
	On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.	On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.	on Alienated Holdings.	On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.
OUTHERN DIVISION.							
8.—Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
en	29,447	8	108,421	674	3,860	177,845	14,405
incent	11,179	110	30,815	326	1,276	111,665	12,474
ıier	4,722	12	7,708	135	227	79,114	4,688
land	7,723	207	4,429	21	2,833	237,686	7,829
Total	53,071	337	151,373	1,156	8,196	606,310	39,396
9.—Table-land.							
·s	21,231	376	2,190	100	5,156	239,936	126,624
eagle	45,884	263	3,677	184	20,966	327,413	47,580
en	52,805	160	1,324	...	5,429	453,669	36,416
... ...	15,713	...	154	...	12,100	283,457	71,428
giana	6,673	74	125	150	1,636	165,367	64,744
le	15,305	1	104	...	475	262,846	12,415
ay	12,483	2	2,417	...	1,213	232,615	37,758
ey	986	21	93	...	106	37,235	12,931
leuch	6,225	42	1,019	...	473	130,470	23,958
ndon	72,257	175	155	...	4,902	256,232	12,844
yard	22,964	28	557	835	3,060	408,803	70,530
burn	20,524	66	656	...	3,434	169,373	54,728
rn	2,274	21	823	17,081	648	136,493	122,116
ace	3,795	85	1,248	1,000	230	95,902	33,447
ıford	4,606	1	1,774	...	1,904	52,113	41,861
ealey	4,195	11	1,063	130	4,556	219,490	28,562
Total	307,920	1,326	17,379	19,480	66,288	3,471,414	797,942
.—Western Slope.							
ing	766	34	9	...	253	92,094	367,799
s	5,681	581	1,206	25	8,397	188,552	694,155
d	44,852	1,229	403	...	5,930	419,930	360,951
ke	80,948	2,780	320	...	13,594	65,484	113,730
er	13,788	3,053	80	...	4,482	288,996	352,717
olson	12,465	2,281	10	135	963	1,280	5,270
... ...	2,701	257	.....	...	1,050	4,495	23,950
adgery	3,671	133	10	62	444	23	.....
l...	4,268	50	20	...	355	247	200
hell	33,629	50	1,234	310	4,335	90,348	85,196
a	33,059	476	349	60	12,622	222,201	51,715
ısend	17,979	55	2,460	...	4,204	145,809	25,794
ool	8,657	745	75	530	25,898	433,666	242,163
ll	25,454	210	279	...	6,300	232,666	12,810
son	137,889	360	10,417	...	21,550	67,050	43,446
e	109,281	140	4,728	...	34,138	373,728	18,505
Total	535,088	12,434	21,600	1,122	144,515	2,626,629	2,398,701
otal, Southern Division	896,079	14,097	190,352	21,758	218,999	6,704,353	3,236,039
WESTERN DIVISION.*	10,068	8,847	256	23	1,819	198,080	2,755,978
l, New South Wales ...	1,623,718	35,999	333,229	50,787	375,031	13,623,085	12,363,123

The area in cultivation, &c., in each county of the Western Division will be found in the part "Land Settlement."

No. 2.—Area under, Production of, and Averag

Crops.	Northern Division.			Central Division.	
	Area.	Production.	Average Yield per Acre.	Area.	Production.
	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.
Grain Crops.					
Wheat	68,021	961,255	14·1	170,038	1,803,604
Maize	127,125	4,060,286	31·9	54,373	739,968
Barley	1,459	25,795	17·7	2,084	31,676
Oats	5,505	162,005	29·4	14,534	302,631
Rye	170	2,435	14·3	608	8,090
Millet	53	876	16·5	514	5,987
Hay Crops.		tons.	tons.		tons.
Wheat	7,600	7,773	1·0	48,366	36,343
Barley	198	226	1·1	454	668
Oats	19,332	27,095	1·4	46,656	47,317
Lucerne and Sown Grasses	5,084	10,763	2·1	19,002	54,832
Green Crops.					
Maize	772	.....	.....	4,433	.....
Barley	546	.....	.....	962	.....
Oats	845	.....	.....	847	.....
Rye	172	.....	.....	147	.....
Millet	419	.....	.....	968	.....
Lucerne and Sown Grasses	2,374	.....	.....	10,477	.....
Sorghum	2,355	.....	.....	4,356	.....
Root Crops.					
Potatoes	7,745	25,407	3·3	15,089	36,662
Onions	65	156	2·4	142	289
Turnips	92	468	5·1	144	660
Mangold-wurzel...	15	80	5·3	25	162
Miscellaneous Crops.		cwt.	cwt.		cwt.
Tobacco	306	2,919	9·5	891	10,473
		tons.	tons.		tons.
Sugar-cane... Cut this year	18,183	320,234	17·6	4	28
Sugar-cane... Not cut	12,843	.....	.....	4	.....
		gallons.	gallons.		gallons.
Grape-vines: For wine-making ...	443	60,914	138	2,060	452,730
		tons.	tons.		tons.
Grape-vines: For table use	232	368	1·6	1,936	1,865
Grape-vines: Not bearing	59	.....	.....	514	.....
		cases.	cases.		cases.
Orangeries... Productive	120	7,291	61	8,132	475,116
Orangeries... Not bearing	72	.....	.....	4,000	.....
		£	£ s.		£
Other Fruit Orchards: Productive	2,453	17,382	7 2	16,353	109,863
Other Fruit Orchards: Not bearing	762	.....	.....	5,456	.....
Market and Kitchen Gardens	789	14,972	19 0	4,966	125,335
Minor Crops.		bushels.	bushels.		bushels.
Green Peas	46	1,569	34·1	197	5,346
Peas and Beans (Dry)	48	707	14·7	76	2,500
		tons.	tons.		tons.
Pumpkins and Melons	1,438	5,433	3·8	3,028	10,127
		£	£ s.		£
All other Crops	225	1,133	50 7	824	14,176
Total Area under Crops ...	287,966	.....	.....	442,660	.....

re of Crops, Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Southern Division.		Western Division.			New South Wales.		
Production.	Average Yield per Acre.	Area.	Production.	Average Yield per Acre.	Area.	Production.	Average Yield per Acre.
bushels.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.
6,081,729	9·7	1,556	6,857	4·4	866,112	8,853,445	10·2
953,733	31·9	12	230	19·2	211,382	5,754,217	27·2
52,669	18·2	10	200	20·0	6,453	110,340	17·1
369,977	19·0	2	20	10·0	39,530	834,633	21·1
11,475	16·2	.....	.....	.....	1,487	22,000	14·8
624	13·9	9	140	15·6	621	7,627	12·3
tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.
68,357	0·8	16,285	5,864	0·4	161,136	118,337	0·7
1,247	1·3	.....	.....	.....	1,615	2,141	1·3
68,400	1·0	300	145	0·5	133,946	142,957	1·1
5,636	0·9	166	236	1·4	30,512	71,467	2·3
.....	.....	8	.....	.....	10,460	.....	.....
.....	.....	11	.....	.....	2,616	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,451	.....	.....
.....	.....	1	.....	.....	625	.....	.....
.....	.....	4	.....	.....	2,065	.....	.....
.....	.....	51	.....	.....	37,357	.....	.....
.....	.....	18	.....	.....	15,898	.....	.....
22,117	2·7	34	28	0·8	31,170	84,214	2·7
81	2·2	4	9	2·2	248	535	2·2
514	4·7	.....	.....	.....	345	1,642	4·8
107	3·3	.....	.....	.....	72	349	4·8
cwt.	cwt.		cwt.	cwt.		cwt.	cwt.
14,076	9·1	.....	.....	.....	2,744	27,468	10·0
tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.
14	2·0	.....	.....	.....	18,194	320,276	17·6
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,859	.....	.....
gallons.	gallons.		gallons.	gallons.		gallons.	gallons.
279,816	133	5	796	159	4,608	794,256	172
tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.
536	1·2	70	116	1·7	2,693	2,885	1·1
.....	.....	52	.....	.....	760	.....	.....
cases.	cases.		cases.	cases.		cases.	cases.
4,004	48	23	747	33	8,359	487,158	58
.....	.....	12	.....	.....	4,130	.....	.....
£	£ s.		£	£ s.		£	£ s.
30,537	5 18	65	1,933	29 15	24,031	159,715	6 13
.....	.....	39	.....	.....	8,524	.....	.....
21,485	22 14	122	6,561	53 16	6,824	168,353	24 13
bushels.	bushels.		bushels.	bushels.		bushels.	bushels.
1,895	27·5	2	20	10·0	314	8,830	28·1
1,193	14·7	2	10	5·0	207	4,410	21·3
tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.
2,291	4·4	28	89	3·2	5,017	17,940	3·6
£	£ s.		£	£ s.		£	£ s.
1,905	6 16	24	305	12 14	1,352	17,519	12 19
.....	.....	18,915	.....	.....	1,659,717	.....	.....

No. 3.—Area under Grain, Hay, and Green Crops in the C

Counties.	Wheat.		Maize.		Barley.	
	Grain.	Hay.	Grain.	Green Food.	Grain.	Hay.
A.—Northern Division.						
1.—Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Rous	.....	6	11,227	227	200	12
Richmond	38	10	5,108	8	2	1
Clarence	4	2	24,430	30	40	1
Fitzroy	.....	2	4,462	37	.....	.....
Raleigh...	.....	.....	10,878	21	5	.....
Dudley	.....	.....	12,679	5	1	.....
Macquarie	362	26	24,822	28	193	12
Gloucester	882	4	10,495	36	113	7
Total	1,286	50	104,101	392	554	33
2.—Table-land.						
Parry	9,295	99	1,853	23	128	26
Buckland	7,246	882	1,363	34	197	1
Vernon	843	13	296	4	9	1
Inglis	4,813	168	957	3	344	7
Darling...	13,573	482	1,381	35	51	.....
Sandon...	4,080	547	1,688	59	50	28
Clarke	228	21	224	5	5	2
Hardinge	1,491	227	540	4	12	2
Clive	2,272	20	2,557	6	24	2
Hawes	10	.....	142	7	.....	14
Gresham	.....	.....	112	.....	.....	.....
Gough	6,613	476	4,669	8	17	49
Arrawatta	5,078	187	1,939	.....	20	2
Drake	.....	1	285	.....	.....	.....
Buller	43	11	241	2	1	.....
Total	55,585	3,134	18,247	190	858	134
3.—Western Slope.						
Stapylton	.....	21	10	2	.....	.....
Burnett	1,346	177	399	4	.....	.....
Courallie	3	110	322	14	1	.....
Benarba	.....	15	10	.....	.....	.....
Murchison	4,950	736	1,934	1	5	.....
Nandewar	1,120	1,090	603	21	6	6
Jamison	30	155	25	20	.....	10
Denham	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	.....
Leichhardt	149	412	75	.....	.....	.....
Baradine	370	278	98	.....	.....	.....
White	59	86	47	1	.....	7
Pottinger	1,007	540	563	7	22	2
Napier	656	143	127	13	10	.....
Gowen	1,460	634	564	107	3	6
Total	11,150	4,416	4,777	190	47	31
Total, Northern Division	68,021	7,600	127,125	772	1,459	198

e Northern Division, during the Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Oats.			Rye.		Millet.		Lucerne and Sown Grasses.		Sorghum for Green Food.
ain.	Hay.	Green Food.	Grain.	Green Food.	Grain.	Green Food.	Hay.	Green Food.	
res.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
2	295	497	76	100	.....	33	24	216	1,231
.....	139	8	.....	.....	2	.....	12	32	20
1	354	42	.....	6	.....	16	81	236	85
1	141	2	2	.....	1	2	3	6	22
1	71	42	.....	.....	1	.....	5	3	93
.....	118	5	1	.....	.....	4	19	14	9
337	587	67	2	1	24	24	24	125	222
214	641	129	1	.....	7	97	82	56	326
556	2,346	792	82	107	35	176	250	688	2,008
27	471	.....	3	3	1	33	1,495	197	33
11	272	.....	1	.....	.....	44	358	70	41
429	629	.....	18	1	.....	.....	18	163	.....
36	200	2	5	.....	8	54	316	66	15
2	89	.....	.....	.....	1	20	311	86	11
,506	6,077	10	18	14	.....	13	41	132	12
312	402	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
607	892	.....	5	7	.....	.....	69	3	11
204	720	2	2	.....	.....	1	6	4	.....
....	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	4
....	31	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
,694	5,422	23	15	33	.....	1	477	293	132
56	271	7	.....	4	.....	3	339	157	35
....	34	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	6	.....
11	48	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	4	2
,895	15,593	45	85	62	10	169	3,458	1,185	296
...	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1	113	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	98	117	7
5	96	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	50	4	2
...	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	13	.....
25	361	.....	2	.....	.....	15	334	43	20
4	84	.....	1	.....	1	10	463	53	2
6	88	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22	3	.....
....	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....
....	57	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	16	.....
....	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....
....	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	49	.....
1	375	6	.....	3	.....	1	225	161	8
....	86	2	.....	.....	.....	3	17	32	.....
12	59	.....	.....	.....	7	28	142	10	3
54	1,393	8	3	3	8	74	1,376	501	51
,505	19,332	845	170	172	53	419	5,084	2,374	2,355

No. 4.—Total Production and Average Yield per Acre of Grain and Hay

Counties.	Wheat.					Maize
	Grain.		Straw.	Hay.		
	Total yield.	Average yield per acre.	Total yield.	Total yield.	Average yield per acre	Total yield.
	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	tons.	bush.
A.—Northern Division.						
1.—Coast.						
Rous	.....	.....	.....	8	1·3	334,294
Richmond	720	18·9	.....	10	1·0	136,463
Clarence	64	16·0	.....	3	1·5	827,136
Fitzroy	.....	.....	.....	1	0·5	137,568
Raleigh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	511,500
Dudley	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	544,635
Macquarie	6,799	18·8	130	46	1·8	889,506
Gloucester	11,768	13·3	262	7	1·7	364,902
Total	19,351	15·0	392	75	1·5	3,746,004
2.—Table-land.						
Parry	156,765	18·0	309	162	1·6	20,955
Buckland	100,161	13·8	2	1,375	1·6	3,226
Vernon	16,426	19·5	137	16	1·2	7,680
Inglis	51,814	10·7	89	187	1·1	10,018
Darling	132,029	9·7	12	421	0·9	21,775
Sandon	59,925	14·7	2,202	586	1·1	20,680
Clarke	5,234	22·9	153	38	1·8	10,069
Hardinge	29,004	19·4	563	311	1·4	13,782
Clive	36,538	16·1	688	39	1·9	55,318
Hawes	100	10·0	5	.....	.....	4,410
Gresham	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,175
Gough	120,878	18·3	2,027	507	1·1	45,696
Arrawatta	94,029	18·5	200	251	1·3	25,684
Drake	.....	.....	.....	2	2·0	11,959
Buller	1,006	23·4	17	8	0·7	11,058
Total	803,909	14·5	6,404	3,903	1·2	267,485
3.—Western Slope.						
Stapylton	.....	.....	.....	9	0·4	100
Burnett	15,577	11·6	.....	126	0·7	2,245
Courallie	60	20·0	.....	75	0·7	4,105
Benarba	.....	.....	.....	7	0·5	176
Murchison	72,593	14·7	56	665	0·9	26,715
Nandewar	3,886	3·5	.....	951	0·9	2,584
Jamison	200	6·7	.....	137	0·9	.....
Denham	.....	.....	.....	6	0·3	.....
Leichhardt	2,262	15·2	2	335	0·8	20
Baradine	4,848	13·1	24	166	0·6	504
White	340	5·8	3	76	0·9	210
Pottinger	11,361	11·3	.....	543	1·0	520
Napier	7,969	12·3	69	136	1·0	2,540
Gowen	18,899	12·9	126	503	0·9	7,078
Total	137,995	12·4	280	3,795	0·9	46,797
Total, Northern Division ...	961,255	14·1	7,076	7,773	1·0	4,060,8[illegible]

ıe Counties of the Northern Division, for the Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Barley.			Oats.				Rye.		Millet.		Lucerne and Sown Grasses.	
ırain.	Hay.		Grain.		Hay.						Hay.	
Average yield per acre.	Total yield.	Average yield per acre.	Total yield.	Average yield per acre.	Total yield.	Average yield per acre.	Total yield.	Average yield per acre.	Total yield.	Av'ge yield per acre.	Total yield.	Av'ge yield per acre.
bush.	tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.
25·0	6	0·5	40	20·0	515	1·7	875	11·5	...	...	53	2·2
30·0	2	2·0	...	...	200	1·4	...	...	30	15·0	57	3·9
22·5	2	2·0	15	15·0	577	1·6	...	...	...	...	400	4·9
...	...	...	15	15·0	232	1·6	20	10·0	3	3·0	6	2·0
40·0	...	...	10	10·0	132	1·9	...	...	10	10·0	14	2·8
10·0	...	...	...	...	275	2·3	30	30·0	...	...	59	3·1
23·5	16	1·3	6,842	20·3	766	1·3	10	5·0	332	13·8	56	2·3
15·2	6	0·9	4,234	19·8	721	1·1	20	20·0	220	...	225	2·7
22·5	32	1·0	11,156	20·1	3,418	1·5	955	11·6	595	31·4	870	3·5
24·0	27	1·0	174	6·4	550	1·2	70	23·3	10	10·0	4,656	3·1
14·3	2	2·0	30	2·7	298	1·1	12	12·0	...	...	721	2·0
21·7	2	2·0	12,565	29·3	1,050	1·7	347	19·3	...	...	26	1·4
9·9	4	0·6	956	26·6	304	1·5	20	4·0	160	20·0	965	3·1
2·9	...	...	28	14·0	145	1·6	...	...	16	16·0	693	2·2
16·4	34	1·2	44,103	29·3	7,908	1·3	424	23·6	...	...	63	1·5
26·0	...	...	9,612	30·8	750	1·9	240	13·3	...	...	...	...
22·7	3	1·5	20,320	33·5	1,347	1·5	110	22·0	...	...	78	1·1
14·2	12	6·0	3,715	18·2	1,092	1·5	30	15·0	...	...	10	1·7
...	20	1·4	...	...	45	1·3	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	37	1·2	...	...	...	...	...	...
26·7	80	1·6	56,763	33·5	8,744	1·6	187	12·5	...	...	666	1·4
23·8	...	...	1,612	28·8	287	1·1	...	...	...	...	352	1·0
...	...	...	...	...	53	1·6	...	...	...	...	24	2·4
13·0	...	...	242	22·0	76	1·6	...	...	...	...	29	1·6
14·2	184	1·4	150,120	30·7	22,686	1·5	1,440	16·9	186	18·6	8,283	2·4
...	...	...	...	...	5	0·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	25	25·0	85	0·7	...	...	...	...	119	1·2
30·0	...	...	100	20·0	56	0·6	...	...	...	...	94	1·9
...	...	...	...	...	7	1·2	...	...	...	...	1	0·1
15·2	...	...	465	18·6	344	1·0	40	20·0	...	...	331	1·0
22·7	...	...	3	0·7	54	0·6	...	...	20	20·0	759	1·6
...	1	0·1	...	...	90	1·0	...	...	...	...	20	0·9
...	...	...	...	...	12	1·1	...	...	...	...	5	1·7
...	...	...	...	...	30	0·5	...	...	...	...	6	1·0
...	...	...	...	...	14	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	4	0·6	...	...	32	1·0	...	...	...	...	10	1·7
27·3	...	...	5	5·0	162	0·4	...	...	...	...	191	0·8
29·0	...	...	...	...	60	0·7	...	...	...	...	15	0·9
16·7	5	0·8	131	10·9	40	0·7	...	...	75	10·7	59	0·4
25·1	10	0·3	729	13·5	991	0·7	40	13·3	95	11·9	1,610	1·2
17·7	226	1·1	162,005	29·4	27,095	1·4	2,435	14·3	876	16·5	10,763	2·1

No. 5.—Area under Root Crops, Miscellaneous and Minor Crops, in

Counties.	Root Crops.				Misce		
	Potatoes.	Onions.	Turnips.	Mangold-wurzel.	Tobacco.	Sugar-ca	
						Cut this year.	N
A.—Northern Division.							
1.—Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	
Rous	282	6	1	.....	.....	10,811	
Richmond	79	.....	2	.....	.....	1,655	
Clarence	966	3	1	.....	1	5,646	
Fitzroy	138	2	1	.....	1	41	
Raleigh	125	8	1	.....	.....	12	
Dudley	292	10	1	.....	.....	.....	
Macquarie	396	9	19	.....	28	.....	
Gloucester	207	2	4	.....	50	.....	
Total	2,485	40	30	.....	80	18,165	
2.—Table-land.							
Parry	202	2	3	.....	168	.....	
Buckland	50	5	2	.....	6	.....	
Vernon	291	4	26	.....	.....	.....	
Inglis	115	1	.....	.....	25	.....	
Darling	37	2	1	.....	2	.....	
Sandon	1,557	4	6	7	.....	.....	
Clarke	523	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	
Hardinge	836	.....	7	4	2	.....	
Clive	352	2	2	1	2	18	
Hawes	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Gresham	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Gough	747	2	4	2	.....	.....	
Arrawatta	142	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	
Drake	5	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	
Buller	46	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	
Total	4,912	22	54	15	213	18	
3.—Western Slope.							
Stapylton	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Burnett...	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Courallie	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Benarba	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Murchison	110	2	1	.....	8	.....	
Nandewar	47	1	1	.....	.....	.....	
Jamison	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Denham	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Leichhardt	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Baradine	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
White	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Pottinger	62	.....	6	.....	4	.....	
Napier	29	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Gowen	31	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	
Total	348	3	8	.....	13	.....	
Total, Northern Division	7,745	65	92	15	306	18,183	

s of the Northern Division, during the Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Grape-vines.		Orangeries.		Other Fruit Orchards.		Market Gardens.	Minor Crops.			
For table use.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.		Green Peas.	Peas and Beans (dry).	Pumpkins and Melons.	All Other Crops.
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
8	2	4	6	245	50	58	3	5	40	65
23	4	5	.....	9	3	19	3	3	22	4
15	1	.....	9	24	21	93	15	9	33	5
1	.....	1	.....	21	6	5	...	...	9	...
5	.....	6	1	38	15	17	...	1	150	...
4	1	.....	.....	11	9	21	...	2	31	1
29	2	6	1	107	66	68	3	4	174	45
19	18	50	10	239	73	84	9	2	107	18
104	28	72	27	694	243	365	33	26	566	138
8	.....	1	2	73	16	57	1	1	141	...
13	6	.....	.....	90	11	3	3	2	82	54
.....	.....	.....	.....	9	2	17	...	...	13	1
14	.....	.....	.....	83	15	24	...	2	51	...
5	.....	.....	1	44	8	16	1	1	107	1
.....	.....	.....	11	581	142	33	2	...	73	3
.....	.....	.....	.....	2	25	.....	1	...	1	4
6	.....	12	1	77	10	45	1	2	21	...
.....	1	.....	2	165	111	28	...	...	73	5
.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2	...	...	1	...
.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	4	...	...	1	...
16	16	12	25	232	59	17	...	13	66	3
14	.....	18	.....	102	36	2	...	...	5	...
.....	.....	.....	.....	2	1	3	...	...	3	...
1	.....	1	.....	37	10	5	...	...	12	5
77	23	45	42	1,500	446	256	9	21	650	76
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	1	...
2	.....	.....	.....	15	14	4	2	...	4	...
4	.....	.....	.....	9	.....	27	...	...	16	...
.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	...	...	1	...
4	.....	1	2	76	9	13	...	...	63	...
18	8	2	1	57	11	14	2	1	68	3
8	.....	.....	.....	6	13	7	...	...	.....	2
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	...	...	.....	...
1	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	30	...	...	4	2
.....	.....	.....	.....	9	.....	32	...	...	3	...
3	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	2	...	...	1	...
9	.....	.....	.....	39	22	20	...	...	25	4
.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1	1	...	...	4	...
2	.....	.....	.....	37	3	12	...	...	32	...
51	8	3	3	259	73	168	4	1	222	11
232	59	120	72	2,453	762	789	46	48	1,438	225

No. 6.—Total Production and Average Yield per Acre of Root and Miscella
Year

Counties	Root Crops.								Miscell		
	Potatoes.		Onions.		Turnips.		Mangold-wurzel.		Tobacco.		Sugar-
	Total Production	Average Yield per acre.	Total Production.	Average Yield per acre.	Total Production.	Average Yield per acre.	Total Production.	Average Yield per acre.	Total Production.	Average Yield per acre.	Total Production.
A.—Northern Division.											
1.—Coast.	tons.	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons.	cwt.	cwt.	tons.
Rous	664	2·3	18	3·0	5	5·0	...	...	...	...	206,419
Richmond	185	2·3	...	...	4	2·0	...	...	...	...	30,390
Clarence...	3,133	3·2	7	2·3	5	5·0	...	...	3	3·0	82,547
Fitzroy	734	5·3	4	2·0	20	20·0	...	...	3	3·0	407
Raleigh	328	2·6	10	1·3	2	2·0	...	...	...	...	313
Dudley	1,202	4·1	41	4·1	6	6·0	...	...	...	...	.....
Macquarie	1,622	4·1	22	2·4	91	4·8	...	...	326	11·6	.....
Gloucester	736	3·5	7	3·5	6	1·5	...	...	382	7·6	.....
Total	8,604	3·5	109	2·7	139	4·6	...	...	714	8·9	320,076
2.—Table-land.											
Parry	560	2·7	2	1·0	18	6·0	...	...	1,586	9·4	.....
Buckland	67	1·3	9	1·8	3	1·5	...	...	80	13·3	.....
Vernon	941	3·2	...	...	213	8·2	...	...	...	...	.....
Inglis	401	3·5	6	6·0	...	...	...	...	257	10·3	.....
Darling	87	2·3	2	1·0	2	2·0	...	...	19	9·5	.....
Sandon	5,520	3·5	7	1·7	19	3·2	19	2·7	...	...	.....
Clarke	1,772	3·4	...	...	8	4·0	...	...	...	...	.....
Hardinge	2,510	3·0	...	...	2	0·3	20	5·0	20	10·0	.....
Clive	850	2·4	3	1·5	3	1·5	2	2·0	20	10·0	158
Hawes	10	2·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Gresham...	10	2·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Gough	2,737	3·5	6	3·0	26	6·5	9	4·5	...	...	.....
Arrawatta	405	2·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	2·2	.....
Drake	9	1·8	...	...	10	10·0	...	...	...	...	.....
Buller	115	2·5	...	...	...	...	30	30·0	...	...	.....
Total	15,994	3·3	35	1·5	304	5·6	80	5·3	2,000	9·4	158
3.—Western Slope.											
Stapylton	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Burnett	11	1·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Courallie...	25	1·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Benarba	1	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Murchison	280	2·5	6	3·0	2	2·0	...	...	120	15·0	.....
Nandewar	101	2·2	6	6·0	3	3·0	...	...	...	...	.....
Jamison	5	0·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Denham	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Leichhardt	8	2·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Baradine...	82	3·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
White	8	2·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Pottinger	129	2·1	...	...	20	3·3	...	...	70	17·5	.....
Napier	82	2·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Gowen	77	2·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	15·0	.....
Total	809	2·3	12	4·0	25	3·2	...	...	205	15·9	.....
Total, Northern Division	25,407	3·3	156	2·4	468	5·1	80	5·3	2,919	9·5	320,

and Production of Minor Crops, in the Counties of the Northern Division, arch, 1897.

Grape-vines.				Oranges.		Other Fruit Orchards.		Market Gardens.		Minor Crops.			
e.	Brandy.	Table Fruit.								Green Peas.	Peas and Beans (dry).	Pumpkins and Melons.	All Other Crops.
Average Yield per acre.	Total production.	Total production.	Average Yield per acre.	Total production.	Average Yield per acre.	Value of total production.	Average Value per acre.	Value of total production.	Average Value per acre.	Total production.	Total production.	Total production.	Value of total production.
gals.	gals.	tons.	tons.	cases.	cases.	£	£ s.	£	£ s.	bush.	bush.	tons.	£
12	...	12	1·5	1,200	300	1,630	6 11	1,094	18 17	50	7	192	439
53	...	28	1·2	280	56	120	13 7	397	20 18	100	60	65	53
150	...	22	1·5	...	...	166	6 18	1,458	15 13	530	208	143	40
...	...	1	1·0	100	100	190	9 1	150	30 0	...	...	31	...
170	...	4	0·8	385	64	325	8 11	256	15 1	...	20	373	...
140	...	17	4·2	...	...	122	11 2	449	21 8	...	20	136	5
143	...	57	2·0	670	112	918	8 11	811	11 18	220	54	983	207
52	...	29	1·5	1,579	32	1,504	6 6	909	10 16	317	30	268	60
85	...	170	1·6	4,214	59	4,975	7 3	5,524	15 3	1,217	399	2,191	804
293	...	14	1·7	...	...	465	6 7	947	16 12	23	10	633	...
303	...	33	2·5	...	...	678	7 10	27	9 0	170	38	323	21
...	...	...	...	...	...	75	8 7	318	18 14	...	...	114	10
255	...	25	1·8	...	...	479	5 15	146	6 2	...	40	132	...
10	...	6	1·2	...	...	392	8 18	195	12 4	4	70	208	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	3,517	6 1	671	20 7	75	...	208	26
...	...	...	...	...	...	20	10 0	...	...	20	...	4	40
145	20	5	0·8	25	2	696	9 0	377	8 7	20	30	44	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	955	5 16	195	6 19	...	...	282	67
...	...	...	...	...	...	10	5 0	20	10 0	...	...	10	...
...	...	...	...	100	100	5	5 0	36	9 0	...	...	3	...
145	22	28	1·8	585	49	1,480	6 7	170	10 0	...	20	413	10
117	...	17	1·2	2,015	112	723	7 1	30	15 0	...	...	50	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2 10	65	21 13	...	...	12	...
...	...	2	2·0	200	200	190	5 3	50	10 0	...	...	92	98
172	42	130	1·7	2,925	65	9,690	6 9	3,247	12 14	312	208	2,528	274
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
...	...	1	0·5	...	...	117	7 16	100	25 0	20	...	6	...
...	...	6	1·5	...	...	123	13 13	1,174	43 10	...	...	52	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	20	6 13	...	...	...	...	3	...
133	...	13	3·2	2	2	617	8 2	150	11 11	...	...	195	...
120	...	14	0·8	150	75	353	6 4	210	15 0	20	100	198	25
...	...	12	1·5	...	...	70	11 13	171	24 4	...	...	...	20
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	3 7	...	...	...	...
...	...	2	2·0	...	...	165	27 10	1,900	63 7	...	...	4	...
350	...	...	...	...	...	105	11 13	1,506	47 1	...	...	7	...
...	...	2	0·6	...	...	4	4 0	20	10 0	...	...	2	...
67	...	13	1·4	...	...	570	14 12	575	28 15	...	...	120	10
...	...	...	...	...	...	100	100 0	50	50 0	...	...	11	...
200	...	5	2·5	...	...	473	12 6	325	27 2	...	...	115	...
158	...	68	1·3	152	50	2,717	10 10	6,201	36 18	40	100	714	55
138	42	368	1·6	7,291	61	17,382	7 2	14,972	19 0	1,569	707	5,433	1,133

No. 7.—Area under Grain, Hay, and Green Crops in the Coun

Counties.	Wheat.		Maize.		Barley.		
	Grain.	Hay.	Grain.	Green Food.	Grain.	Hay.	Gree Food
B.—Central Division.							
4.—Hunter and Hawkesbury Valleys.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acre
Durham	1,148	256	9,814	96	195	2	23
Hunter	147	30	2,330	3	7	.....	
Northumberland	1,675	312	10,315	168	311	18	23
Cook	95	137	3,718	66	51	14	2
Total	3,065	735	26,177	333	564	34	49
5.—County of Cumberland and Metropolis.							
(*Police Districts.*)							
Metropolitan	1	3	3	78	.....	.....	
Ryde	.....	.....	25	57	.....	1	1
Parramatta	.....	25	62	116	1	14	1
Liverpool	.....	3	98	448	.....	2	1
Camden (*part of*)	.....	33	.....	193	15	.....	2
Campbelltown	.....	2	129	110	.....	8	3
Wollongong (*part of*)	2	.....	11	21	.....	.....	.....
Windsor (*part of*)	83	401	3,187	126	11	16	5
Penrith (*part of*)	.....	136	2,207	160	4	32	8
Total	86	603	5,722	1,309	31	73	24
6.—Table-land.							
Brisbane	2,888	396	1,877	60	226	17	4
Phillip	6,737	448	3,416	82	83	14	2
Bligh	3,816	573	865	48	29	8	
Lincoln	14,089	9,646	1,397	154	42	14	1
Gordon	16,812	3,788	1,157	441	26	.....	
Wellington	8,614	1,854	1,941	947	114	18	6
Roxburgh	10,361	677	1,839	146	118	65	
Ashburnham	36,301	9,269	4,748	221	77	15	2
Bathurst	46,617	3,874	3,212	481	426	172	2
Westmoreland	1,369	17	1,352	9	137	20	
Total	147,604	30,542	21,804	2,589	1,278	343	21
7.—Western Slope.							
Gregory	.....	180	2	8	.....	.....	
Ewenmar	228	1,246	368	13	.....	1	.....
Canbelego	624	524	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oxley	253	811	4	.....	.....	3	
Narromine	5,173	8,870	267	179	209	.....	
Flinders	1,558	688	.....	.....	2	.....	.....
Kennedy	4,154	2,070	26	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cunningham	7,293	2,097	3	2	.....	.....	.....
Total	19,283	16,486	670	202	211	4	
Total, Central Division ...	170,038	48,366	54,373	4,433	2,084	454	

he Central Division, during the Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Oats.			Rye.		Millet.		Lucerne and Sown Grasses.		Sorghum for Green Food.
Grain.	Hay.	Green Food.	Grain.	Green Food.	Grain.	Green Food.	Hay.	Green Food.	
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
75	976	107	7	9	130	206	5,684	682	611
15	82	8	1	.....	2	4	130	61	15
378	1,498	201	9	4	255	108	4,915	912	1,002
107	1,751	41	30	6	3	16	436	33	554
575	4,307	357	47	19	390	334	11,165	1,688	2,182
.....	61	9	.....	1	.....	.....	12	5	68
.....	114	16	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	14	69
.....	378	55	.....	2	.....	2	15	16	157
1	663	43	.....	.....	.....	2	2	14	139
4	456	29	11	2	.....	.....	3	26	124
1	1,161	46	.....	.....	.....	6	9	25	388
.....	37	12	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	38
32	893	32	33	21	.....	9	570	60	195
7	2,072	104	.....	2	4	19	72	96	399
45	5,835	346	44	29	4	39	683	256	1,577
24	636	3	.....	20	.....	79	717	774	52
382	874	5	57	2	6	2	1,225	175	94
40	358	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	306	244	14
6	299	64	6	5	2	37	438	302	89
50	349	.....	8	.....	.....	58	538	617	69
769	2,836	24	19	20	.....	79	1,106	337	91
1,844	7,135	.....	48	12	3	1	587	112	1
295	2,246	26	3	3	74	217	890	2,987	37
7,457	17,258	1	223	35	35	90	1,008	385	67
2,823	3,656	5	145	2	.....	.....	134	8	6
13,690	35,647	128	517	99	120	563	6,949	5,941	520
.....	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	.....	.....
.....	51	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	42	44	2
.....	48	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	68	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	64	.....	.....
.....	236	16	.....	.....	.....	30	42	1,989	17
55	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....
52	171	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	12	53
117	274	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	547	5
224	867	16	.....	.....	.....	32	205	2,592	77
14,534	46,656	847	608	147	514	968	19,002	10,477	4,356

No. 8.—Total Production and Average Yield per Acre of Grain and

Counties.	Wheat.					Maize.
	Grain.		Straw.	Hay.		
	Total Yield.	Average Yield per acre	Total Yield.	Total Yield.	Average Yield per acre	Total Yield.
	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	tons.	bush.
B.—Central Division.						
4.—Hunter and Hawkesbury Valleys.						
Durham	17,945	15·6	29	330	1·3	173,091
Hunter	1,916	13·0	.....	33	1·1	44,580
Northumberland	22,564	13·5	105	355	1·1	177,422
Cook	1,646	17·3	56	208	1·5	89,062
Total	44,071	14·4	190	926	1·3	484,155
5.—County of Cumberland and Metropolis.						
(*Police Districts.*)						
Metropolitan	12	12·0	.....	3	1·0	80
Ryde	.....	...	.....	.....	...	925
Parramatta...	.....	...	.....	26	1·0	367
Liverpool	.....	...	.....	4	1·3	1,242
Camden (*part of*)	.....	...	.....	27	0·8	.....
Campbelltown	.....	...	.....	3	1·5	1,350
Wollongong (*part of*)	30	15·0	2	.....	...	260
Windsor (*part of*)	1,645	19·8	46	623	1·6	89,726
Penrith (*part of*)...	.....	...	.....	111	0·8	17,016
Total	1,687	19·6	48	797	1·3	110,966
6.—Table-land.						
Brisbane	32,620	11·3	2	300	0·7	16,660
Phillip	81,541	12·1	1,131	404	0·9	23,832
Bligh	35,543	9·3	6	466	0·8	5,332
Lincoln	131,066	9·3	114	6,779	0·7	1,600
Gordon	134,031	8·0	208	2,234	0·6	100
Wellington...	105,195	12·2	2,886	1,614	0·9	18,337
Roxburgh	119,625	11·2	3,841	442	0·6	19,880
Ashburnham	351,431	9·7	864	6,068	0·8	22,284
Bathurst	618,684	13·3	11,171	3,666	0·9	27,067
Westmoreland	22,881	16·7	153	24	1·4	9,445
Total	1,632,617	11·7	20,376	21,997	0·7	144,537
7.—Western Slope.						
Gregory	.....	...	.....	91	0·5	20
Ewenmar	1,876	8·2	14	928	0·7	.....
Canbelego	5,680	9·1	.....	316	0·6	.....
Oxley	1,088	4·3	2	430	0·5	.....
Narromine	39,943	7·9	25	8,490	0·9	.....
Flinders	10,910	7·0	.....	261	0·4	.....
Kennedy	30,351	7·3	.....	1,099	0·5	290
Cunningham	35,381	4·8	.....	1,008	0·4	.....
Total	125,229	6·5	41	12,623	0·8	320
Total, Central Division ...	1,803,604	10·6	20,655	36,343	0·8	739,[illegible]

rops in the Counties of the Central Division, Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Barley.				Oats.				Rye.		Millet.		Lucerne and Sown Grasses.	
Grain.		Hay.		Grain.		Hay.						Hay.	
Total Yield.	Average Yield per acre	Total Yield.	Av'ge Yield per acre.	Total Yield.	Average Yield per acre	Total Yield.	Av'ge Yield per acre.	Total Yield.	Average Yield per acre	Total Yield.	Av'ge Yield per acre.	Total Yield.	Av'ge Yield per acre.
bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.
3,646	18·7	3	1·5	1,970	26·3	1,235	1·3	138	19·7	1,522	11·7	23,027	4·1
150	21·4	...	...	230	15·3	82	1·0	9	9·0	14	7·0	166	1·3
6,493	26·0	33	1·8	8,606	22·8	2,039	1·4	98	10·9	3,436	13·5	16,815	3·4
1,030	20·2	14	1·0	2,505	23·4	2,214	1·3	618	20·6	19	6·3	1,234	2·8
11,319	20·0	50	1·5	13,311	23·1	5,570	1·3	863	18·4	4,991	12·8	41,242	3·7
...	...	...	...	.....	...	140	2·3	...	...	...	...	53	4·4
...	...	1	1·0	.....	...	126	1·1	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	25·0	16	1·1	.....	...	354	0·9	...	...	...	...	43	2·9
...	...	4	2·0	8	8·0	670	1·0	...	...	...	...	3	1·5
320	21·3	...	...	120	30·0	406	0·9	122	11·1	...	...	1	0·3
...	...	6	0·7	15	15·0	797	0·7	...	...	...	...	17	1·9
...	...	...	...	.....	...	48	1·3	...	...	...	...	...	...
222	20·0	14	0·9	495	15·5	1,234	1·4	422	12·8	...	...	1,198	2·1
45	11·2	20	0·6	130	18·6	1,527	0·7	...	...	200	50·0	139	1·9
612	20·0	61	0·8	768	17·1	5,302	0·9	544	12·4	200	50·0	1,454	2·1
2,927	12·5	70	4·1	630	26·2	527	0·8	...	...	...	...	1,468	2·0
1,148	13·5	21	1·5	5,724	15·0	906	1·0	291	5·1	60	10·0	2,196	1·8
385	13·3	5	0·6	140	3·5	186	0·5	45	5·6	...	...	186	0·6
387	9·1	26	1·9	37	6·1	107	0·4	...	...	40	20·0	249	0·6
392	15·1	...	...	276	5·5	221	0·6	30	3·7	...	...	970	1·8
2,693	23·6	22	1·2	14,271	18·6	2,866	1·0	204	10·7	...	...	2,852	2·6
2,365	20·0	77	1·2	51,395	27·9	8,174	1·1	540	11·2	...	...	673	1·1
1,043	13·5	12	0·8	4,802	16·3	1,893	0·8	17	5·7	44	0·6	759	0·9
6,917	16·2	299	1·7	154,782	20·8	17,661	1·0	3,123	14·0	652	18·6	2,314	2·3
1,170	8·6	24	1·2	53,897	19·1	3,553	1·0	2,433	16·8	...	...	336	2·5
19,427	15·2	556	1·6	285,954	20·9	36,094	1·0	6,683	12·9	796	6·6	12,003	1·7
...	...	...	...	.....	...	12	0·8	...	...	...	...	6	0·4
...	...	1	1·0	.....	...	7	0·1	...	...	...	...	37	0·9
...	...	...	...	.....	...	29	0·6	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	.....	...	3	0·0	...	...	...	...	44	0·7
298	1·4	...	...	.....	...	102	0·4	...	...	...	...	26	0·6
20	10·0	...	...	928	16·9	3	0·7	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	632	12·2	108	0·6	...	...	...	...	20	0·7
...	...	...	...	1,038	8·8	87	0·3	...	...	...	...	...	...
318	1·5	1	0·2	2,598	11·6	351	0·4	...	...	...	...	133	0·6
31,676	15·2	668	1·5	302,631	20·8	47,317	1·0	8,090	13·3	5,987	11·6	54,832	2·9

No. 9.—Area under Root Crops, Miscellaneous and Minor Crops,

Counties.	Root Crops.				Mi	
	Potatoes.	Onions.	Turnips.	Mangold-wurzel.	Tobacco.	Sugar Cut this Year.
B.—Central Division.						
4.—Hunter and Hawkesbury Valleys.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Durham	1,644	36	30	.....	49	3
Hunter	53	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Northumberland	937	16	6	1	13	1
Cook	562	18	26	.....	.....	.....
Total	3,196	70	62	1	63	4
5.—County of Cumberland and Metropolis.						
(*Police Districts.*)						
Metropolitan	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ryde	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Parramatta	39	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Liverpool	37	.....	5	2	.....	.....
Camden (*part of*)	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Campbelltown	16	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Wollongong (*part of*)...	27	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
Windsor (*part of*)	539	1	20	1	3	.....
Penrith (*part of*)	62	.....	12	3	.....	.....
Total	747	1	38	7	3	.....
6.—Table-land.						
Brisbane...	132	4	5	.....	5	.....
Phillip	124	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bligh	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lincoln	49	2	4	.....	.....	.....
Gordon	21	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wellington	951	8	7	1	10	.....
Roxburgh	676	2	4	1	189	.....
Ashburnham	387	32	2	.....	.....	.....
Bathurst...	7,843	16	17	15	519	.....
Westmoreland	922	.....	3	.....	102	.....
Total	11,121	67	42	17	825	.....
7.—Western Slope.						
Gregory	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ewenmar	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Canbelego	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oxley	8	4	2	.....	.....	.....
Narromine	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Flinders	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kennedy...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cunningham	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	25	4	2	.....	.....	.....
Total, Central Division ...	15,089	142	144	25	891	4

ties of the Central Division, during the Year ended 31st March, 1897.

	Grape Vines.		Orangeries.		Other Fruit Orchards.		Market Gardens.	Minor Crops.			
ine-ng.	For Table Use.	Not Bearing.	Pro-ductive.	Not Bearing.	Pro-ductive.	Not Bearing.		Green Peas.	Peas and Beans (dry).	Pumpkins and Melons.	All Other Crops.
es.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
2	57	19	103	64	262	118	75	40	17	574	52
3	41	8	65	34	269	24	8	...	...	53	12
3	261	103	200	162	1,321	458	615	13	2	549	95
6	14	2	1,788	1,240	1,123	668	73	20	15	218	27
4	373	132	2,156	1,500	2,975	1,268	771	73	34	1,394	186
3	29	1	480	187	991	308	2,507	5	...	1	76
4	314	17	1,602	439	3,407	560	51	9	...	14	31
9	133	49	2,945	1,172	3,291	795	280	46	1	23	75
7	418	77	14	8	846	493	307	11	14	33	40
2	16	2	2	3	133	12	9	...	...	6	3
3	75	52	.....	4	216	125	17	5	1	5	2
2	4	1	1	2	70	46	9	1	...	3	5
0	85	10	807	564	984	473	49	9	3	396	76
2	150	34	96	92	892	551	46	2	2	272	27
2	1,224	243	5,947	2,471	10,830	3,363	3,275	88	21	753	335
0	38	3	1	6	99	53	48	3	1	351	155
9	82	48	1	1	145	47	102	...	...	30	...
..	14	.....	.....	2	24	24	9	...	...	7	...
8	67	13	.....	.....	168	54	45	1	...	68	...
0	4	14	.....	.....	176	218	20	...	...	55	12
4	55	8	5	.....	525	76	109	9	3	43	2
..	12	.....	.....	2	244	66	81	6	...	3	16
5	36	23	21	13	283	102	92	2	2	127	87
4	10	.....	.....	.....	755	121	307	10	13	177	28
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	44	11	44	5	1	6	3
0	318	109	28	24	2,463	772	857	36	20	867	303
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	1	8	...	...	.....	...
..	4	2	.....	1	10	10	4	...	...	1	...
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	...	...	.....	...
..	1	3	1	.....	12	9	12	...	1	.....	...
4	9	1	.....	3	29	11	18	...	...	11	...
..	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	10	...	...	.....	...
..	4	2	.....	.....	11	7	.....	...	...	1	...
..	3	22	.....	1	14	15	10	...	...	1	...
4	21	30	1	5	85	53	63	...	1	14	...
0	1,936	514	8,132	4,000	16,353	5,456	4,966	197	76	3,028	824

No. 10.—Total Production and Average Yield per Acre of Root and Miscellan
Year e

Counties.	Root Crops.								Miscellan		
	Potatoes.		Onions.		Turnips.		Mangold-wurzel.		Tobacco.		Su ca
	Total production.	Average yield per acre.	Total production.	Average yield per acre.	Total production.	Average yield per acre.	Total production.	Average yield per acre.	Total production.	Average yield per acre.	Total production.
B.—Central Division.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	cwt.	cwt.	tons
4.—Hunter and Hawkesbury Valleys.											
Durham	5,936	3·6	140	3·9	145	4·8	...	...	508	10·4	28
Hunter	107	2·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	10·0	...
Northumberland	2,991	3·2	31	1·9	19	3·2	4	4·0	115	8·8	...
Cook	1,944	3·5	5	0·3	141	5·4	...	...	...	...	...
Total	10,978	3·4	176	2·5	305	4·9	4	4·0	633	10·0	28
5.—County of Cumberland and Metropolis. (*Police Districts.*)											
Metropolitan	7	1·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ryde	41	3·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Parramatta	87	2·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Liverpool	107	2·9	...	...	18	3·6	1	0·5	...	...	...
Camden (*part of*)	19	2·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Campbelltown	34	2·1	...	...	...	..	20	20·0	...	...	...
Wollongong (*part of*)	82	3·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Windsor (*part of*)	2,213	4·1	1	1·0	131	6·6	9	9·0	60	20·0	...
Penrith (*part of*)	130	2·1	...	...	40	3·3	14	4·7	...	...	...
Total	2,720	3·6	1	1·0	189	5·0	44	6·3	60	20·0	...
6.—Table-land.											
Brisbane	290	2·2	10	2·5	23	4·6	...	...	37	7·4	...
Phillip	418	3·4	4	2·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bligh	47	2·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lincoln	53	1·1	5	2·5	33	8·3	...	...	...	...	...
Gordon	34	1·6	2	2·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Wellington	1,937	2·0	22	2·8	15	2·1	20	20·0	150	15·0	...
Roxburgh	2,125	3·1	7	3·5	13	3·3	8	8·0	2,151	11·4	...
Ashburnham	726	1·9	50	1·6	8	4·0	...	...	...	...	...
Bathurst	14,955	1·9	12	0·8	53	3·1	86	5·7	6,157	11·9	...
Westmoreland	2,359	2·6	...	...	17	5·7	...	...	1,285	12·6	...
Total	22,944	2·1	112	1·7	162	3·9	114	6·7	9,780	11·9	...
7.—Western Slope.											
Gregory	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ewenmar	4	2·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Canbelego	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oxley	6	0·8	...	...	4	2·0	...	...	...	...	...
Narromine	8	0·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Flinders	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kennedy	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cunningham	2	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	20	0·8	...	...	4	2·0	...	...	...	...	...
Total, Central Division...	36,662	2·4	289	2·0	660	4·6	162	6·5	10,473	11·8	...

s, and Production of Minor Crops, in the Counties of the Central Division, March, 1897.

ps.											Minor Crops.			
Wine.		Brandy.	Grapes.		Oranges.		Other Fruit Orchards.		Market Gardens.		Green Peas.	Peas and Beans (dry).	Pumpkins and Melons.	All other Crops.
...	Average yield per acre.	Total production.	Total production.	Average yield per acre.	Total production.	Average yield per acre.	Value of total production.	Average Value per acre.	Value of total production.	Average Value per acre.	Total production.	Total production.	Total production.	Value of total production.
s.	gals.	gals.	tons.	tons.	cases.	cases.	£	£ s.	£	£ s.	bush.	bush.	tons.	£
10	138	...	61	1·1	8,325	81	1,795	6 17	914	12 4	963	270	1,869	454
50	83	...	78	1·9	8,240	127	1,505	5 12	514	64 5	...	...	89	231
90	277	3,916	269	1·0	15,555	78	10,230	7 15	10,971	17 17	656	29	1,972	1,309
00	283	103	11	0·8	121,833	68	5,903	5 5	1,090	14 19	470	810	523	397
50	250	4,019	419	1·1	153,953	71	19,433	6 11	13,489	17 10	2,089	1,109	4,453	2,391
..	...	...	15	0·5	17,087	36	7,194	7 5	79,754	31 16	110	...	5	5,305
80	270	...	215	0·7	92,215	58	33,087	9 14	812	15 18	427	...	87	1,162
70	114	47	135	1·0	160,782	55	19,549	5 19	7,518	26 17	1,077	5	103	1,843
70	163	...	381	0·9	830	59	2,893	3 8	3,530	11 10	365	590	63	254
20	210	...	21	1·3	105	53	347	2 12	34	3 16	...	...	29	30
50	94	80	54	0·7	...	...	757	3 10	43	2 11	100	10	10	20
00	100	...	5	1·3	70	70	344	4 18	90	10 0	25	...	5	4
50	325	...	51	0·6	45,884	57	6,484	6 12	883	18 0	263	12	1,587	348
60	117	150	119	0·8	3,794	40	3,623	4 1	341	7 8	38	35	647	1,577
00	117	277	996	0·8	320,767	54	74,278	6 17	93,005	28 8	2,405	652	2,536	10,543
00	309	280	65	1·7	104	104	639	6 9	980	20 8	...	...	1,892	272
93	213	35	113	1·4	2	2	1,012	7 0	1,348	13 4	...	...	124	...
..	...	...	8	0·6	...	...	72	3 0	65	7 4	...	...	15	...
50	38	...	85	1·3	...	...	1,215	7 5	740	16 9	10	...	161	...
70	20	630	4	1·0	...	...	649	3 14	155	7 15	...	...	85	30
17	86	...	91	1·7	110	22	3,304	6 6	3,672	33 14	420	28	174	20
..	...	...	15	1·3	...	...	1,737	7 2	2,285	28 4	120	...	10	146
00	231	300	29	0·8	160	8	2,406	8 10	2,515	27 7	20	8	291	580
50	38	...	10	1·0	...	...	3,828	5 1	5,098	16 12	157	702	352	184
.	...	...	...	...	...	...	159	3 12	200	4 11	125	...	17	10
80	201	1,245	420	1·3	376	13	15,021	6 2	17,058	19 18	852	738	3,121	1,242
.	...	...	...	...	...	...	90	15 0	250	31 5	...	...	...	...
.	...	...	5	1·3	...	...	82	8 4	150	37 10	...	...	3	...
.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	16 0	...	...	...	...
.	...	...	5	5·0	20	20	400	33 7	777	64 15	...	1	...	...
00	50	...	12	1·3	...	...	243	8 8	300	16 13	...	...	11	...
.	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	16 13	150	15 0	...	...	...	...
.	...	...	4	1·0	...	...	162	14 7	...	...	...	...	...	...
.	...	...	4	1·3	...	...	104	7 9	140	14 0	...	...	3	...
00	50	...	30	1·4	20	20	1,131	13 6	1,783	28 6	...	1	17	...
00	220	5,541	1,865	1·0	475,116	58	109,863	6 14	125,335	25 5	5,346	2,500	10,127	14,176

No. 11.—Area under Grain, Hay, and Green Crops, in the Counties of

Counties.	Wheat.		Maize.		Barley.	
	Grain.	Hay.	Grain.	Green Food.	Grain.	Hay.
C.—Southern Division.						
8.—Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Camden	50	155	4,169	3,154	116	41
St. Vincent	954	471	4,676	165	167	37
Dampier	57	66	2,969	77	49	31
Auckland	86	57	3,851	120	188	.....
Total	1,147	749	15,665	3,516	520	109
9.—Table-land.						
Forbes	16,579	3,099	697	77	20	9
Monteagle	37,550	1,983	1,316	89	113	29
Harden	38,977	4,888	986	348	129	25
King	8,111	263	768	242	130	48
Georgiana	2,033	58	167	77	30	20
Argyle	3,415	205	774	260	115	33
Murray	5,867	240	1,016	72	151	96
Cowley	337	22	291	2	4	4
Buccleuch	2,181	35	2,946	3	19	.....
Clarendon	53,101	7,675	793	91	148	51
Wynyard	10,355	2,968	3,740	234	94	13
Goulburn	14,243	2,251	48	8	101	4
Selwyn	260	86	244	2	9	5
Wallace	970	53	.....	1	36	1
Beresford	703	37	30	12	39	6
Wellesley	781	39	.....	1	124	129
Total	195,463	23,902	13,816	1,519	1,262	473
10.—Western Slope.						
Dowling	65	706	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gipps	1,772	2,779	10	1	.....	5
Bland	36,243	5,848	286	166	5	122
Bourke	66,560	7,835	47	19	129	4
Cooper	12,944	3,179	.....	2	39	14
Nicholson	10,799	3,822	.....	.....	30	10
Sturt	1,982	898	40	.....	10	.....
Waradgery	842	2,699	2	.....	15	4
Boyd	3,409	727	3	10	33	.....
Mitchell	26,383	4,135	1	3	26	.....
Urana	24,322	6,111	.....	.....	64	.....
Townsend	11,776	4,887	.....	.....	65	.....
Wakool	3,600	4,466	.....	3	10	.....
Cadell	22,059	3,452	.....	.....	4	.....
Denison	126,195	7,898	.....	.....	363	200
Hume	80,936	4,792	2	8	325	22
Total	429,887	64,234	391	212	1,118	381
Total, Southern Division ...	626,497	88,885	29,872	5,247	2,900	963
D.—Western Division.						
Total...	1,556	16,285	12	8	10	.....
Total, New South Wales ...	866,112	101,136	211,382	10,460	6,453	1,615

outhern and Western Divisions, during the Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Oats.			Rye.		Millet.		Lucerne and Sown Grasses.		Sorghum for Green Food.
Grain.	Hay.	Green Food.	Grain.	Green Food.	Grain.	Green Food.	Hay.	Green Food.	
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
99	6,714	2,936	252	64	16	17	391	147	6,732
178	2,005	476	34	7	7	42	115	41	818
79	668	67	.....	6	1	6	23	45	165
37	1,842	177	28	55	3	14	51	53	352
393	11,229	3,656	314	132	27	79	580	286	8,067
232	187	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	223	236	125
642	1,582	2	12	6	4	46	1,125	733	137
1,100	5,114	1	26	19	2	5	94	391	249
920	2,672	3	35	8	1	52	344	31	27
1,041	2,134	1	45	22	4	6	57	15	1
1,144	5,668	20	37	6	2	49	109	130	38
855	2,929	12	58	5	.....	2	251	381	7
18	162	.....	6	23	.....	.....	5	60	.....
191	374	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	2	.....
1,646	7,636	5	2	7	.....	25	58	445	79
508	3,237	.....	38	.....	4	.....	25	130	43
782	1,889	8	1	2	.....	4	1	102	96
420	982	.....	16	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
790	1,256	4	25	.....	.....	.....	405	83	.....
338	1,488	2	5	1	.....	25	1,400	161	2
745	1,587	.....	21	32	.....	.....	235	116	11
11,372	38,897	58	327	135	17	215	4,340	3,016	815
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	5
.....	73	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	371	1,208	11
771	2,354	20	.....	6	.....	7	6	54	27
2,323	6,162	.....	40	.....	1	.....	3	230	61
102	381	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	13	56
50	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	3
.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
64	160	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....
37	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	14
550	2,253	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	160	24
409	981	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	902	649	5
114	155	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	980	.....
21	125	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	1,152	5
93	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5
1,564	1,201	25	8	12	.....	.....	20	663	2
1,626	3,630	.....	20	20	.....	370	.....	15,997	66
7,724	17,532	45	68	38	1	380	1,340	21,153	287
19,489	67,658	3,759	709	305	45	674	6,260	24,455	9,169
2	300	.....	.....	1	9	4	166	51	18
39,530	133,946	5,451	1,487	625	621	2,065	30,512	37,357	15,898

—Total Production and Average Yield per Acre of Grain and ended

Counties.	Wheat. Grain. Total yield.	Wheat. Grain. Average yield per acre.	Wheat. Straw. Total yield.	Wheat. Hay. Total yield.	Wheat. Hay. Average yield per acre	Maize. Total yield.
C.—Southern Division.						
8.—Coast.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	tons.	bush.
ıden	712	14·2	1	142	0·9	139,394
Vincent	12,845	13·5	269	521	1·1	156,290
ınpier	1,004	17·5	41	101	1·6	103,885
ckland	2,348	27·3	3	103	1·8	188,600
Total	16,909	14·7	314	867	1·1	588,129
9.—Table-land.						
orbes	164,722	9·9	131	2,165	0·7	3,471
Monteagle	350,820	9·5	197	1,494	0·7	1,866
Harden	341,528	8·8	486	3,431	0·7	6,462
King	82,636	10·2	412	202	0·8	5,817
Georgiana	26,447	13·0	420	59	1·0	1,4[illegible]
Argyle	49,513	14·5	940	205	1·0	11,34[illegible]
Murray	59,183	10·1	1,030	254	1·0	16,83[illegible]
Cowley	3,908	11·6	32	10	0·4	5,79[illegible]
Buccleuch	36,060	17·0	260	37	1·0	131,9[illegible]
Clarendon	407,939	7·7	840	5,501	0·7	29,66[illegible]
Wynyard	132,038	12·7	833	2,935	1·0	138,277
Goulburn	159,203	11·2	420	2,568	1·1	1,5[illegible]
Selwyn	3,110	12·0	15	87	1·0	8,455
Wallace	11,201	11·5	47	47	0·9	.....
Beresford	9,203	13·2	205	55	1·5	1,125
Wellesley	13,641	17·5	378	60	1·5	.....
Tota	1,851,152	9·5	6,646	19,110	0·8	364,151
10.—Western Slope.						
Dowling	332	5·1	.....	254	0·3	.....
Gipps	4,240	2·4	80	902	0·3	350
Bland	258,139	7·1	243	3,172	0·5	568
Bourke	480,853	7·2	209	4,878	0·6	38[illegible]
Cooper	91,530	7·1	10	2,623	0·8	.....
Nicholson	76,747	7·1	.....	3,037	0·8	.....
Sturt	10,935	5·5	50	393	0·5	.....
Waradgery	6,332	7·5	.....	1,632	0·6	.....
Boyd	37,730	11·1	18	636	0·9	
Mitchell	253,334	9·6	40	3,850	0·9	
Urana	233,209	9·6	157	6,519	1·1	.....
Townsend	129,481	11·1	7	3,693	0·8	.....
Wakool	17,725	4·9	.....	2,389	0·5	.....
Cadell	121,118	5·5	.....	1,629	0·5	.....
Denison	1,569,954	12·4	648	7,855	1·0	.....
Hume	922,009	11·4	65	4,918	1·0	
Total	4,213,668	9·8	1,527	48,380	0·7	
Total, Southern Division	6,081,729	9·7	8,487	68,357	0·8	9[illegible]
D.—Western Division.						
Total	6,857	4·4	134	5,864	0·4	
Total, New South Wales ...	8,853,445	10·2	36,352	118,337	0·7	5[illegible]

the Counties of the Southern and Western Divisions, for the Year 897.

arley.		Oats.				Rye.		Millet.		Lucerne and Sown Grasses (Hay).	
Hay.		Grain.		Hay.							
Total yield.	Average yield per acre	Total yield.	Average yield per acre	Total yield.	Average yield per acre	Total yield.	Average yield per acre	Total yield.	Average yield per acre	Total yield.	Average yield per acre
tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.
67	1·6	1,984	20·0	8,043	1·2	4,173	16·5	260	16·2	510	1·3
47	1·3	4,015	22·5	1,693	0·8	405	11·9	50	7·1	177	1·5
60	2·0	2,075	26·3	1,086	1·6	...	...	40	40·0	21	0·9
...	...	922	24·9	3,230	1·7	336	12·0	84	28·0	109	2·1
174	1·6	8,996	22·9	14,052	1·2	4,914	15·6	434	16·1	817	1·4
13	1·4	2,688	11·6	282	1·5	...	...	...	...	68	0·3
12	0·4	8,342	13·0	1,238	0·8	79	6·6	16	4·0	234	0·2
21	0·8	19,840	18·0	4,201	0·8	239	9·2	15	7·5	83	0·9
127	2·6	18,390	20·0	2,725	1·0	501	14·3	15	15·0	317	0·9
174	8·7	18,699	18·0	2,626	1·2	741	16·4	38	9·5	88	1·6
51	1·6	25,892	22·6	6,410	1·1	595	16·1	6	3·0	113	1·0
93	1·0	14,919	17·4	2,677	0·9	507	8·4	...	...	169	0·7
4	1·0	268	14·9	135	0·8	76	12·7	...	...	11	2·2
...	...	4,508	23·6	457	1·2	...	...	...	...	10	1·3
26	0·5	18,124	11·0	5,791	0·7	22	11·0	...	...	58	1·0
13	1·0	8,629	17·0	3,808	1·2	1,337	35·2	100	25·0	28	1·1
3	0·8	17,238	22·0	2,185	1·1	15	15·0	...	...	21	21·0
5	1·0	8,010	19·1	830	0·8	303	18·9	...	...	...	...
1	1·0	15,720	19·9	1.144	0·9	1.010	40·4	...	...	478	1·2
4	0·7	6,383	18·9	1,738	1·2	65	13·0	...	...	2,474	1·8
224	1·7	20,807	28·0	2,533	1·6	535	25·5	...	...	375	1·6
771	1·7	208,457	18·3	38,780	1·0	6,025	18·4	190	11·2	4,527	1·0
...	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	0·6	.....	...	23	0·3	...	...	...	...	226	6·1
73	0·6	10,101	13·1	1,323	0·6	...	...	...	...	1	0·2
...	...	41,584	17·9	4,329	0·7	500	12·5	...	...	2	0·7
15	1·1	1,584	15·5	402	1·0	...	...	...	...	3	3·0
5	0·5	200	4·0	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	.....	...	4	0·2	...	...	...	...	...	...
1	0·2	964	15·1	28	0·2	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	1,352	36·5	22	0·8	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	8,228	15·0	2,275	1·0	...	...	...	...	32	1·3
...	...	7,559	18·5	1,176	1·2	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	1,982	17·4	142	0·9	...	...	...	...	3	0·3
...	...	160	7·6	100	0·8	..	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	496	5·4	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
185	0·9	36,478	23·3	1,515	1·3	...	...	...	...	25	1·3
20	0·9	41,836	25·7	4,229	1·2	36	1·8	...	...	...	...
302	0·8	152,524	19·7	15,568	0·9	536	7·9	...	...	292	2·2
1,247	1·3	369,977	19·0	68,400	1·0	11,475	16·2	624	13·9	5,636	0·9
...	...	20	10·0	145	0·5	...	...	140	15·6	236	1·4
2,141	1·3	834,633	21·1	142,957	1·1	22,000	14·8	7,627	12·3	71,467	2·3

No. 12.—Total Production and Average Yield per Acre of Grain and ... ended

Counties.	Wheat. Grain. Total yield.	Wheat. Grain. Average yield per acre.	Wheat. Straw. Total yield.	Wheat. Hay. Total yield.	Wheat. Hay. Average yield per acre	Maize. Total yield.
	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	tons.	bush.
C.—Southern Division.						
8.—Coast.						
Camden	712	14·2	1	142	0·9	139,394
St. Vincent	12,845	13·5	269	521	1·1	156,250
Dampier	1,004	17·5	41	101	1·6	103,885
Auckland	2,348	27·3	3	103	1·8	188,600
Total	16,909	14·7	314	867	1·1	588,129
9.—Table-land.						
Forbes	164,722	9·9	131	2,165	0·7	3,471
Monteagle	350,820	9·5	197	1,494	0·7	1,866
Harden	341,528	8·8	486	3,431	0·7	6,461
King	82,636	10·2	412	202	0·8	5,813
Georgiana	26,447	13·0	420	59	1·0	1,482
Argyle	49,513	14·5	940	205	1·0	11,342
Murray	53,183	10·1	1,030	254	1·0	16,832
Cowley	3,928	11·6	32	10	0·4	5,701
Buccleuch	30,060	17·0	260	37	1·0	131,985
Clarendon	407,939	7·7	840	5,501	0·7	29,666
Wyvyard	132,038	12·7	833	2,935	1·0	138,277
Goulburn	159,203	11·2	420	2,508	1·1	1,585
Selwyn	3,110	12·0	15	87	1·0	8,455
Wallace	11,201	11·5	47	47	0·9	.....
Beresford	9,203	13·2	205	55	1·5	1,125
Wellesley	13,041	17·5	378	60	1·5	.....
Total	1,851,152	9·5	6,646	11,110	0·8	304,151
10.—Western Slope.						
Dowling	332	5·1	.....	254	0·3	.....
Gipps	4,249	2·4	80	902	0·3	356
Bland	253,132	7·1	243	3,172	0·5	505
Bourke	451,853	7·2	209	4,878	0·9	350
Cooper	91,530	7·1	19	2,623	0·8	.....
Nicholson	76,747	7·1	.....	3,637	0·8	.....
Stuart	10,035	5·5	59	393	0·5	.....
Warrigery	6,332	7·5	.....	1,532	0·9	.....
Boyd	37,730	11·1	18	939	0·9	60
Mitchell	253,334	9·6	40	3,550	0·9	15
Urana	233,204	9·6	157	6,219	1·1	.....
Tumbarumba	129,481	11·1	7	3,693	0·8	.....
Wakool	17,725	4·9	.....	2,389	0·5	.....
Cadell	121,118	5·5	.....	1,029	0·5	.....
Denison	1,556,954	12·4	648	7,855	1·0	.....
Hume	922,069	11·4	95	4,918	1·0	80
Total	4,213,668	9·8	1,527	48,370	0·7	1,453
Total, Southern Division	6,081,729	9·7	8,487	63,357	0·8	953,733
D.—Western Division.						
Total	6,857	4·4	134	5,864	0·4	230
Total, New South Wales ...	8,853,445	10·2	36,352	118,337	0·7	5,754,217

ounties of the Southern and Western Divisions, during the ch, 1897.

ape-vines.		Orangeries.		Other Fruit Orchards.		Market Gardens.	Minor Crops.			
or table use.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.		Green Peas.	Peas and Beans (dry).	Pumpkins and Melons.	All Other Crops.
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
42	6	49	33	1,372	775	213	25	15	104	58
11	1	6	.....	254	12	40	2	3	50	4
1	.....	5	1	50	12	10	2	1	49	.....
9	.....	1	.....	165	64	48	15	24	82	101
63	7	61	34	1,841	863	311	44	43	285	163
7	6	.....	1	47	21	5	1	.....	15	1
58	10	.....	.....	250	285	29	.....	.....	10	.....
28	23	.....	.....	289	80	28	2	.....	13	3
6	.....	3	.....	416	75	16	1	1	10	17
2	.....	.....	.....	117	14	14	.....	2	3	.....
15	.....	.....	4	934	372	113	2	.....	41	3
1	.....	.....	.....	102	33	19	6	.....	2	7
10	.....	.....	.....	13	2	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	56	5	9	.....	.....	24	.....
49	14	1	.....	139	145	76	.....	6	7	49
17	5	.....	1	189	40	73	.....	.....	16	.....
13	8	1	1	152	46	58	.....	12	10	1
.....	.....	.....	.....	34	5	4	2	3	10	2
.....	.....	.....	.....	34	11	5	.....	.....	.....	.....
5	2	.....	.....	96	18	14	.....	.....	.....	1
.....	.....	1	.....	33	16	21	1	5	.....	.....
211	68	6	7	2,901	1,168	484	15	29	162	84
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	7	.....	.....	.....	3
.....	.....	.....	.....	4	2	22	.....	.....	.....	.....
10	.....	.....	.....	39	27	27	.....	1	8	25
46	17	.....	.....	70	78	18	.....	7	29	1
3	.....	.....	.....	29	2	.....	3	.....	23	2
1	.....	.....	.....	8	4	6	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
5	1	.....	2	35	14	3	2	1	3	.....
6	5	1	2	17	27	12	1	.....	6	.....
6	2	4	.....	25	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	3	.....	2	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....
3	.....	.....	.....	32	11	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
8	14	2	.....	36	21	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
93	21	7	1	116	39	38	4	.....	1	.....
181	60	17	5	418	236	152	10	9	76	32
455	135	84	46	5,160	2,267	947	69	81	523	279
70	52	23	12	65	39	122	2	2	28	24
2,693	760	8,359	4,130	24,031	8,524	6,824	314	207	5,017	1,352

No. 13.—Area under Root Crops, Miscellaneous and Minor

Year

Counties.	Root Crops.				Mi	
	Potatoes.	Onions.	Turnips.	Mangolo-wurzel.	Tobacco.	Sugar-Cut this year.
C.—Southern Division.						
8.—Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Camden	1,084	2	37	2	.....	6
St. Vincent	616	1	18	1	3	.....
Dampier	267	5	1	1	.....	.....
Auckland	482	3	3		.....	.....
Total	2,448	11	59	5	3	6
9.—Table-land.						
Forbes	9	2	2	.....	.....	.....
Monteagle	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Harden	99	2	6	3	.....	.....
King	1,490	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
Georgiana	820	.....	3	.....	52	.....
Argyle	1,726	2	3	6	.....	.....
Murray...	360	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Cowley	45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Buccleuch	56	1	.....	3	354	.....
Clarendon	23	4	4	.....	71	.....
Wynyard	150	1	2	.....	1,017	.....
Goulburn	48	.....	.....	.....	48	.....
Selwyn	203	.....	2	.....	1	.....
Wallace	185	2	13	6	.....	.....
Beresford	207	.....	5	6	.....	.....
Wellesley	297	2	8	1	.....	
Total	5,742	18	48	26	1,543	.....
10.—Western Slope.						
Dowling	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Gipps	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	
Blaxland	14	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Bourke	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cooper	42	2	2	.....	.....	.....
Nicholson	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sturt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Waradgery	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Boyd	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mitchell	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Urana	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Townsend	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Walgol	3	6	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cadell	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Denison	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hume	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	113	8	2	1	1	1
Total, Southern Division...	8,302	37	109	32	1,547	7
D.—Western Division.						
Total...	34	4	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, New South Wales...	31,170	248	345	72	2,744	18,194

ie Counties of the Southern and Western Divisions, during the March, 1897.

	Grape-vines.		Orangeries.		Other Fruit Orchards.		Market Gardens.	Minor Crops.			
ne-g.	For table use.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.		Green Peas.	Peas and Beans (dry).	Pumpkins and Melons.	All Other Crops.
s.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
5	42	6	49	33	1,372	775	213	25	15	104	58
2	11	1	6	.....	254	12	40	2	3	50	4
.	1	.....	5	1	50	12	10	2	1	49	.....
6	9	.....	1	.....	165	64	48	15	24	82	101
4	63	7	61	34	1,841	863	311	44	43	285	163
2	7	6	.....	1	47	21	5	1	.....	15	1
5	58	10	.....	.....	250	285	29	.....	.....	10	.....
1	28	23	.....	.....	289	80	28	2	.....	13	3
7	6	.....	3	.....	416	75	16	1	1	10	17
.	2	.....	.....	.....	117	14	14	.....	2	3	.....
.	15	.....	.....	4	934	372	113	2	.....	41	3
.	1	.....	.....	.....	102	33	19	6	.....	2	7
.	10	.....	.....	.....	13	2	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	56	5	9	.....	.....	24	.....
7	49	14	1	.....	139	145	76	.....	6	7	49
3	17	5	.....	1	189	40	73	.....	.....	16	.....
9	13	8	1	1	152	46	58	.....	12	10	1
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	5	4	2	3	10	2
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	11	5	.....	.....	.....	.....
.	5	2	.....	.....	96	18	14	.....	.....	.....	1
.	.....	.....	1	.....	33	16	21	1	5	.....	.....
4	211	68	6	7	2,901	1,168	484	15	29	162	84
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	7	.....	.....	.....	3
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	2	22	.....	.....	.....	.....
3	10	.....	.....	.....	39	27	27	.....	1	8	25
7	46	17	.....	.....	70	78	18	.....	7	29	1
.	3	.....	.....	.....	29	2	.....	3	.....	23	2
.	1	.....	.....	.....	8	4	6	.....	.....	.....	.....
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
.	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
3	5	1	.....	2	35	14	3	2	1	3	.....
3	6	5	1	2	17	27	12	1	.....	6	.....
.	6	2	4	.....	25	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	.....
.	.....	.....	3	.....	2	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....
.	3	.....	.....	.....	32	11	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
5	8	14	2	.....	36	21	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
1	93	21	7	1	116	39	38	4	.....	1	.....
2	181	60	17	5	418	236	152	10	9	76	32
0	455	135	84	46	5,160	2,267	947	69	81	523	279
5	70	52	23	12	65	39	122	2	2	28	24
3	2,693	760	8,359	4,130	24,031	8,524	6,824	314	207	5,017	1,352

No. 14.—Total Production and Average Yield per acre of Root and Miscell
Western Divisions, 1

Counties	Root Crops.								Miscell		
	Potatoes.		Onions.		Turnips.		Mangold-wurzel.		Tobacco.		Sugar
	Total production.	Average yield ℔ acre.	Total production.	Average yield ℔ acre.	Total production.	Average yield ℔ acre.	Total production.	Average yield ℔ acre.	Total production.	Average yield ℔ acre.	Total production.
C.—Southern Division.											
8.—Coast.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	cwt.	cwt.	tons.
Camden	4,009	3·7	4	2·0	210	5·7	3	1·5	...	...	11
St. Vincent	1,902	3·1	2	2·0	32	1·8	1	1·0	21	7·0	.....
Dampier	1,022	4·0	17	3·4	2	2·0	1	1·0	...	...	.....
Auckland	1,662	3·5	9	3·0	12	4·0	3	2·0	...	...	.....
Total	8,595	3·5	32	2·9	256	4·3	8	1·6	21	7·0	11
9.—Table-land.											
Forbes	6	0·7	2	1·0	4	2·0	...	...	...	...	.....
Monteagle	35	1·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Harden	181	1·8	1	0·5	17	2·9	2	0·7	...	...	.....
King	3,193	2·1	6	3·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Georgiana	1,740	2·1	...	...	12	4·0	...	...	341	6·6	.....
Argyle	4,181	2·4	4	2·0	12	4·0	18	3·0	...	...	.....
Murray	896	2·5	...	...	...	...	4	4·0	...	...	.....
Cowley	78	1·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Buccleuch	122	2·2	1	1·0	...	...	5	1·7	3,780	10·7	.....
Clarendon	35	1·5	2	0·5	67	16·8	...	...	588	8·3	.....
Wynyard	339	2·2	1	1·0	12	6·0	...	...	8,999	8·8	.....
Goulburn	87	1·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	340	7·1	.....
Selwyn	605	3·0	...	...	4	2·0	...	...	3	3·0	.....
Wallace	421	2·3	...	...	60	4·6	19	3·2	...	...	.....
Beresford	503	2·4	...	...	25	5·0	30	5·0	...	...	.....
Wellesley...	1,010	3·4	5	2·5	27	4·6	1	1·0	...	...	.....
Total	13,432	2·3	22	0·8	250	5·2	79	3·0	14,051	9·1	.....
10.—Western Slope.											
Dowling	3	0·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Gipps	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	20·0	...	...	.....
Bland	2	0·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4·0	.....
Bourke	6	0·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Cooper	49	1·2	18	9·0	8	4·0	...	...	...	...	.....
Nicholson...	1	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Sturt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Waradgery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Boyd	7	0·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Mitchell	11	1·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Urana	6	0·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Townsend...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Wakool	3	1·0	9	1·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Cadell	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Denison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Hume	2	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Total	90	0·8	27	3·4	8	4·0	20	20·0	4	4·0	.....
Total, Southern Division ...	22,117	2·7	81	2·2	514	4·7	107	3·3	14,076	9·1	1
D.—Western Division.											
Total	28	0·8	9	2·2	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
Total, New South Wales ...	84,214	2·7	535	2·2	1642	4·8	349	4·8	27,468	10·0	320

, and Production of Minor Crops, in the Counties of the Southern and ended 31st March, 1897.

	ne.		Brandy.	Table Grapes.		Oranges.		Other Fruit Orchards.		Market Gardens.		Minor Crops. Green Peas.	Peas and Beans (dry).	Pumpkins and Melons.	All Other Crops.
		Average yield ⅌ acre.	Total production.	Total production.	Average yield ⅌ acre.	Total production.	Average yield ⅌ acre.	Value of total production.	Average value ⅌ acre.	Value of total production.	Average value ⅌ acre.	Total production.	Total production.	Total production.	Value of total production.
.		gals.	gals.	tons.	tons.	cases.	cases	£	£ s.	£	£ s.	bush.	bush.	tons.	£
o		153	...	51	1·2	2,002	41	6,663	4 17	5,180	24 6	698	333	278	764
o		30	...	23	2·1	340	57	2,021	8 0	1,445	36 3	67	70	425	32
		...	...	1	1·0	100	20	310	6 4	156	15 12	50	3	355	...
o		52	...	16	1·8	15	15	1,209	7 6	1,153	24 0	400	378	531	500
o		92	...	91	1·4	2,457	40	10,203	5 11	7,934	25 10	1,215	784	1,589	1,296
o		30	...	11	1·6	...	...	368	7 17	154	30 16	...	...	26	4
o		71	...	46	0·8	...	...	2,100	8 8	660	22 15	...	...	13	...
6		96	...	36	1·3	...	...	1,800	6 5	661	27 4	30	...	32	12
o		171	...	5	0·8	10	3	2,449	5 18	94	5 18	200	15	27	82
		...	...	3	1·5	...	...	568	4 17	189	13 10	...	4	4	...
		...	...	18	1·2	...	...	5,599	6 0	2,318	20 10	140	...	131	13
.		...	...	2	2·0	...	...	409	4 0	293	15 8	80	...	3	140
.		...	...	3	0·3	...	...	35	2 14	...	...	...	...	4	...
.		...	...	...	...	...	...	178	3 4	140	15 11	...	...	193	...
2		108	...	46	0·9	95	95	1,036	7 9	1,700	22 8	...	140	35	162
o		163	150	17	1·0	...	...	1,159	6 3	1,571	21 10	...	...	76	...
o		156	303	10	0·8	50	50	768	5 2	1,081	18 13	...	65	24	6
.		...	...	...	...	...	...	211	6 4	47	11 15	...	12	37	15
.		...	...	...	...	...	...	171	5 1	262	52 8	...	...	...	...
.		...	...	10	2·0	...	...	566	5 18	574	41 0	...	...	...	20
.		...	...	...	...	12	12	245	7 8	410	19 10	40	120	...	...
8		147	453	207	1·0	167	28	17,662	6 2	10,154	21 0	490	356	605	454
.		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	148	21 3	...	...	...	30
.		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60	2 14	...	...	...	...
8		21	...	6	0·6	...	...	215	5 10	762	28 4	...	10	20	100
o		86	...	73	1·6	...	...	331	4 15	115	6 8	...	23	26	2
.		...	...	4	1·3	...	...	260	9 0	...	...	90	...	14	14
.		...	...	1	1·0	...	...	182	22 15	120	20 0	...	...	...	...
.		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	20 0	...	...	...	...
.		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
.		...	...	...	...	...	...	45	9 0	...	...	...	...	3	...
o		150	...	5	1·0	...	...	245	7 0	150	50 0	100	20	16	...
o		117	...	5	0·8	140	140	160	9 8	284	23 13	...	...	8	...
.		...	...	9	1·5	450	112	140	5 12	655	72 16	...	...	...	...
.		...	...	...	...	350	117	40	20 0	100	25 0	...	...	...	...
.		...	...	2	0·7	...	...	107	3 7	...	...	...	...	8	...
o		77	...	3	0·4	50	25	272	7 11	50	50 0	...	...	...	...
o		127	1,098	130	1·4	390	56	675	5 16	853	22 9	...	...	2	...
8		126	1,098	238	1·3	1,380	81	2,672	6 8	3,397	22 7	190	53	97	155
6		133	1,551	536	1·2	4,004	48	30,537	5 18	21,485	22 14	1,895	1,193	2,291	1,905
5		159	...	116	1·7	747	33	1,933	29 15	6,561	53 16	20	10	89	305
5		172	7,134	2,885	1·1	487,158	58	159,715	6 13	168,353	24 13	8,830	4,410	17,940	17,519

No. 15.—Number of, Area affected by, and Ca

Crops.	Causes of Failures.										
	Drought.		Flood.		Excessive Rains.		Hailstorms.		Frost.		Ba
	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.
Northern Division—		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.	
Wheat (grain)	112	3,010	4	38	9	85	2	21	1	14	...
" (hay)	73	740	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...
Maize	88	990	2	18	9	141	1	5	17	83	...
Barley (grain)	6	164	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (hay)	5	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oats (grain)	3	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (hay)	64	648	1	2	8	45	...	...	...	...	...
Rye	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Millet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lucerne Hay	28	281	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Potatoes	10	28	19	50	4	44	1	1	6	13	...
Onions	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	...
Turnips	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tobacco	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sugar-cane	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	157	1,757	...
Grapes for Wine... ...	...	...	1	5	...	...	...	...	1	15	...
" Fruit... ...	13	19	...	...	...	...	2	3	...	...	...
Oranges	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Fruit	2	3	...	...	...	...	1	2	2	2	...
Market Gardens	4	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas and Beans (dry) ...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pumpkins and Melons ...	3	3	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	4	...
Rape	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, Northern Division	416	5,935	28	114	31	317	8	34	188	1,892	...
Central Division—											
Wheat (grain)	413	15,227	...	...	...	...	20	476	...	...	...
" (hay)	388	8,379	...	...	...	...	2	32	...	...	...
Maize	339	3,756	1	4	1	30	4	43	43	271	...
Barley (grain)	8	233	...	...	...	...	4	18	...	...	...
" (hay)	5	19	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
Oats (grain)	10	103	...	...	...	...	2	18	...	...	...
" (hay)	163	2,497	1	5	...	...	2	6	...	...	...
Rye	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Millet	2	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	
Lucerne Hay	42	1,244	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Potatoes	45	86	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	92	...
Onions	2	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Turnips	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mangold Wurzel ...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tobacco	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sugar Cane	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grapes for Wine	19	97	...	...	...	...	3	18	...	...	...
" Fruit	210	357	...	...	...	...	38	67	1	3	...
Oranges	14	144	...	...	...	...	11	43	1	1	...
Other Fruit	157	568	...	...	...	...	78	402	14	54	...
Market Gardens	60	332	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas and Beans (dry) ...	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" (green)	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pumpkins and Melons ...	41	128	...	...	...	...	1	1	15	21	...
Rape	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Crops	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...
Total, Central Division...	1,926	33,247	2	9	1	30	167	1,128	109	444	...

ilures of Crops, Year ended 31st March, 1897.

	Causes of Failures.												
	Rust.	Blight.		Rabbits and Hares.		Locusts.		Vermin.		Other Causes.		Total.	
	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.
	acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.
5	135	2	9	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	8	102	144	3,414
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	5	1	2	76	749
.	.....	4	49	...	.....	...	.....	2	6	9	89	132	1,381
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1	1	30	8	195
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	5	16
2	7	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	5	25
5	32	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	9	80	736
..	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1
..	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....
..	.....	...	.....	1	2	...	.....	1	2	3	90	33	375
..	.....	5	5	6	4	...	.....	1	1	3	5	55	151
..	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	5
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	5	1	5
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1	2	5
.	.....	1	7	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	6	159	1,770
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	7	4	27
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	3	17	25
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	2
.	.....	...	.....	1	1	...	.....	10	26	2	2	18	36
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	4	7
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	2	3	3
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	2	...	.....	9	11
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	50	1	50
3	174	12	70	8	7	...	.....	18	43	39	403	761	8,989
7	39	...	.....	7	45	...	.....	1	40	15	273	463	16,100
..	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	64	13	228	405	8,703
..	.....	1	5	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	3	22	392	4,131
..	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1	13	252
..	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	3	7	23
..	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	12	121
..	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	3	29	169	2,537
..	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....
..	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	3	47
..	.....	...	.....	1	2	...	.....	...	.....	4	24	47	1,270
..	.....	3	4	...	.....	...	.....	1	2	2	7	83	191
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	14
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1	...	.....	2	2
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	2
.	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	2	3	3
	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1
	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	2	23	117
	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	15	21	264	448
	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	8	30	34	218
	.....	11	31	...	.....	...	.....	3	17	30	156	293	1,228
	.....	2	11	...	.....	...	.....	1	1	1	1	64	345
	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	5
	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	2
	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	4	6	61	156
	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	4
	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	5
	39	17	51	8	47	...	.....	9	125	103	805	2,349	35,925

No. 15.—Number of, Area affected by

Crops.	Causes of Failures.										
	Drought.		Flood.		Excessive Rains.		Hailstorms.		Frost.		Bush
	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.
		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.	
SOUTHERN DIVISION—											
Wheat (grain) ...	458	40,105	...	.....	...	.....	5	92	1	5	...
„ (hay)	515	15,229	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...
Maize	115	1,145	...	.....	...	.....	2	4	3	3	...
Barley (grain)... ...	7	23	...	.....	...	.....	1	7	1	1	...
„ (hay)	5	168	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...
Oats (grain)	31	542	...	.....	...	.....	1	2	...	...	...
„ (hay)	175	3,515	...	.....	...	.....	4	26	...	...	...
Rye	2	9	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	1	2	.
Millet	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...
Lucerne Hay	9	66	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	1	27	...
Potatoes	47	151	1	3	...	.....	1	1	25	31	...
Onions	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	1	2	...
Turnips	3	3	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.
Mangold-wurzel ...	1	2	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	..
Tobacco	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	..	...
Grapes for Wine ...	4	15	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	11	21	...
„ Fruit ...	4	9	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...
Oranges	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...
Other Fruits	67	205	...	.....	...	.....	13	44	10	17	...
Market Gardens ...	16	48	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	2	1	.
Peas and Beans (dry)...	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...
Peas (green)	5	9	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...
Pumpkins and Melons..	19	25	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	3	3	...
Rape	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	.	..
Other Crops	1	3	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...
Total, Southern Division	1,486	61,274	1	3	...	.....	27	176	59	113	...
WESTERN DIVISION—											
Hay principally ...	257	9,890	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	..
Totals for N.S.W.—											
Wheat (grain)... ...	994	59,059	4	38	9	85	27	589	2	10	...
„ (hay)	1,205	33,306	...	.....	1	2	2	32	...	...	...
Maize	542	5,891	3	22	10	171	7	52	63	357	...
Barley (grain)... ...	21	420	...	.....	...	.....	5	25	1	1	...
„ (hay)	15	203	...	.....	...	.....	1	1	...	...	...
Oats (grain)	44	663	...	.....	...	.....	3	20	...	...	...
„ (hay)	411	6,775	2	7	8	45	6	32	...	...	..
Rye	3	10	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	1	2	...
Millet	2	45	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	1	2	...
Lucerne Hay	83	1,664	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	1	27	
Potatoes	103	291	20	53	4	44	2	2	65	136	..
Onions	4	16	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	2	6	...
Turnips	4	4	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	.	...
Mangold-wurzel ...	3	4	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	..
Tobacco	2	5	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...		...
Sugar-cane	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	157	1,757	..
Grapes for Wine ...	23	112	1	5	...	.....	3	18	12	36	.
„ Fruit ...	227	385	...	.....	...	.....	40	70	1	3	...
Oranges	17	147	...	.....	...	.....	11	43	1	1	.
Other Fruits	226	776	...	.....	...	.....	92	448	26	73	.
Market Gardens ...	81	388	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	2	1	...
Peas and Beans (dry)...	1	5	1	1	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...
Peas (green)	7	11	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...
Pumpkins and Melons..	63	156	...	.....	...	.....	2	3	21	28	...
Rape	1	4	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...
Other Crops	2	5	...	.....	...	.....	1	3	...	...	...
Grand Total, N.S.W. ...	4,085	110,346	31	126	32	347	202	1,338	356	2,449	...

ıses of Failures of Crops, &c.—*continued.*

Causes of Failures.													
Rust.		Blight.		Rabbits and Hares.		Locusts.		Vermin.		Other Causes.		Total.	
Area.		No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.
acres.			acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.
2		98	4,295	64	3,682	...	.....	1	10	14	444	642	48,635
.....		51	659	26	496	...	.....	...	.....	6	228	598	16,612
.....		9	64	...	.....	...	.....	1	2	5	53	135	1,271
.....		...	.....	2	11	...	.....	...	.....	2	20	13	62
.....		...	.....	2	3	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	7	171
1		8	98	1	2	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	42	645
.....		14	453	12	180	...	.....	1	7	7	112	213	4,293
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	3	11
.....		...	.....	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	10	93
.....		4	6	2	2	1	1	2	15	2	3	85	213
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	3
.....		...	.....	2	2	...	.....	...	.....	1	9	6	14
.....		...	.....	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	3
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....
.....		...	.....	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	1	5	17	42
.....		...	.....	2	3	...	.....	...	.....	3	12	9	24
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1
.....		16	57	2	2	1	5	4	13	83	297	196	640
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	18	49
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	3	6	3	6
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	5	9
.....		...	.....	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	23	29
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	25	1	25
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	3
3		200	5,632	119	4,387	2	6	9	47	128	1,214	2,033	72,855
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1	258	9,891
176		100	4,304	71	3,727	...	.....	2	50	37	819	1,260	68,866
.....		51	659	26	496	...	.....	3	69	20	458	1,308	35,022
.....		14	118	...	.....	...	.....	3	8	17	164	659	6,783
.....		...	.....	2	11	...	.....	1	1	4	51	34	509
.....		...	.....	2	3	...	.....	...	.....	1	3	19	210
8		8	98	1	2	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	59	791
32		14	453	12	180	...	.....	1	7	12	150	471	7,681
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	4	12
.....		...	.....	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	4	48
.....		...	.....	2	4	...	.....	1	2	7	114	94	1,811
.....		12	15	8	6	1	1	4	18	8	16	227	582
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	6	22
.....		...	.....	2	2	...	.....	1	1	2	14	9	21
.....		...	.....	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	4	5
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	3	3	5	8
.....		1	7	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	6	160	1,771
.....		...	.....	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	4	14	44	186
.....		...	.....	2	3	...	.....	...	.....	20	36	290	497
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	8	30	37	221
.....		27	88	3	3	1	5	17	56	115	455	507	1,904
.....		2	11	...	.....	...	.....	1	1	1	1	87	402
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	5	8	7	14
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	7	11
.....		...	.....	1	1	...	.....	2	2	4	6	93	196
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	75	3	79
.....		...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	3	8
216		229	5,753	135	4,441	2	6	36	215	271	2,423	5,401	127,660

No. 16.—Area

Year ended 31st March—	Grain Crops.						Potatoes.	Tobacco.	Sugar-c
	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Millet.			Productive.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1888	389,390	171,662	4,402	19,393	1,091	200	20,915	2,371	8,380
1889	304,803	166,101	3,318	7,984	512	473	15,419	4,833	4,997
1890	419,758	173,836	5,440	22,358	1,114	459	17,551	3,239	7,348
1891	333,233	191,152	4,937	14,102	672	251	19,406	1,148	8,344
1892	356,666	174,577	4,459	12,958	720	297	22,560	886	8,623
1893	452,921	167,549	4,618	20,890	1,251	496	18,502	848	11,560
1894	593,810	205,885	6,113	34,148	1,154	677	26,559	854	11,755
1895	647,483	208,308	10,396	30,636	879	1,115	30,089	716	14,204
1896	596,684	211,104	7,590	23,750	753	865	24,722	1,231	14,398
1897	866,112	211,382	6,453	39,530	1,487	621	31,170	2,744	18,194

No. 17.—Product

Year ended 31st March—	Grain Crops.						Potatoes.	T
	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Millet.		
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	
1888	4,695,849	4,953,125	84,533	394,762	19,167	4,869	61,455	2
1889	1,450,503	4,910,404	36,760	109,931	5,982	6,917	36,839	5
1890	6,570,335	5,354,827	113,109	543,330	18,239	9,818	50,096	2
1891	3,649,216	5,713,205	81,383	256,659	9,129	2,417	52,791	1
1892	3,963,668	5,721,706	93,446	276,259	11,390	5,079	62,283	
1893	6,817,457	5,037,256	91,701	466,603	20,356	3,732	52,105	
1894	6,502,715	7,067,576	114,272	701,803	19,522	9,244	83,838	1
1895	7,041,378	5,625,533	179,348	562,725	13,315	12,460	86,170	
1896	5,195,312	5,687,030	96,119	374,196	8,078	9,725	56,179	1
1897	8,853,445	5,754,217	110,340	834,633	22,000	7,627	84,214	2

No. 18.—Average

Year ended 31st March—	Grain Crops.						Potatoes.
	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Millet.	
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.
1888...	12·1	28·8	19·2	20·3	17·6	24·3	2·9
1889...	4·8	29·5	11·1	13·8	11·7	14·6	2·4
1890...	15·7	30·8	20·8	24·3	16·4	21·4	2·9
1891...	11·0	29·9	16·5	18·2	13·6	9·6	2·7
1892...	11·1	32·8	21·0	21·3	15·8	17·1	2·8
1893...	15·0	30·0	19·9	22·3	10·3	7·5	2·8
1894...	10·9	34·3	20·4	20·5	10·9	13·6	3·2
1895...	10·9	27·0	12·3	18·4	15·2	11·2	2·8
1896...	8·7	27·0	12·7	15·8	10·7	13·7	2·3
1897...	10·2	27·2	17·1	21·1	14·8	12·3	2·7
Average for 10 years ...	11·0	29·7	17·3	20·0	15·3	13·2	2·8

ous Crops, 1888–97.

	Hay.			Sown Grasses, Oats, Barley, Sorghum, &c., &c., for green food.	Grape Vines.	Gardens and Orchards.	Orangeries.	All other Crops.	Total Number of Acres under Crop.	Permanent Artificially Sown Grasses.	Year ended 31st March.
	Barley.	Oats.	Lucerne and Sown Grasses.								
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	
.0	1,990	86,451	21,543	20,403	6,745	20,677	8,875	4,252	855,627	192,678	1888
8	3,416	85,439	17,838	28,476	7,072	20,827	10,851	3,490	798,966	200,332	1889
0	2,160	103,129	23,937	27,916	7,867	24,276	9,804	2,618	947,072	217,403	1890
7	938	70,463	20,014	37,473	8,044	27,453	11,288	7,857	852,704	388,715	1891
5	978	76,589	19,861	32,138	8,281	28,746	11,370	6,600	846,383	333,238	1892
6	1,701	101,981	21,390	44,424	8,264	31,661	11,158	6,926	1,010,727	361,280	1893
5	997	82,750	19,802	43,506	7,375	32,822	11,967	8,586	1,206,992	302,412	1894
7	953	96,856	21,637	53,029	7,577	36,265	12,204	9,115	1,325,964	362,578	1895
4	1,744	120,857	24,081	66,833	7,519	35,679	11,956	7,691	1,348,600	300,862	1896
6	1,615	133,946	30,512	74,472	8,061	39,379	12,489	7,555	1,659,717	384,016	1897

ious Crops, 1888–97.

gar-ne.	Hay.				Grape Vines.			Oranges.	Year ended 31st March.
	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Lucerne and Sown Grasses.	Wine.	Brandy.	Table Grapes.		
ns.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	gals.	gals.	tons.	doz.	
3,928	70,392	3,641	96,126	60,438	666,382	3,606	2,276	8,704,677	1888
,218	42,041	1,898	40,753	50,219	805,813	2,601	2,527	9,190,482	1889
3,862	140,348	3,691	156,920	65,270	688,685	3,702	2,951	11,074,392	1890
7,252	96,014	1,179	71,305	44,536	842,181	6,704	3,355	11,562,000	1891
5,258	75,883	1,590	86,077	45,867	913,107	6,114	3,694	10,417,500	1892
1,832	116,061	2,719	132,426	50,928	931,542	5,355	5,916	10,383,990	1893
1,606	100,482	1,342	94,128	39,647	748,929	4,650	3,216	9,600,290	1894
1,254	136,837	1,285	95,517	48,234	731,683	6,356	4,617	8,703,252	1895
,771	99,679	1,398	79,635	48,959	885,673	7,149	4,017	5,954,940	1896
,276	118,337	2,141	142,957	71,467	794,256	7,134	2,885	5,845,896	1897

rops per acre, 1888–97.

r-	Hay.				Grape Vines.		Oranges.	Year ended 31st March.
	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Lucerne and Sown Grasses.	Wine.	Table Grapes.		
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	gals.	tons.	doz.	
	1·2	1·8	1·1	2·8	202	1·6	981	1888
	0·4	0·6	0·5	2·8	225	1·7	847	1889
	1·7	1·7	1·5	2·7	191	1·7	1,130	1890
	1·2	1·3	1·1	2·2	216	1·6	1,024	1891
	1·1	1·6	1·1	2·3	237	1·7	916	1892
	1·3	1·6	1·3	2·4	225	2·7	1,200	1893
	1·0	1·4	1·1	2·0	181	1·5	1,039	1894
	1·1	1·3	1·0	2·2	164	2·0	941	1895
	0·6	0·8	0·7	2·0	202	1·6	680	1896
	0·7	1·3	1·1	2·3	172	1·1	699	1897
	1·0	1·3	1·0	2·4	200	1·1	817	Average for 10 years.

No. 19.—Breadstuffs.—Importation, Production, Co

Year.	Imports. Year ended 31st December.				Exports. Year ended 31st December.			
	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	
	cwt.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	cwt.	bushels.	bushels.	b
1887	1,368,420	3,421,050	278,105	3,699,155	424,110	1,060,275	135,920	1,
1888	1,317,750	3,294,450	1,538,568	4,833,018	384,132	960,330	149,882	1,
1889	1,315,360	3,288,400	2,832,849	6,121,249	361,236	903,090	137,721	1,
1890	1,104,640	2,761,600	352,486	3,114,086	410,991	1,027,477	219,228	1,
1891	1,279,820	3,199,550	900,079	4,099,629	254,747	636,868	322,074	
1892	976,140	2,440,350	931,402	3,371,752	63,785	159,462	8,586	
1893	536,280	1,340,700	471,788	1,812,488	35,686	89,215	14,750	
1894	662,660	1,656,650	256,550	1,913,200	33,032	82,580	6,045	
1895	385,560	963,900	359,152	1,323,052	38,057	95,142	1,879	
1896	1,125,832	2,814,580	2,502,478	5,317,058	456,039	1,140,097	588,555	1,

* Includes that required for area sown for Hay as well as for Grain. † Inclusive or exclusive.

No. 20.—Breadstuffs.—Average Yearly Importation, Production, Co

Period.	AVERAGE PER ANNUM. Imports.				Exports.		
	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.
Years.	cwt.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	cwt.	bushels.	bushels.
1862–66	426,757	1,066,893	801,765	1,868,658	169,074	422,686	26,176
1867–71	362,216	905,540	750,705	1,656,245	118,184	295,460	34,892
1872–76	404,846	1,012,105	838,388	1,850,493	82,667	207,418	95,801
1877–81	611,656	1,529,140	545,914	2,075,054	143,368	358,421	103,765
1882–86	1,013,858	2,534,645	613,180	3,147,825	259,770	649,426	71,988
1887–91	1,277,204	3,193,010	1,180,417	4,373,427	367,043	917,608	192,965
1892–96	737,294	1,843,236	904,274	2,747,510	125,319	313,299	123,063

No. 21.—Breadstuffs.—Imports and E

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of
	£	£	£
1880...	486,374	83,251	403
1881...	447,093	238,751	208
1882...	830,074	248,039	588
1883...	530,104	210,412	328
1884...	606,122	186,677	419
1885...	619,862	121,364	498
1886...	869,657	106,341	763
1887...	734,220	237,066	497
1888...	920,220	215,992	704

ınd Deficiency in Home Production, 1887–96.

of ıs a. led c.	Home Produce. Acreage under Wheat for Grain. Year ended 31st March.	Wheat Crop. Year ended 31st March.	*Seed for following Season.	Balance available for Food.	† Total available for Food.	† ‡ Apparent Consumption of Wheat per Head.	‡ Home Produce per Head.	Apparent Deficiency.	Year.
ls.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	
60	337,730	5,868,844	562,162	5,306,682	7,809,642	7·8	5·3	2·5	1887
06	389,390	4,695,849	509,551	4,186,298	7,909,104	7·6	4·0	3·6	1888
38	304,803	1,450,503	628,297	822,206	5,902,644	5·5	0·8	4·7	1889
81	419,758	6,570,335	521,325	6,049,010	7,916,391	7·2	5·5	1·7	1890
87	333,233	3,649,216	528,876	3,120,340	6,261,027	5·5	2·7	2·8	1891
04	356,666	3,963,668	677,896	3,285,772	6,489,476	5·5	2·8	2·7	1892
23	452,921	6,817,457	869,606	5,947,851	7,656,374	6·3	4·9	1·4	1893
75	593,810	6,502,715	966,600	5,536,115	7,360,690	5·9	4·5	1·4	1894
31	647,483	7,041,378	961,623	6,079,755	7,305,786	5·8	4·8	1·0	1895
06	596,684	5,195,312	1,284,299	3,911,013	7,499,419	5·8	3·0	2·8	1896

of the quantity added to or taken from stocks. ‡ Exclusive of wheat required for seed.

ınd Deficiency in Home Production, in Quinquennial Periods, 1862–96.

AVERAGE PER ANNUM.									Period.
s ıs s.	Home Produce. Acreage under Crop.	Wheat Crop.	Wheat required for Seed.	Balance available for Food.	Total available for Food.	*Consumption of Wheat per head.	*Home Produce per head.	Deficiency per head.	
s.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	
96	114,353	1,146,046	168,703	977,343	2,397,139	6·2	2·5	3·7	1862–66
93	165,166	1,929,494	216,875	1,712,619	3,038,512	6·4	3·6	2·8	1867–71
74	160,286	2,301,752	210,945	2,090,807	3,638,081	6·4	3·7	2·7	1872–76
68	208,410	3,121,486	319,177	2,802,310	4,415,178	6·4	4·0	2·4	1877–81
11	259,820	3,759,665	443,170	3,316,495	5,742,906	6·5	3·8	2·7	1882–86
54	356,983	4,446,949	550,042	3,896,907	7,159,761	6·7	3·6	3·1	1887–91
48	529,513	5,904,106	952,005	4,952,101	7,262,349	5·9	4·0	1·9	1892–96

* Exclusive of wheat required for seed.

ıg the Excess of Imports, 1880–96.

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of Imports.
	£	£	£
... ...	1,378,738	230,474	1,148,264
... ...	594,231	243,473	350,758
... ...	898,206	194,136	704,070
... ...	699,298	37,792	661,506
... ...	299,206	19,505	279,701
... ...	242,604	13,668	228,936
... ...	203,023	16,561	186,462
... ...	1,095,845	359,666	736,179

No. 22.—Value of Implements and Machinery in use during the Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Division.	Farming.	Dairying.	Pastoral.
	£	£	£
Northern Division.			
Coast	112,402	26,230	2,923
Table-land	141,736	6,681	32,096
Western Slope	45,968	1,185	99,121
Total, Northern Division	300,106	34,096	134,140
Central Division.			
Hunter and Hawkesbury Valleys	87,368	17,080	2,568
County Cumberland and Metropolis ...	53,343	6,238	853
Table-land	282,649	11,532	30,887
Western Slope	45,590	102	52,722
Total, Central Division	468,950	34,952	87,030
Southern Division.			
Coast	58,643	107,655	3,713
Table-land	278,925	31,576	55,822
Western Slope	380,715	3,129	164,846
Total, Southern Division	718,283	142,360	224,381
Western Division	29,898	1,553	263,008
Total, New South Wales	1,517,237	212,961	708,559*

* This includes, in many cases, Agricultural Implements used on Pastoral Holdings.

No. 23.—Number of Silos and Quantity of Ensilage made, Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Division.	Silos.		Ensilage made.
	Pit.	Stack.	
	No.	No.	Tons.
Northern Division.			
Coast	.....	1	10
Table-land	2	5	301
Western Slope	.....	1	3
Total, Northern Division	2	7	314
Central Division.			
Hunter and Hawkesbury Valleys	1	2	84
County Cumberland and Metropolis ...	12	19	810
Table-land	2	7	289
Western Slope	.....	1	1
Total, Central Division	15	29	1,184
Southern Division.			
Coast	9	25	11,436
Table-land	5	8	384
Western Slope	2	4	173
Total, Southern Division	16	37	11,993
Western Division	1	1	7
New South Wales	34	74	13,498

—Number of Bee Hives and Production of Honey and Beeswax, Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Counties.	Bee Hives. Productive.	Bee Hives. Unproductive.	Honey.	Average Yield of Honey per Hive.	Beeswax.
	No.	No.	lb.	lb.	lb.
NORTHERN DIVISION.					
1.—Coast.					
... ...	2,652	586	139,587	52·6	2,036
›nd	1,188	116	66,237	55·8	1,298
›e	851	404	30,131	35·4	601
... ...	1	19	12	12·0	.....
ı	331	114	16,286	49·2	378
... ...	244	75	20,324	83·3	332
ırie	2,989	626	121,363	40·6	1,500
ster	2,355	753	87,753	37·7	1,134
Total	10,611	2,693	481,693	46·2	7,279
2.—Table-land.					
... ...	805	97	30,086	38·4	618
nd	311	40	21,862	70·2	1,018
... ...	37	108	1,245	33·6	118
... ...	1,230	16	50,598	41·1	2,812
;...	23	33	1,080	46·9	112
... ...	335	44	9,090	27·1	232
... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
ge	16	6	540	33·7	41
... ...	74	7	966	13·4	55
... ...	.....	4	.....	.....	.....
m	5	.....	47	9·4	.....
... ...	539	22	40,040	74·3	619
ıtta	41	9	1,960	47·8	20
... ...	60	33	4,480	74·6	112
... ...	69	37	12,403	179·7	114
Total	3,545	456	174,397	49·2	5,871
3.—Western Slope.					
›on	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
t	6	.....	120	20·0	.....
ie	3	.....	200	66·6	.....
a	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
ison	21	11	616	29·3	.....
war	128	2	4,548	35·5	114
n	9	.....	80	9·0	.....
n	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
ardt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
ne	19	.....	850	44·7	.....
... ...	35	.....	1,362	39·0	37
ger	174	12	12,300	70·7	191
... ...	70	1	7,750	110·7	76
... ...	75	5	4,266	56·9	130
Total	540	31	32,092	59·2	548
Total, Northern Division ...	14,696	3,180	688,182	46·8	13,698

24.—Number of Bee Hives and Production of Honey and Beeswax—*contd.*

Counties.	Bee Hives. Productive.	Bee Hives. Unproductive.	Honey.	Average Yield of Honey per Hive.	Beeswax.
C.—Southern Division.					
8.—Coast.	No.	No.	lb.	lb.	lb.
ıden	2,240	1,458	43,313	19·3	1,066
Vincent	652	287	20,650	31·7	687
ıpier	107	59	1,314	12·3	127
kland	196	61	3,904	19·9	158
Total	3,195	1,865	69,181	21·6	2,038
9.—Table-land.					
ɔes	209	27	6,246	29·9	317
ıteagle	192	4	5,610	29·2	522
den	423	130	15,809	37·4	608
ɣ	154	38	5,813	37·7	129
rgiana	79	14	1,979	25·1	120
ɣle	112	160	1,398	12·5	49
ray	203	125	5,134	25·3	390
ley...	2	.....	200	100·0	9
ɛleuch	57	15	1,756	30·8	23
endon	435	14	16,262	37·4	604
ıyard	528	73	16,119	30·5	752
lburn	506	165	13,481	26·6	257
ɣn...	50	1	1,164	23·3	17
lace	32	21	720	22·5	30
ɜford	15	11	238	15·9	6
lesley	37	30	1,237	33·4	78
Total	3,034	828	93,166	30·7	3,911
10.—Western Slope.					
ling	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
ɜ	23	10	916	39·8	.....
ıd	60	5	2,450	40·8	10
ɾke...	57	24	4,188	73·5	155
ɜer...	4	3	120	30·0	47
ıolson	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
t	3	.....	60	20·0	.....
adgery	2	8	40	20·0	.....
l	76	15	2,800	36·8	65
hell	26	.....	820	31·5	.....
ıa	16	.....	426	26·6	.....
nsend	17	2	600	35·3	17
ɔool	5	.....	300	60·0	20
ɛll	5	2	224	44·8	.....
ɜson	12	.....	1,200	100·0	.....
ıe	141	13	5,958	42·3	103
Total	447	82	20,102	44·9	417
Total, Southern Division ...	6,676	2,775	182,449	27·3	6,366
Total, Western Division ...	17	10	750	44·1	40
Total, New South Wales ...	32,557	9,343	1,378,039	42·3	31,842

No. 25.—Average Monthly Wholesale Prices at Sydney of the principal of Agricultural and Farm-yard Produce during 1896.

Description.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
Milling Produce.											
Wheat—											
Australian .. ₩ bushel	4/1¾	/4½	4/5	4/3¼	4/1	4/1¼	4/1½	4/1	3/11½	3/11½	4/1
Flour—											
Roller—											
N.S. Wales .. ₩ ton.	9/13/6	10/6/10	10/6/10	10/3/2	10/6/-	10/7/6	10/7/6	10/2/6	10/2/6	10/9/6	12/13/-
Bran .. .. .. ₩ bushel	-/9½	-/9	-/8	-/8¾	-/9½	-/9	-/8	-/7¾	-/7½	-/8½	-/9
Pollard .. .. ,,	-/10¼	-/9½	-/8	-/8¾	-/9¼	-/8¾	-/8	-/7¾	-/7¼	-/8	-/9
Feed Grains.											
Barley (Cape) .. ₩ bushel	3/1½	3/2½	3/1	2/11	2/10½	2/9½	2/9	2/9	2/8½	2/8	*
Oats .. .. .. ,,	2/5¼	2/1¼	2/0½	1/11½	2/3½	2/4½	2/3	2/2½	2/1¾	2/2	2/4
Maize .. .. .. ,,	3/4¾	3/4¼	2/6½	2/2¾	2/2¼	2/2¾	2/2	2/-	1/11½	1/11	2/0
Root Crops.											
Potatoes—											
Tasmanian .. ₩ ton.	6/16/8	5/9/4	4/-/4	3/12/6	3/3/5	3/1/3	4/7/-	3/16/10	3/5/11	3/7/6	4/3
New South Wales ,,	6/18/2	5/10/4	3/11/8	3/-/-	2/9/7	2/4/3	3/18/4	3/3/2	2/11/3	2/12/-	5/1
Onions .. .. ,,	7/-/-	6/17/6	6/17/10	8/2/10	8/3/2	7/11/3	7/9/-	9/7/6	12/15/-	15/8/-	11/15/-
Fodder.											
Hay .. .. .. ₩ ton.	4/11/10	4/7/11	4/12/4	5/1/6	5/5/10	4/17/1	4/4/-	4/2/1	4/6/4	3/17/7	3/10
Lucerne .. .. ,,	3/5/8	3/2/1	2/13/4	2/16/-	3/1/6	2/16/-	2/12/8	2/10/3	2/5/2	2/4/2	2/1
Straw .. .. .. ,,	3/19/2	3/7/9	3/2/6	2/9/4	3/14/9	3/10/3	2/10/-	3/-/-	2/18/9	2/10/10	2/11/1
Chaff .. .. .. ,,	5/1/6	4/13/6	4/7/9	4/13/8	4/14/7	4/13/4	4/5/4	4/4/9	4/3/6	4/-/-	3/19/-
Imported .. .. ,,	5/8/-	5/-/-	4/16/3	4/18/9	5/2/6	4/18/5	4/16/9	4/16/10	4/19/4	4/14/10	4/-
Farm-yard and Dairy Produce.											
Butter—											
Creamery .. .. ₩ lb.	1/-	-/11½	-/8½	-/9	-/11	-/11	-/11½	/11½	-/10¾	-/9½	-/8
Factory .. .. ,,	-/11½	-/10½	-/7½	-/8½	-/11	-/10½	-/11½	-/11	-/10½	-/8¾	-/7
Dairy .. .. ,,	-/9½	-/9	-/6½	-/7½	-/10	-/9¼	-/10½	-/10	-/9	-/7	-/6
Cheese—											
Large .. .. ,,	-/6½	-/6½	-/5¾	-/4½	-/4¾	-/4¾	-/4½	-/4½	-/4½	-/3¾	-/4
Loaf .. .. ,,	-/6¾	-/6¾	-/6¼	-/5	-/5	-/5¾	-/4¾	-/4¾	-/4½	-/4½	-/4
Bacon .. .. ,,	-/6½	-/7	-/7	-/6¾	-/6¼	-/5½	-/5	-/5½	-/5½	-/6	-/6
Hams—											
N.S. Wales .. ,,	-/9	-/8½	-/7¼	-/8	-/8	-/7¾	-/7½	-/7¼	-/7¼	-/7¾	-/8
Lard—											
Bladder .. .. ,,	-/5	-/5	-/5	-/5	-/5	-/5	*	*	*	*	*
Eggs—											
North Coast .. ₩ doz.	-/10½	1/-	1/2½	1/3	1/2½	1/1½	1/-	-/7¾	-/6¾	-/6½	-/6¾
South Coast .. ,,	-/11¼	1/2	1/3½	1/4¾	1/3½	1/2	1/1	-/7¾	-/7	-/6¾	-/7½
Poultry—											
Fowls .. .. ₩ pair	3/7	2/11	2/11	3/-	3/-	3/-	3/5	3/3	3/4	3/5	3/4
Ducks .. .. ,,	3/4	3/-	2/6	3/-	3/-	3/1	3/9	3/11	3/11	4/-	3/11
Geese .. .. ,,	4/8	3/6	3/8	4/4	4/-	4/-	4/3	4/10	5/-	5/8	5/4
Turkeys—											
Hen .. .. ,,	6/6	7/-	6/6	4/6	4/6	4/-	4/9	5/3	5/8	6/10	6/-
Cock .. .. ,,	12/-	12/6	11/8	7/6	7/6	7/2	8/7	8/6	9/2	11/6	10/-
Bee Produce—											
Honey .. .. ₩ lb.	-/2¾	-/2¾	-/2¾	-/2¾	-/2¾	-/3	-/3½	-/3½	-/3½	-/3½	-/3½
Wax .. .. ,,	1/0½	1/0½	1/0¼	1/-	1/-	1/0½	1/0½	1/0½	1/-	1/0½	1/0½
Pigs—											
Porkers .. .. each	21/-	17/6	17/6	18/-	15/9	16/9	17/9	19/3	21/9	22/6	21/8
Fresh Pork .. ₩ lb.	-/3½	-/3½	-/3½	-/3½	-/3½	-/3½	-/3½	-/3½	-/3½	-/3½	-/3½
Milk .. .. .. ₩ gal	1/-	1/-	-/9	-/9	-/9	1/-	1/-	1/-	1/-	1/-	1/-

* No quotations.

. 26.—Operations of the Hawkesbury Agricultural College and Farm for the Year 1896–97.

	Acres.		
Area	3,000	Number of Resident Students	96
Area cultivated	710	Diplomas awarded during the year	19
nder Grain and Hay Crops	461	Hands employed (excluding Students) ..	32
nder Fruit Trees and Vines	42	Value of Plant and Machinery	£850
nder Root and other Crops	207	Value of Produce for the year	£4,000

PRINCIPAL CROPS GROWN.

Crop.	Acres.	Yield per Acre.	Crop.	Acres.	Yield per Acre.
for Grain	8	22½ bushels.	Oranges (not bearing)	4	.....
Hay	106	1 ton.	Other Fruit Orchards	19	£7 7s.
for Grain	66	20 bushels.	,, ,, (not bearing)	9	.....
Silage	154	3 tons.	Grape Vines for Wine ,,	2	.....
for Grain	6	12 bushels.	,, ,, Fruit	8	1 ton.
Green Food	15	.....	Potatoes	6	4 tons.
r Grain	31	15 bushels.	Turnips	15	7 tons.
Hay	66	1 ton.	Mangold-wurzel	5	8 tons.
e for Hay	24	¼ ton.	Tobacco	3	20 cwt.
Green Food	16	.....	Market Garden Produce	6	£16 13. 4d.
m for ,, ...	19	.....	Peas and Beans (dry)	3	4 bushels.
rian Millet	11	Fed off.	Pumpkins	40	30 cwt.
ries	12	.....	Melons	12	60 dozen.
.. ..	26	Fed off.	Cow Pea	18	Fed off.

LIVE STOCK AND DAIRYING.

Number of Horses, 35; Dairy Cows, 228; Bullocks, 139; Sheep, 40; Swine, 207; Yield of Milk, 33,234 gals.; r, 4,35 lb.; Cheese, 11,6 00 lb.; Bacon, 2,520 lb.; Number of Sheep killed, 792; Pigs killed, 104; Pigs sold, 63.

. 27.—Operations of the Murrumbidgee Experimental Farm for the Year 1896–97.

rea	2,460 acres.	Applications for Seed Wheat—	
rea cultivated	1,200 ,,	Total Quantity applied for	50,000 bushels.
nder Cereals	1,000 ,,	Quantity supplied	5,000 ,,
nder Forage Plants	80 ,,	Price per Bushel	7s. 6d.
nder Grape Vines	15 ,,	Number of Students	25
nder Fruit Trees	70 ,,	Number of Hands employed	16
nder Olive Trees	8 ,,	Value of Plant and Machinery	£800
Experimental Plots	17 ,,	Value of Produce for the Year	£2,400
rigated	10 ,,	Total Capacity of Dams	56,000 cub. yds.

PRINCIPAL CROPS UNDER EXPERIMENT.

(340 varieties).	Fruit (2,000 varieties).	Peas.
, Cross-bred (400 varieties).	Prunes } Drying.	Roots.
	Apricots } Drying.	Grasses.
	Peaches } Drying.	Tobacco.
	Raisins } Drying.	Lucerne.
	Sultanas } Drying.	Sorghum.
	Currants } Drying.	

No. 28.—Plantation Trial Stations.

ion Station.	Road where situated.	Area.	Plantation Station.	Road where situated.	Area.
Dog Bore ..	Bourke to Barringun ..	42 acres.	Byerock Tank ..	Byerock	Small.
an Bore ..	,, ,, ..	4 ,,	Waddell Tank ..	Bourke to Byerock ..	,,
Bore ..	,, ,, ..	4½ ,,	Moongulla Bore ..	Collarendabri to Angledool	12 acres.
ia Bore ..	Enngonia	30 ,,	Dungle Ridge Bore	,, ,, ..	10 ,,
h Tank ..	Coolabah	Small.	Pera Bore	Bourke to Wanaaring ..	137 ,,

he Plantations consist chiefly of fruit and forest trees and date-palms; sugar-cane, cereals, grasses, and potatoes are also cultivated. At the Pera and Moongulla Bores blocks have been leased for Irrigation Farms.

No. 29.—Number of Persons Employed in Agricultural and Pastoral Purs Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Counties.	Persons Employed in Agricultural pursuits principally, including Dairy Farming.						In Pastoral pursuits.	To emp in I oc pat
	Agriculture.		Dairy.		Total.			
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
A.—Northern Division.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	N
1.—Coast.								
Rous	2,964	118	1,258	751	4,222	869	197	5,
Richmond	614	23	83	70	697	93	91	
Clarence	2,204	18	217	316	2,421	334	155	2,
Fitzroy	413	18	39	37	452	55	109	
Raleigh	665	54	18	42	683	96	24	
Dudley	680	.....	104	111	784	111	42	
Macquarie	1,752	66	210	390	1,962	456	337	2,
Gloucester	1,245	181	262	375	1,507	556	534	2,
Total	10,537	478	2,191	2,092	12,728	2,570	1,489	16,
2.—Table-land.								
Parry	582	9	12	60	594	69	172	
Buckland	418	47	22	31	440	78	277	
Vernon	158	8	1	33	159	41	177	
Inglis	407	21	14	69	421	90	209	
Darling	371	51	15	70	386	121	316	
Sandon	776	19	70	98	846	117	430	1.
Clarke	139	15	5	13	144	28	186	
Hardinge	384	101	5	24	389	125	358	
Clive	422	15	11	68	433	83	134	
Hawes	37	.....	5	3	42	3	108	
Gresham	14	2	.....	2	14	4	24	
Gough	1,043	41	40	194	1,083	235	223	1.
Arrawatta	362	22	5	59	367	81	171	
Drake	31	2	1	1	32	3	79	
Buller	83	19	33	28	116	47	128	
Total	5,227	372	239	753	5,466	1,125	2,992	9
3.—Western Slope.								
Stapylton	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	233	
Burnett	129	10	9	32	138	42	301	
Courallie	49	3	2	10	51	13	230	
Benarba	6	1	.....	1	6	2	446	
Murchison	380	18	1	49	381	67	200	
Nandewar	260	30	4	6	264	36	165	
Jamison	13	5	1	1	14	6	369	
Denham	3	.....	1	2	4	2	256	
Leichhardt	62	17	9	5	71	22	401	
Baradine	73	4	5	11	78	15	162	
White	38	4	.....	6	38	10	74	
Pottinger	221	18	5	8	226	26	638	
Napier	44	6	.....	10	44	16	119	
Gowen	249	35	2	21	251	56	231	
Total	1,528	151	39	162	1,567	313	3,825	1
Total, Northern Division	17,292	1,001	2,469	3,007	19,761	4,008	8,306	3

'o. 29.—Number of Persons Employed in Agricultural and Pastoral Pursuits—*continued.*

Counties.	Persons employed in Agricultural pursuits principally, including Dairy Farming.						In Pastoral pursuits.	Total employed in Rural occupations.
	Agriculture.		Dairy.		Total.			
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
:NTRAL DIVISION.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
unter and Hawkesbury Valleys.								
n	2,121	214	474	510	2,595	724	485	3,804
... ...	287	11	30	41	317	52	130	499
mberland ...	2,815	195	347	539	3,162	734	264	4,160
... ...	1,284	18	31	77	1,315	95	90	1,500
Total	6,507	438	882	1,167	7,389	1,605	969	9,963
ounty of Cumberland and Metropolis.								
lice Districts.)								
olitan	1,902	1	248	28	2,150	29	29	2,208
... ...	1,052	145	25	14	1,077	159	11	1,247
atta	965	31	33	27	998	58	35	1,091
ool	1,032	55	23	5	1,055	60	21	1,136
n (*part of*) ...	179	8	23	27	202	35	10	247
elltown	250	.....	84	72	334	72	19	425
gong (*part of*) ...	53	.....	16	14	69	14	12	95
or (*part of*) ...	952	88	8	22	960	110	27	1,097
a (*part of*) ...	753	2	58	121	811	123	37	971
Total	7,138	330	518	330	7,656	660	201	8,517
—Table-land.								
ne	731	77	49	170	780	247	586	1,613
... ...	794	51	158	262	952	313	362	1,627
... ...	370	71	5	33	375	104	436	915
a	750	150	18	49	768	199	223	1,190
a	600	42	7	86	607	128	317	1,052
gton	1,085	20	146	221	1,231	241	395	1,867
rgh	807	145	35	77	842	222	278	1,342
nham	1,469	125	26	136	1,495	261	363	2,119
st	2,485	320	81	516	2,566	836	391	3,793
oreland	661	94	29	110	690	204	151	1,045
Total	9,752	1,095	554	1,660	10,306	2,755	3,502	16,563
Western Slope.								
y	36	4	2	.....	38	4	404	446
ar	94	26	6	9	100	35	354	489
ego	30	1	.....	.....	30	1	155	186
... ...	86	12	.....	1	86	13	240	339
aine	268	23	3	5	271	28	185	484
s	71	18	.....	.....	71	18	152	241
ly	124	.....	.....	1	124	1	201	326
gham	179	38	1	6	180	44	278	502
Total	888	122	12	22	900	144	1,969	3,013
l, Central Division	24,285	1,985	1,966	3,179	26,251	5,164	6,641	38,056

No. 29.—Number of Persons Employed in Agricultural and Pastoral Pursuits—*continued.*

Counties.	Persons Employed in Agricultural pursuits principally, including Dairy Farming.						In Pastoral pursuits.
	Agriculture.		Dairy.		Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	
C.—Southern Division.							
8.—Coast.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Camden	2,021	92	3,320	1,887	5,341	1,979	219
St. Vincent	1,161	23	1,054	584	2,215	607	274
Dampier	428	8	516	325	944	333	131
Auckland	730	19	885	608	1,615	627	192
Total	4,340	142	5,775	3,404	10,115	3,546	816
9.—Table-land.							
Forbes	570	39	15	93	585	132	240
Monteagle	845	58	34	108	879	166	284
Harden	1,130	155	114	131	1,244	286	414
King	875	28	51	172	926	200	272
Georgiana	444	8	169	220	613	228	463
Argyle	1,004	7	388	390	1,392	397	188
Murray	890	93	66	196	956	289	562
Cowley	80	5	6	28	86	33	152
Buccleuch	334	4	7	26	341	30	234
Clarendon	787	13	30	12	817	25	208
Wynyard	689	53	89	101	778	154	455
Goulburn	720	64	106	147	826	211	279
Selwyn	102	.....	8	24	110	24	232
Wallace	312	14	65	86	377	100	277
Beresford	258	43	77	107	335	150	284
Wellesley	338	30	85	101	423	131	504
Total	9,378	614	1,310	1,942	10,688	2,556	5,040
10.—Western Slope.							
Dowling	15	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	140
Gipps	155	12	1	1	156	13	441
Bland	883	153	7	36	890	189	395
Bourke	986	109	7	49	993	158	205
Cooper	419	162	4	6	423	168	259
Nicholson	176	70	.....	1	176	71	124
Sturt	51	14	1	2	52	16	110
Warrigery	125	30	10	17	135	47	318
Boyd	48	8	4	9	52	17	173
Mitchell	462	74	15	28	477	102	290
Urana	426	51	10	28	436	79	587
Townsend	318	70	10	44	328	114	427
Wakool	136	56	5	8	141	64	393
Cadell	261	9	7	21	268	30	127
Denison	1,104	174	15	61	1,119	235	258
Hume	911	152	29	74	940	226	387
Total	6,476	1,144	125	385	6,601	1,529	4,640
Total, Southern Division	20,194	1,900	7,210	5,731	27,404	7,631	10,502

. 29.—Number of Persons Employed in Agricultural and Pastoral Pursuits—*continued.*

Counties.	Persons Employed in Agricultural pursuits principally, including Dairy Farming.						In Pastoral pursuits.	Total employed in Rural occupations.
	Agriculture.		Dairy.		Total.			
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
VESTERN DIVISION. —Western Plains.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
ı	6	4	1	3	7	7	326	340
an	23	.....	.....	.....	23	.....	291	314
oa	3	.....	1	.....	4	.....	144	148
lerbooka	20	.....	1	3	21	3	131	155
a	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	109	110
ona	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	15
ner	2	.....	7	.....	9	.....	200	209
e	13	.....	1	.....	14	.....	193	207
nson...	14	1	7	4	21	5	143	169
la	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	105	105
sborough	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	120	122
oondarra	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	48	48
;in	4	.....	.....	1	4	1	65	70
ra	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	94	94
re	3	6	.....	.....	3	6	62	71
unda	3	1	.....	.....	3	1	34	38
ramba	36	.....	.....	.....	36	.....	59	95
land...	15	.....	1	.....	16	.....	178	194
giel	9	7	.....	.....	9	7	88	104
klin	16	4	4	2	20	6	147	173
jeers...	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	195	196
ı	55	32	.....	2	55	34	177	266
ı	14	11	.....	.....	14	11	48	73
ra	3	4	.....	.....	3	4	66	73
ara	14	.....	.....	.....	14	.....	142	156
ıg	27	8	4	2	31	10	90	131
gnulgra	.....	.....	2	2	2	2	210	214
jerald	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	7
ara	10	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	71	81
ara	24	1	.....	.....	24	1	95	120
lah	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	13
ulcanna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	64	64
tworth	55	3	.....	1	55	4	119	178
... ...	27	10	.....	2	27	12	57	96
leyer	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	188	191
y	6	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	118	124
ndee	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	89	89
ngstone	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	114	114
owinna	18	2	12	9	30	11	157	198
lora	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	95	95
ell	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21	21
twingee	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	61	61
rn	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	61	63
e	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	16
owoko	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	48	48
al, Western Division	429	94	41	31	470	125	4,874	5,469
l, New South Wales	62,200	4,980	11,686	11,948	73,886	16,928	30,323	121,137

OTE.—Although an attempt has been made in this table to separate persons employed in Agriculture from those d in Dairy-farming, the figures must only be regarded as approximate, as in many cases the individual follow-

No. 30.—Number of Holdings on which the Principal Crops were cultiv Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Counties.	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Potatoes.	Tobacco.	Sugar-cane.	Grape-vines.	Oranges.	Fruit.
A.—Northern Division.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1. Coast.										
Rous	2	1,181	70	144	234	1	891	13	7	136
Richmond	4	316	6	33	55	...	194	40	1	11
Clarence	1	1,213	60	157	421	9	597	15	9	33
Fitzroy	1	255	2	55	63	1	2	1	1	13
Raleigh	...	480	13	65	158	...	11	5	10	64
Dudley	...	493	6	64	146	...	1	6	...	12
Macquarie	119	1,137	114	259	444	33	1	31	8	146
Gloucester	187	762	77	249	298	53	...	20	28	159
Total	314	5,837	348	1.026	1,819	97	1,697	131	64	574
2. Table-land.										
Parry	247	200	24	47	115	38	...	7	...	37
Buckland	216	125	22	22	54	2	...	21	...	69
Vernon	104	96	8	151	162	...	...	...	...	10
Inglis	170	154	18	61	91	...	...	12	...	28
Darling	239	132	5	19	60	2	...	6	...	41
Sandon	270	303	23	440	400	...	...	...	3	161
Clarke	36	33	4	68	89	...	...	...	...	4
Hardinge	137	124	8	136	171	1	...	12	2	60
Clive	2	9	1	4	266	1	21	1	2	107
Hawes	1	25	1	8	5	...	...	...	...	1
Gresham	...	10	...	5	4	...	...	...	1	1
Gough	372	426	18	423	343	...	...	22	2	95
Arrawatta	157	147	13	38	57	1	...	14	1	25
Drake	1	15	1	9	5	...	...	...	...	2
Buller	8	45	1	26	36	...	...	1	1	16
Total	1,960	1,844	147	1,457	1,858	45	21	96	12	657
3. Western Slope.										
Stapylton	3	2	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...
Burnett	64	57	1	15	5	...	...	1	...	18
Courallie	15	40	2	11	4	...	...	5	...	6
Benarba	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Murchison	183	151	7	26	76	1	...	5	2	55
Nandewar	85	67	4	22	35	...	...	9	1	35
Jamison	19	6	2	15	5	...	...	3	...	6
Denham	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Leichhardt	47	6	...	5	3	...	...	1	...	3
Baradine	39	22	1	4	11	...	...	2	...	5
White	21	13	4	6	1	...	...	1	...	1
Pottinger	97	86	14	39	20	1	...	9	...	32
Napier...	25	15	2	10	6	...	...	...	...	1
Gowen...	133	113	11	14	25	1	...	3	...	29
Total	734	582	48	171	192	3	...	39	3	193
Total, Northern Division ...	3,008	8,263	543	2,654	3,869	145	1,718	266	79	1,424

No. 30.—Number of Holdings on which the Principal Crops were cultivated—*continued.*

Counties.	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Potatoes.	Tobacco.	Sugar-cane.	Grape-vines.	Oranges.	Fruit.	Market Garden Produce
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
.—Central Division.											
.—Hunter and Hawkesbury Valleys.											
ham	213	1,062	198	306	814	49	2	88	76	214	44
ater	32	164	9	41	52	4	1	13	45	80	3
thumberland	267	1,297	223	531	601	11	1	192	162	638	243
k	83	391	21	300	276	...	...	14	270	519	48
Total	595	2,914	451	1,178	1,743	64	4	307	553	1,451	334
—County Cumberland and Metropolis. (*Police Districts.*)											
ropolitan	1	28	1	30	...	...	...	13	132	307	617
le	...	46	12	46	13	...	...	161	389	630	13
ramatta	9	72	19	109	30	...	...	111	456	676	55
erpool	2	191	13	172	48	...	...	287	9	450	109
nden (*part of*)	8	44	14	56	8	...	...	15	5	24	3
npbelltown	1	73	20	108	11	...	...	54	1	100	9
llongong (*part of*) ...	1	22	...	17	23	...	...	6	3	30	5
ndsor (*part of*)	67	309	41	206	151	1	...	49	239	348	14
rith (*part of*)	21	308	59	261	67	...	...	140	56	347	18
Total	110	1,093	179	1,005	351	1	...	836	1,290	2,912	843
6.—Table-land.											
bane	215	243	48	86	90	3	...	38	5	79	6
llip...	350	342	32	189	77	...	...	42	1	82	16
gh	191	105	14	44	13	...	...	4	1	17	4
coln	356	135	15	20	30	...	...	21	...	104	10
don	315	125	9	29	16	...	...	9	...	49	2
llington	456	355	48	294	233	3	...	32	2	154	31
burgh	212	210	21	345	273	11	...	6	1	63	12
burnham	896	357	32	144	143	...	1	30	9	171	16
hurst	981	474	107	937	861	57	...	9	...	245	77
stmoreland	101	158	20	368	318	10	...	...	...	30	5
Total	4,073	2,504	346	2,456	2,054	84	1	191	19	994	179
7.—Western Slope.											
gory	21	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	1
nmar	71	27	1	7	2	...	...	4	1	7	2
belego	21	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
ey	44	1	2	5	4	...	...	5	2	11	6
romine	134	38	4	7	9	...	...	6	1	21	4
ders	42	1	1	7	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
nedy	89	4	...	9	...	...	...	3	...	10	...
ningham	122	2	...	17	5	...	...	11	1	17	3
Total	544	75	9	57	20	...	...	29	5	70	18
Total, Central Division ...	5,322	6,586	985	4,696	4,168	149	5	1,363	1,867	5,427	1,374

No. 30.—Number of Holdings on which the Principal Crops wei cultivated—*continued.*

Counties.	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Potatoes.	Tobacco.	Sugar-cane.	Grape-vines.	Oranges.	Fruit.
C.—Southern Division.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
8.—Coast.										
Camden	62	1,623	231	1,351	895	...	8	26	27	669
St. Vincent	185	543	87	450	480	1	...	4	7	167
Dampier	34	274	30	195	215	...	...	1	1	52
Auckland	48	413	20	367	418	...	...	9	2	133
Total	329	2,853	368	2,363	2,008	1	8	40	37	1,021
9.—Table-land.										
Forbes	297	65	10	28	7	...	1	8	...	43
Monteagle	415	161	34	149	19	...	...	15	...	90
Harden	554	168	53	211	80	...	...	27	...	116
King	545	228	95	451	376	...	...	2	3	115
Georgiana	196	74	28	275	308	17	...	1	...	45
Argyle	352	230	101	619	550	...	...	8	2	338
Murray	373	169	93	501	265	...	...	2	...	85
Cowley	35	32	11	36	29	...	...	2	...	6
Buccleuch	99	127	9	93	42	36	...	...	...	21
Clarendon	346	43	23	148	12	2	...	28	2	73
Wynyard	256	157	26	214	83	61	...	16	...	116
Goulburn	240	8	22	161	40	3	...	63	2	73
Selwyn...	31	16	7	102	90	1	...	...	...	39
Wallace	128	1	20	224	166	...	...	...	...	30
Beresford	115	16	29	204	204	...	...	1	...	45
Wellesley	113	1	59	261	225	...	...	...	1	38
Total	4,095	1,496	620	3,677	2,496	120	1	173	10	1,273
10.—Western Slope.										
Dowling	36	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	3
Gipps	103	2	2	8	...	...	...	...	...	4
Bland	416	49	7	73	9	1	...	10	...	38
Bourke	429	4	17	78	8	...	...	25	...	39
Cooper...	134	2	6	17	7	...	...	3	...	12
Nicholson	81	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sturt	31	1	1	1	1	...	...	3	...	7
Waradgery	56	2	2	6	1	...	...	...	...	2
Boyd	29	2	3	4	2	...	...	...	...	2
Mitchell	223	3	5	83	4	...	...	9	...	19
Urana	199	...	2	51	4	...	...	11	2	15
Townsend	147	...	2	9	1	...	...	3	2	5
Wakool	94	1	1	4	5	...	...	...	2	2
Cadell	135	...	1	5	...	...	1	1	...	5
Denison	351	...	14	73	1	...	...	8	1	14
Hume	322	1	24	119	1	...	...	75	4	63
Total	2,786	67	88	532	46	1	1	148	11	230
Total, Southern Division ...	7,210	4,416	1,076	6,572	4,550	122	10	361	58	2,524
D.—Western Division ...	450	5	5	25	14	...	...	41	15	56
Total, New South Wales ...	15,990	19,270	2,609	13,947	12601	416	1,733	2,031	2,019	9,431

Section II.—GRAZING AND DAIRY FARMING.

31.—Number of each kind of Live Stock in the Counties of each Division on the 31st December, 1896.

Counties.	Horses (including Foals).	Cattle.		Calves branded during the year.	Sheep (including Lambs).	Lambs marked during the year.	Swine.	Goats.
		Dairy.	Ordinary (including Calves).					
—Northern Division.								
1.—Coast.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
s	12,576	23,256	80,642	11,597	316	2	11,588	6
mond	4,631	3,760	43,921	7,086	28	.....	2,095	1
ence	11,827	11,961	29,286	7,165	890	90	6,227	17
roy	3,005	1,693	23,064	3,285	752	430	3,034	1
igh	2,135	1,817	3,905	564	.....	2	3,238	...
ley	3,896	3,999	23,297	4,589	23	.....	4,934	...
quarie	7,821	7,580	27,417	3,434	1,293	94	11,463	19
icester	6,301	9,470	40,479	9,133	807	118	8,797	54
Total	52,192	63,536	272,011	46,853	4,109	736	51,376	98
—Table-land.								
y...	4,795	2,592	18,277	3,432	410,583	79,735	2,337	30
kland	4,238	2,432	22,393	2,805	666,544	157,286	1,239	13
non	2,460	1,941	25,621	4,405	239,525	55,298	2,189	34
is...	3,336	1,176	9,461	2,116	155,510	32,630	877	75
ling	5,446	1,026	15,449	3,263	452,445	90,860	702	130
lon	6,492	5,451	20,109	3,845	501,284	86,973	1,645	150
ke	2,424	1,364	27,849	4,900	87,680	9,133	814	14
dinge	3,334	2,261	18,958	3,107	388,104	42,136	660	215
e	3,799	2,411	50,489	7,360	69,087	4,746	1,069	5
res	1,268	196	24,116	4,135	40,853	7,585	563	...
sham	757	298	9,553	2,227	106	32	116	...
gh	9,257	5,510	49,103	9,085	539,702	77,493	2,699	254
awatta	3,993	1,301	32,394	4,701	266,648	34,714	732	82
ke	2,114	409	39,511	7,271	731	94	470	42
ler	1,945	691	33,355	4,484	1,655	398	644	9
Total	55,658	29,059	396,638	67,136	3,820,457	679,113	16,756	1,053
-Western Slope.								
ylton	1,573	579	8,428	712	358,747	60,150	215	28
nett	4,346	1,143	49,336	4,318	507,884	78,667	315	17
rallie	3,634	1,003	25,349	3,442	635,445	148,303	1,669	129
arba	4,164	980	13,147	1,502	852,404	169,322	151	88
chison	5,169	1,065	40,402	4,241	344,892	46,156	520	137
dewar	3,374	856	16,546	2,091	291,873	72,170	536	69
ison	3,071	614	7,850	1,646	751,217	172,321	332	74
ham	1,366	221	4,274	717	356,891	77,288	44	101
hhardt	4,744	1,943	13,540	2,574	1,270,188	280,053	399	233
idine	2,072	414	5,236	953	271,861	55,373	264	335
ite	1,238	257	4,152	723	48,278	5,884	172	193
inger	6,407	1,872	21,296	2,542	1,061,230	187,466	984	290
ier	1,140	417	2,278	572	324,410	64,659	97	...
ren	3,287	928	8,096	1,595	372,730	77,204	430	300
Total	45,585	12,292	219,930	27,628	7,448,050	1,495,016	6,128	1,994
Total, Northern Division ...	153,435	104,887	888,579	141,617	11,272,616	2,174,865	74,260	3,145

31.—Number of each kind of Live Stock, 31st December, 1896—*continued.*

Counties.	Horses (including Foals).	Cattle.		Calves branded during the year.	Sheep (including Lambs).	Lambs marked during the year.	Swine.	Goats.
		Dairy.	Ordinary (including Calves).					
)UTHERN DIVISION.								
.—Coast.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
'n	15,000	61,173	48,706	6,915	47,573	4,021	16,289	124
ncent	5,994	15,937	34,435	5,663	20,517	4,914	7,869	93
ier	2,425	11,805	16,717	2,016	515	127	3,887	12
ınd	4,385	24,051	26,632	5,283	2,105	414	5,302	14
Total	27,804	112,966	126,490	20,777	70,710	9,476	33,347	243
·Table-land.								
... ...	3,460	1,646	8,783	1,333	455,796	90,130	1,217	55
agle	4,934	2,747	10,072	1,524	567,211	124,919	1,677	65
n	7,150	6,290	20,977	3,213	777,396	147,975	3,467	69
.. ..	6,105	3,965	15,454	3,207	521,134	118,042	3,546	104
ana	4,277	3,784	15,912	3,380	337,778	67,817	3,806	364
... ...	6,940	12,705	26,331	5,687	222,373	32,230	3,907	41
y	6,638	5,295	34,848	5,188	639,224	126,800	2,078	211
r	1,779	1,084	10,233	1,375	130,484	22,916	370	65
ıuch	2,927	634	16,133	2,719	172,394	33,569	854	96
don	5,426	2,616	11,012	1,823	489,559	109,696	1,272	74
ard	7,599	3,934	29,205	4,496	576,146	96,691	3,129	302
urn	4,457	3,184	14,014	2,358	566,691	145,934	1,981	98
a	3,900	1,197	22,326	2,335	150,413	59,244	714	360
ce	4,841	2,907	24,477	4,097	377,540	72,150	1,333	202
ord	3,436	2,806	17,620	2,188	291,183	58,414	1,048	35
ıley	3,425	2,390	16,879	3,443	476,696	68,028	845	54
Total	77,294	57,184	294,276	48,366	6,752,018	1,374,555	31,244	2,195
Western Slope.								
ng	754	128	1,261	236	199,367	39,126	72	7
... ...	2,764	684	6,479	974	767,399	172,833	230	48
... ...	4,476	1,802	7,947	1,632	847,736	160,134	952	183
e	5,330	1,593	6,970	1,237	577,606	116,020	715	127
r	2,422	837	3,691	828	625,615	125,236	485	87
lson	1,852	332	1,360	426	253,079	53,579	245	885
.. ..	984	236	1,247	237	262,821	68,335	161	11
lgery	3,022	614	4,088	809	651,438	159,025	527	728
... ...	1,242	355	3,390	713	481,218	121,410	184	7
ell	3,523	1,451	9,980	1,869	593,636	112,128	615	11
... ...	4,833	1,480	5,467	1,318	1,260,609	352,361	816	100
end	4,217	1,367	8,181	1,302	1,097,104	833,629	805	185
ol	1,803	333	5,264	606	591,840	165,164	196	131
... ...	2,410	714	2,624	523	284,336	57,905	115	[illegible]
on	5,652	1,418	5,229	1,065	581,930	149,254	965	
... ...	5,624	2,964	9,115	2,035	824,805	196,194	1,243	
Total	50,908	16,308	82,293	15,810	9,900,539	2,882,333	8,326	2,6
otal, Southern Division ...	156,006	186,458	503,059	84,953	16,723,267	4,266,364	72,917	5,057

No. 31.—Number of each kind of Live Stock, 31st December, 1896—co

Counties	Horses (including Foals).	Cattle. Dairy.	Cattle. Ordinary (including Calves).	Calves branded during the year.	Sheep (including Lambs).	Lambs marked during the year.	Swine.
D.—Western Division.							
11.—Western Plain.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Finch	3,730	498	3,794	744	933,867	269,749	147
Narran	3,025	450	5,875	889	639,417	144,914	269
Culgoa	1,653	80	1,608	134	328,884	62,073	90
Gunderbooka ...	1,251	337	2,576	346	292,519	78,823	197
Irrara	1,176	164	5,940	431	374,389	68,028	59
Barrona	81	33	257	36	38,617	3,909	18
Cowper	2,183	360	2,936	273	539,085	146,898	260
Clyde...	2,038	571	4,523	556	416,061	112,876	52
Robinson	1,677	365	2,505	350	304,714	69,747	590
Yanda	693	189	1,426	327	259,571	82,908	76
Landsborough ...	815	76	1,788	109	484,884	126,536	4
Booroondarra ...	256	103	619	120	114,362	20,808	1
Rankin	508	69	1,315	179	178,542	40,712	6
Killara	698	10	576	86	189,413	50,280	3
Woore	323	92	444	37	150,335	31,864	7
Werunda	159	49	602	105	100,215	26,070	1
Mouramba	439	104	625	100	115,555	18,914	21
Blaxland	1,231	223	2,141	265	365,766	77,063	191
Mossgiel	587	195	655	142	204,930	50,847	50
Franklin	813	248	964	226	277,813	54,384	125
Waljeers	1,467	226	1,496	434	345,177	70,235	129
Cairn	1,097	311	1,432	296	279,750	56,368	129
Taila	305	64	294	75	17,043	3,362	27
Kilfera	331	23	248	59	113,440	28,763	13
Manara	615	126	671	79	353,657	65,625	26
Young	1,098	260	1,775	190	184,462	20,200	247
Yungnulgra	1,172	139	1,764	276	347,134	60,154	115
Fitzgerald	64	.....	102	20	23,400	6,900	.....
Ularara	720	67	1,433	83	238,238	80,330	61
Yantara	612	47	1,229	188	285,714	67,066	14
Delalah	71	6	368	56	44,000	11,143	.....
Thoulcanna	576	62	977	171	230,960	54,018	8
Wentworth	702	94	738	126	148,183	30,536	340
Tara	369	71	866	156	108,449	11,264	43
Windeyer	666	87	1,462	215	265,065	44,184	96
Perry...	700	53	1,272	193	214,188	43,534	119
Menindee	428	28	335	82	118,736	20,420	59
Livingstone	414	78	1,292	269	252,726	73,137	86
Yancowinna	2,175	468	2,157	137	162,317	27,536	1,967
Tandora	504	62	1,601	71	84,400	12,095	780
Farnell	482	6	922	36	115,250	7,000	48
Mootwingee	817	51	2,093	76	215,718	4,500	45
Evelyn	874	73	2,600	470	152,021	8,334	48
Poole...	99	11	2,125	700	7,938	.....	20
Tongowoko	981	122	1,543	248	132,446	10,694	128
Total, Western Division ...	40,675	6,751	71,964	10,161	10,749,351	2,354,801	6,715
Not included in returns of Counties...	.....	.....	.....	.....	307,051	.....	.....
Total, New South Wales	510,636	400,183	1,825,980	290,738	48,318,790	10,609,209	214,581
		2,226,163					

32.—Number of Live Stock in each Sheep District (according to the Returns of the Stock Department), 31st December, 1896.

Sheep Districts.	Area.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.
	acres.	No.	No.	No.
ry	883,100	7,089	17,377	722,239
idale	3,295,908	13,049	101,788	1,361,337
anald	3,852,652	2,051	3,041	512,651
urst	1,152,485	14,594	41,208	579,833
ima	282,278	4,011	28,174	46,729
bala	610,247	2,824	16,475	349,133
ke	8,445,026	7,728	15,139	1,965,735
dwood...	415,115	4,804	36,753	63,094
arrina	3,490,660	4,983	9,265	1,003,892
ilee	306,271	3,139	29,584	928
onbar...	3,529,632	5,878	19,119	1,335,594
ar	1,056,173	7,795	21,521	781,930
o	1,537,545	9,555	142,520	721
r	6,691,328	3,043	7,646	1,007,253
obolin	4,765,511	4,777	8,947	1,278,802
a	1,700,325	8,597	47,495	885,552
abarabran	3,490,577	6,139	16,084	1,012,088
amble...	2,800,676	7,574	21,252	1,769,095
wa	793,783	4,653	7,613	651,843
liquin	2,214,570	6,261	11,742	1,138,859
nan	313,282	4,356	31,548	32,642
o	3,138,635	13,516	27,012	1,862,524
... ...	476,834	4,111	48,839	2,068
es	2,732,596	11,022	27,460	1,604,086
Innes	2,183,686	13,286	87,195	742,972
burn	977,254	9,378	43,531	286,665
on	853,782	15,556	72,171	1,756
lagai	1,102,823	9,245	43,926	927,769
... ...	4,378,739	6,462	7,854	1,491,389
ton	3,687,217	2,874	3,820	734,516
e	1,197,394	5,882	29,539	662,914
hoe	5,405,346	1,832	2,211	791,231

No. 32.—Number of Live Stock in each Sheep District, 31st December, 1896—*con.*

Sheep Districts.	Acreage.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.
	acres.	No.	No.	No.
Jerilderie	1,248,287	4,750	5,150	806,100
Kiama	270,416	5,960	58,043	1,962
Maitland	679,553	16,994	77,764	3,870
Menindee	9,390,714	3,760	7,921	837,882
Merriwa	684,294	5,097	14,141	448,235
Milparinka	6,369,750	2,747	6,786	538,276
Molong	1,692,140	10,453	17,496	1,067,675
Moree	2,670,792	8,839	53,013	1,246,441
Moulamein	1,588,521	1,483	5,360	555,236
Mudgee	1,538,526	11,081	46,488	693,859
Murrurundi	832,365	8,032	36,514	503,044
Narrandera	2,816,307	5,438	14,678	1,284,235
Narrabri	1,276,441	5,487	17,960	667,657
Picton	232,494	3,799	24,775	2,643
Pilliga	1,512,312	3,133	15,040	569,128
Port Macquarie	507,757	9,227	46,291	868
Port Stephens	599,163	7,402	48,317	1,166
Queanbeyan	919,568	4,427	24,393	485,554
Singleton	408,615	5,939	47,806	27,346
Sydney	212,530	21,000	19,950	6,500
Tamworth	4,032,620	25,864	95,393	2,602,060
Tenterfield...	1,539,090	8,903	81,896	158,996
Tweed—Lismore	293,142	7,987	41,535	329
Urana	961,834	2,935	3,823	780,904
Wagga Wagga	2,701,063	13,322	34,889	1,601,998
Walgett	4,143,752	8,418	13,244	1,978,088
Wanaaring	5,748,275	1,982	4,008	753,393
Warialda	3,250,105	12,848	69,360	1,267,408
Wentworth	6,023,878	1,795	3,198	485,604
Wilcannia	10,026,057	4,642	8,195	1,063,077
Windsor	195,737	7,576	16,693	866
Yass	754,099	4,609	17,501	507,518
Young	2,155,995	12,035	38,237	1,763,0
Not included in the returns of the Stock Dept.	.....	26,608	182,456	.....
Total, Sheep Districts	155,037,642	510,636	2,226,163	48,318,

No. 33.—Number of Live Stock at end of each year, 1863 to 1896.

Year.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.
... ...	262,554	2,032,522	7,790,969	135,899
... ...	284,567	1,924,119	8,271,520	164,154
... ...	282,587	1,961,905	8,132,511	146,901
... ...	278,437	1,771,809	11,562,155	137,915
... ...	280,201	1,728,427	13,909,574	173,168
... ...	280,818	1,761,411	15,080,625	176,901
... ...	280,304	1,795,904	14,989,923	175,924
... ...	337,597	2,195,096	16,308,585	243,066
... ...	304,100	2,014,888	16,278,697	213,193
... ...	328,408	2,287,660	17,566,048	218,904
... ...	334,462	2,794,327	18,990,595	240,680
... ...	346,691	2,856,699	22,797,416	219,958
... ...	357,696	3,134,086	25,353 924	199,950
... ...	366,703	3,131,013	25,269,755	173,604
... ...	328,150	2,746,385	21,521,662	191,677
... ...	336,468	2,771,583	25,479,484	220,320
... ...	360,038	2,914,210	30,062,910	256,026
... ...	395,984	2,580,040	35,398,121	308,205
... ...	398,577	2,597,348	36,591,946	213,916
... ...	328,026	1,859,985	36,114,814	154,815
... ...	326,964	1,640,753	37,915,510	189,050
... ...	337,172	1,425,130	31,660,321	211,656
... ...	344,697	1,317,315	37,820,906	208,697
... ...	361,663	1,367,844	39,169,304	209,576
... ...	390,609	1,575,487	46,965,152	264,111
... ...	411,368	1,622,907	46,503,469	248,583
... ...	430,777	1,741,592	50,106,768	238,585
... ...	444,163	2,091,229	55,986,431	283,061
... ...	469,647	2,128,838	61,831,416	253,189
... ...	484,309	2,221,459	58,080,114	249,522
... ...	493,231	2,269,852	56,980,688	240,860
... ...	518,181	2,465,411	56,977,270	273,359
... ...	487,943	2,150,057	47,617,687	223,597
... ...	510,636	2,226,163	48,318,790	214,581

No. 34.—Number of Dairy Cows in each Division, 1890–96.

Year.	Northern Division.	Central Division.	Southern Division.	Western Division.	Total
... ...	66,891	89,047	206,915	6,170	369,023
... ...	68,019	99,840	168,614	7,004	343,477
... ...	83,471	94,210	181,464	5,965	365,110
... ...	88,301	105,829	191,883	6,566	392,579
... ...	99,314	114,019	217,343	7,535	438,211
... ...	79,482	88,283	184,035	6,611	358,411
... ...	104,887	102,087	186,458	6,751	400,183

No. 35.—Number of Live Stock Slaughtered, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Sheep.	Lambs.	Cattle.			Swine.
					Bullocks.	Cows.	Calves.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
3.—Central Division.								
Hunter and Hawkesbury Valleys.								
rham	35	217	251,487	9,250	8,416	2,285	138	263
nter	5	5	820	...	109	84	...	6
thumberland	111	368	107,152	5,115	16,641	8,404	1,933	6,817
k	33	79	20,831	2,141	2,981	847	179	541
Total	184	669	380,290	16,506	28,147	11,620	2,250	7,627
5.—County of Cumberland and Metropolis.								
(*Police Districts.*)								
tropolitan	75	390	1,279,922	16,124	69,663	12,669	10,281	89,597
le	2	11	5,720	748	733	...	94	100
ramatta	21	639	874,979	5,956	12,109	1,352	1,376	2,124
erpool	8	111	48,168	1,070	605	850	166	325
nden (*part of*)	6	10	1,025	36	90	277	12	31
apbelltown	10	27	5,855	486	487	487	83	182
llongong (*part of*) ...	4	12	2,236	120	331	122	43	123
ndsor (*part of*)	16	193	649,430	12,881	18,134	2,363	36	150
rith (*part of*)	19	49	13,278	1,426	864	1,604	343	459
Total	161	1,442	2,880,613	38,847	103,016	19,724	12,434	93,091
6.—Table-land.								
bane	26	55	21,624	245	1,305	1,427	56	357
llip	16	26	7,299	123	1,030	801	20	204
gh	8	9	14,169	...	316	210	...	23
coln	22	60	52,154	734	1,297	1,663	268	522
don	11	77	54,671	496	589	713	79	288
llington	42	87	30,886	877	2,612	1,648	124	650
burgh	30	51	11,807	212	1,664	976	88	160
burnham	27	61	54,021	1,184	1,408	1,216	219	670
hurst	63	144	64,750	3,094	6,392	2,706	482	1,927
stmoreland	11	16	3,984	42	280	279	5	37
Total	256	586	315,365	7,007	16,893	11,639	1,341	4,838
7.—Western Slope.								
gory...	4	7	27,031	120	103	72	...	47
nmar	2	2	13,000	...	16	7	...	.....
belego	6	9	6,775	...	162	48	2	65
ey	12	41	22,616	387	727	461	2	146
romine	13	25	16,889	340	584	444	18	338
nders	7	7	5,174	...	29	6	...	.....
nedy	3	3	11,370	83	99	91	...	50
mingham	8	15	18,214	504	124	151	22	75
Total	55	109	121,069	1,434	1,844	1,280	44	721
Total, Central Division ...	656	2,806	3,697,337	63,794	149,900	44,263	16,069	106,277

No. 35.—Number of Live Stock Slaughtered, &c.—continued.

Counties.	Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Sheep.	Lambs.	Cattle. Bullocks.	Cows.	Calves.	Fo
C.—Southern Division.								
8.—Coast.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	N
Camden	94	237	41,523	2,623	5,345	5,116	738	14
St. Vincent	35	63	5,119	321	1,473	958	108	6
Dampier	22	33	558	..	411	618	8	
Auckland	27	50	3,713	271	914	621	10	
Total	178	383	50,913	3,215	8,143	7,313	864	21
9.—Table-land.								
Forbes	10	14	15,692	113	311	296	30	
Monteagle	15	70	57,897	692	1,145	751	76	
Harden	29	59	42,186	674	931	1,029	69	
King	35	52	20,420	285	1,055	539	14	
Georgiana	15	21	9,968	35	519	398	2	
Argyle	42	101	16,251	2,848	2,325	985	44	
Murray	29	48	22,533	287	861	404	17	
Cowey	4	4	2,481	...	4	6	...	
Boorowa	12	13	4,576	50	126	259	4	
Clarendon	16	41	27,899	814	1,005	968	26	
Wynyard	31	63	32,542	1,029	1,697	1,963	55	
Goulburn	17	41	136,116	1,605	1,173	1,134	182	
Selwyn	14	21	3,288	91	279	471	75	
Wallace	18	23	9,402	...	252	223	1	
Beresford	11	31	12,267	161	536	251	10	
Wellesley	10	14	14,786	140	233	311	8	
Total	308	616	428,304	8,824	12,452	9,988	613	
10.—Western Slope.								
Dowling	2	2	5,198	...	30	67	...	
Gipps	11	28	31,745	879	1,209	263	14	
Bland	13	22	33,778	168	595	311	21	
Bourke	7	9	26,191	165	207	201	22	
Cooper	4	10	26,377	240	347	353	23	
Nicholson	6	10	11,188	12	254	133	1	
Sturt	4	75	78,396	18,401	28	69	1	
Waradgery	6	62	55,111	1,701	674	676	42	
Boyd	2	2	12,332	...	10	...	...	
Mitchell	4	9	15,859	130	176	252	22	
Urana	4	13	35,376	250	300	324	32	
Townsend	9	111	372,527	906	577	540	131	
Wakool	7	15	48,680	80	39	58	3	
Cadell	11	45	51,292	240	208	146	4	
Denison	12	17	41,080	225	468	374	21	
Hume	24	56	71,886	886	695	577	93	
Total	126	486	917,916	24,283	5,817	4,344	430	2
Total, Southern Division ...	612	1,485	1,397,133	36,322	26,912	21,645	1,907	29

No. 35.—Number of Live Stock Slaughtered, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Establishments	Hands Employed.	Sheep.	Lambs.	Cattle.			Swine.
					Bullocks.	Cows.	Calves.	
WESTERN DIVISION. .—Western Plains.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
... ...	5	10	20,446	...	151	82	...	23
in	4	7	16,524	6	176	164	2	23
a	4	4	7,271	20	85	73	...	20
erbooka	3	3	6,045	38	103	87	...	45
... ...	2	2	4,658	...	52	43	...	11
na	...	...	519	...	.....	...	...	.....
er	14	121	67,912	957	5,051	650	117	571
... ...	5	12	10,524	108	336	217	4	150
ison	7	28	12,520	453	711	718	38	378
a	1	2	4,513	6	9	8	...	4
sborough	...	...	6,835	...	.....	...	...	.....
ondarra	...	...	2,181	...	.....	...	...	.....
in	...	...	3,553	...	.....	...	...	.....
ra	...	...	4,868	...	.....	...	...	.....
e	...	...	3,030	...	.....	...	...	.....
inda	...	...	1,650	...	.....	...	...	.....
amba	3	4	5,337	...	103	104	...	60
and	12	17	9,984	3	156	151	...	69
giel	6	6	4,635	20	28	42	...	16
tlin	1	1	7,102	...	8	3	...	.....
ers	2	2	9,168	27	29	19	...	10
... ...	2	4	10,450	67	104	66	...	48
... ...	1	2	2,443	...	11	10	...	.....
ra	...	...	2,606	...	.....	...	...	.....
ra	...	...	3,431	...	.....	...	...	.....
g	4	8	9,675	246	465	265	9	326
mulgra	2	9	7,805	...	135	241	8	150
erald	...	...	400	...	.....	...	...	.....
ra	2	4	4,270	30	64	66	14	38
ara	...	...	5,324	...	.....	...	...	.....
ah	...	...	500	...	.....	...	...	.....
lcanna	...	...	2,433	...	.....	...	...	.....
worth	3	8	20,750	668	348	73	5	238
... ...	1	19	22,689	...	.....	...	...	.....
leyer	...	...	8,194	...	.....	...	...	.....
... ...	2	2	4,778	...	1	1	3	3
ndee	3	4	4,067	36	58	60	...	19
gstone	...	...	4,774	...	.....	...	...	.....
owinna	21	99	102,480	5,419	2,826	1,671	435	2,117
ora	1	127	40,949	...	17	14	...	170
ell	2	3	4,257	221	104	119	8	46
wingee	...	...	6,047	...	.....	...	...	.....
rn	5	5	4,721	...	81	40	...	10
... ...	...	...	300	...	.....	...	...	.....
owoko	2	3	4,210	50	76	52	8	20
otal, Western Division...	120	516	486,828	8,375	11,288	5,039	651	4,565
Total, N.S. Wales ...	1,904	5,959	6,077,420	119,329	232,875	98,910	19,461	149,971

No. 36.—Number of Live Stock Slaughtered, 1888–96.

ar.	Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Sheep.	Lambs.	Cattle.			Swine.
					Bullocks.	Cows.	Calves.	
88	1,410	3,443	1,671,039	76,916	164,977	60,570	18,339	198,627
89	1,409	3,713	1,802,782	68,977	169,545	69,650	33,969	167,004
90	1,485	3,642	2,014,055	71,887	190,699	62,870	22,498	173,354
91	1,617	4,154	2,404,953	127,709	210,731	66,391	25,813	178,355
92	1,870	4,860	3,371,454	84,728	188,518	123,058	27,022	184,065
93	2,105	5,786	7,883,650	150,458	230,388	78,661	23,907	188,985
94	2,146	5,718	8,098,408	154,470	238,349	83,974	23,979	190,277
95	1,864	6,297	8,256,079	106,924	276,998	87,481	23,618	17[illegible]
96	1,904	5,959	6,077,420	119,329	232,875	98,910	19,461	

No. 37.—Increase and Decrease of Sheep, Year ended 31st December, 189

		No.
Sheep on 31st December, 1895		47,617,687
Lambs marked during 1896		10,609,209
Sheep imported during 1896		1,010,176
		59,237,072
Slaughtered for Food for local consumption (excluding sheep killed on Stations and farms)	No. 1,827,999	
Slaughtered for Food on Stations, &c.	1,159,945	
Ditto for Meat Preserving	940,676	
Ditto for Freezing for Export	1,372,373	
Ditto for Boiling-down in Boiling-down Works	523,279	
Ditto ditto on Stations	133,819	
Lambs Slaughtered for Food for local consumption	119,329	
Total Slaughtered	6,077,420	
Exported during 1896	741,578	
Killed by Dogs...	257,590	
Loss by Drought, Ordinary Mortality, and Missing Sheep	3,838,694	
Total Deduction		10,918,281
Sheep on 31st December, 1896		48,318,790
Increase on previous year		701,10[illegible]

No. 38.—Quantity and Value of Wool (stated as in the grease) Produc and Exported or used for Home Consumption, for each Year fr 1875 to 1896.

Year.	Quantity.	Value.
	lb.	£
1875	88,066,330	5,686,013
1876	122,097,527	5,609,274
1877	123,094,996	5,285,884
1878	138,997,951	5,756,385
1879	147,596,286	6,519,988
1880	177,915,978	8,062,529
1881	157,881,688	7,187,709
1882	169,171,550	7,467,424
1883	218,008,492	9,638,685
1884	204,487,673	8,988,146
1885	194,826,051	7,278,863
1886	204,145,321	7,057,291
1887	252,548,467	8,943,310
1888	264,755,215	9,110,815
1889	294,632,904	10,639,975
1890	267,319,780	9,018,412
1891	365,747,627	11,055,260
1892	339,601,243	10,225,643
1893	350,723,068	9,704,465
1894	361,639,245	9,038,578
1895	323,658,058	8,996,589
1896	303,061,122	8,817,877

Production of Wool.—The production of Wool during the Calendar Year includes portions of the clips of two commercial wool years commences on the 1st July. The bulk of the sheep are shorn between May and November

39.—Exports of Wool from Sydney and Newcastle to British and Foreign Ports, 1887–88 to 1896–97.

Season.	From Sydney.	From Newcastle.	Total Shipment.
	bales.	bales.	bales.
-88	346,199	50,220	396,419
-89	399,881	52,161	452,042
-90	421,455	50,029	471,484
-91	509,342	54,943	564,285
-92	568,706	58,206	626,912
-93	585,086	52,779	637,865
-94	661,314	58,136	719,450
-95	697,333	58,436	755,769
-96	639,921	43,080	683,001
-97	640,268	49,766	690,034

Commercial Wool Year.—The Commercial Wool Year commences on the 1st July.

No. 40.—Total Output of Wool from New South Wales, 1896-97.

From.	To British and Foreign ports.	To Victoria.	To South Australia.	To Queensland.	Total.
	bales.	bales.	bales.	bales.	bales.
ey	640,268	31,890	2	.....	672,160
castle	49,766	5,303	.....	.....	55,069
am....	.....	1,754	.....	.....	1,754
ry	.....	29,654	.....	.....	29,654
wa	.....	15,110	.....	.....	15,110
on	.....	2,977	.....	.....	2,977
long	.....	312	.....	.....	312
ma	.....	28,440	.....	.....	28,440
wala	.....	5,374	.....	.....	5,374
Hill	.....	31,550	.....	.....	31,550
mwal	.....	8,180	.....	.....	8,180
tworth	.....	14,189	25,518	.....	39,707
yama	.....	.....	11,468	.....	11,468
abilla	.....	.....	.....	1,234	1,234
	690,034	174,733	36,988	1,234	902,989
Less importations					86,257
Total production of New South Wales, Wool Year 1896-97... ...					816,732

. 41.—Prices obtained per lb. at Sydney Wool Sales, Wool Years 1895–96 and 1896–97.

scription.	Superior.		Good.		Medium.		Inferior.	
	1895–96.	1896–97.	1895–96.	1896–97.	1895–96.	1896–97.	1895–96.	1896–97.
sy—	d. d.	d. d.	d. d.	d. d.	d. d.	d. d.	d. d.	d. d.
'leece	8½ to 11½	8¼ to 11¾	8¼ to 10	7¼ to 8½	7¼ to 8	6¼ to 7	5¾ to 7	4¾ to 6
'leces	7½ „ 8½	7 „ 8¼	6¼ „ 7¼	6 „ 6¾	4¾ „ 6	5 „ 5¾	4 „ 4½	3½ „ 4¾
lellies	5¾ „ 6¾	5½ „ 6½	4¾ „ 5½	4½ „ 5½	3¾ „ 4½	3¾ „ 4¼	3 „ 3½	2¾ „ 3½
ambs	9 „ 9½	8 „ 11¼	6¾ „ 8¾	7¼ „ 7¾	5½ „ 6¼	5½ „ 7	4¼ „ 5¼	3¾ „ 5¼
rossbred	8¾ „ 10½	8¼ „ 10½	7¾ „ 8½	7¼ „ 8	6¼ „ 7½	6¼ „ 7	5½ „ 6	5 „ 6
red—								
'leece	16¾ „ 18¼	14¾ „ 16½	14¾ „ 16½	13¼ „ 14½	12¾ „ 14½	12 „ 13	10¾ „ 12¼	10¾ „ 11¾
'leces	15 „ 15¾	11¾ „ 13½	12½ „ 14¾	10¾ „ 11½	10 „ 12	9 „ 10½	7¾ „ 9¾	8 „ 8¾
lellies	13¼ „ 14	10¾ „ 13¼	11 „ 13	9¾ „ 10½	9¾ „ 10¾	8¾ „ 9½	7 „ 9¼	7 „ 8½
ocks	9 „ 10¼	8¼ „ 11¼	7¾ „ 8¾	7¼ „ 8	6½ „ 7½	6½ „ 7	5¼ „ 6¼	5¼ „ 6¼
hed—								
leece*	10 „ 11	.....	10 „ 11½	9 „ 9¾	9 „ 9¾	.....	7¾ „ 8¾	.

* Washed fleece has almost disappeared from the market.

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[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
		[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

45.—Quantity of Butter, Cheese, and Bacon made in Factories and on Farms, in the Counties of each Division during the Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Counties.	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Hams.
A.—Northern Division.			
1.—Coast.	lb.	lb.	lb.
s	2,699,138	28,818	95,891
mond	29,594	2,400	6,114
ence	482,508	400	51,349
roy	21,350	5,286	5,080
sigh	102,380	1,560	51,200
lley	142,941	1,510	31,510
squarie	215,313	5,310	101,760
ucester	281,320	5,835	64,708
Total	3,974,544	51,119	407,612
2.—Table-land.			
ry	28,344	50	27,238
kland	106,525	.....	18,888
non	22,366	1,075	14,658
is	79,969	6,950	14,676
ling	23,739	662	20,078
don	133,382	4,354	52,683
ke	23,994	121	11,050
dinge	38,716	5,410	26,108
e	49,554	40	27,470
res	2,128	40	2,100
sham	945	.....	2,200
gh	206,207	46,245	93,537
swatta	17,987	2,840	21,472
ke	1,402	.....	336
ler	6,960	22,240	4,680
Total	742,218	90,027	337,174
3.—Western Slope.			
ylton	.....	.....	.....
nett	15,304	.....	5,312
rallie	1,980	.....	.....
arba	250	.....	240
rchison	29,542	1,350	19,072
dewar	6,090	72	3,336
dison	420	.....	400
ham	800	.....	400
hhardt	13,200	.....	540
adine	5,196	.....	5,710
ite	92	.....	650
dinger	7,467	.....	6,190
ier	4,591	.....	950
ren	17,378	.....	12,972
Total	102,310	1,422	55,772
Total, Northern Division	4,819,072	142,568	800,558

No. 15.—Butter, Cheese, and Bacon—continued.

[illegible]	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Ham.
	lb.	lb.	lb.
3.—Central Division.			
[illegible]			
[illegible]	100,146	13,526	213,314
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	12,500
[illegible]	1,771,447	6,700	21,245
[illegible]	75,153	250	20,561
Total	2,758,461	21,350	300,621
[illegible]			
[illegible]			
[illegible]	5,597,437	.....	1,273,300
[illegible]	5,404	.....	1,110
[illegible]	12,500	.....	7,850
[illegible]	22,280	450	4,424
[illegible]	38,442	.....	7,080
[illegible]	26,175	.....	2,354
[illegible]	7,722	.....	302
[illegible]	112,774	14,300	3,300
[illegible]	113,200	1,250	23,397
Total	5,798,334	16,600	1,329,743
[illegible]			
[illegible]	[illegible]	5,600	31,151
[illegible]	221,771	134,130	21,750
[illegible]	[illegible]	.....	11,350
[illegible]	14,372	.....	21,417
[illegible]	31,574	.....	27,212
[illegible]	454,611	20,270	47,257
[illegible]	111,777	11,150	37,234
[illegible]	111,500	2,773	62,213
[illegible]	453,171	100	155,544
[illegible]	47,911	4,850	37,399
Total	1,664,411	178,700	467,443
[illegible]			
[illegible]	2,812	500	200
[illegible]	12,612	2,200	7,180
[illegible]	1,724	.....	224
[illegible]	2,030	.....	1,702
[illegible]	9,363	.....	3,698
[illegible]	.....	.....	.....
Kennedy	2,060	.....	4,290
Cunningham	5,151	.....	8,040
Total	36,352	2,700	25,424
Total, Central Division	10,305,346	227,365	2,122,648

No. 45.—Butter, Cheese, and Bacon—*continued.*

Counties.	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Hams.
C.—Southern Division.			
8.—Coast.	lb.	lb.	lb.
den...	4,956,855	76,016	1,079,366
Vincent	967,400	88,796	504,712
ıpier	369,779	1,528,458	78,674
kland	1,915,142	1,847,524	87,516
Total...	8,209,176	3,540,794	1,750,268
9.—Table-iand.			
›ee	40,763	1,250	18,574
ıteagle	88,580	30	47,095
den	245,007	500	36,339
g	108,027	2,162	42,887
rgiana	320,287	4,900	32,742
yle	603,093	23,708	45,323
ray	126,307	704	47,709
ley	14,020	150	5,600
cleuch	10,109	7,840	2,600
endon	88,993	.....	24,896
nyard	164,076	14,932	26,535
lburn	90,586	37,210	25,750
ryn	22,144	2,240	18,318
llace...	132,861	977	30,170
eford	39,388	4,500	3,800
lesley	95,613	500	6,628
Total...	2,189,854	101,603	414,966
10.—Western Slope.			
rling	3,270	.....	1,680
ps	4,170	400	2,700
ıd	28,496	102	17,516
rke	22,634	.....	18,096
per	13,304	2,232	11,135
ıolson	5,852	.....	40,024
t	1,680	.....	1,480
adgery	9,833	.....	4,650
d	10,009	1,000	5,810
chell	25,292	.....	2,700
na	30,179	250	4,750
nsend	20,061	2,536	11,204
tool...	15,179	.....	11,430
ell	18,260	670	12,856
ison...	27,151	100	32,610
ne	69,781	.....	32,040
Total...	305,651	7,290	210,681
Total, Southern Division	10,704,681	3,649,687	2,375,915
D.—Western Division... ...	45,178	224	4,642
Total, New South Wales	25,874,277	4,019,844	5,303,763

No. 46.—Quantity of Butter, Cheese, and Bacon made in Factories and on Farms during the Year ended 31st March, 1897.

Divisions.	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Hams.
	lb.	lb.	lb.
A.—Northern Division—			
Factories	3,417,496	45,525	110,489
Farms	1,401,576	97,043	690,069
Total, Northern Division ...	4,819,072	142,568	800,558
B.—Central Division—			
Factories	8,332,898	129,798	1,334,240
Farms	1,972,448	97,567	788,408
Total, Central Division	10,305,346	227,365	2,122,648
C.—Southern Division—			
Factories	7,041,899	1,711,783	1,458,258
Farms	3,662,782	1,937,904	917,657
Total, Southern Division ...	10,704,681	3,649,687	2,375,915
D.—Western Division—			
Factories	36,000	.....	.....
Farms	9,178	224	4,642
Total, Western Division... ...	45,178	224	4,642
Total, Factories	18,828,293	1,887,106	2,902,987
Total, Farms	7,045,984	2,132,738	2,400,776
Total, New South Wales	25,874,277	4,019,844	5,303,763

NOTE.—Factories include farms using steam dairy appliances.

No. 47.—Quantity of Butter, Cheese, and Bacon made in Factories and on Farms for each year during the period 1889-97.

Year ended 31st March.	Butter.			Cheese.			Bacon and Hams.		
	Factory.	Farm.	Total.	Factory.	Farm.	Total.	Factory.	Farm.	Total.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1889	.....	.....	15,550,440	.....	.....	5,687,702	.....	.....	7,057,90
1890	.....	.....	17,600,264	.....	.....	4,834,286	.....	.....	6,331,70
1891	8,049,656	10,484,474	18,534,130	3,592,717	1,203,850	4,796,567	2,541,948	4,888,023	7,429,97
1892	7,661,197	10,701,700	18,362,897	3,722,264	1,783,807	5,506,071	2,120,269	3,889,331	6,009,60
1893	10,141,066	11,257,234	21,398,300	1,803,674	3,214,622	5,018,296	1,803,824	3,303,253	5,107,07
1894	15,635,360	10,755,484	26,390,844	1,614,383	3,078,721	4,693,104	3,704,996	4,055,392	7,760,38
1895	17,567,646	9,792,049	27,359,695	1,656,703	3,163,709	4,820,412	2,417,373	4,375,530	6,792,88
1896	16,770,189	6,525,323	23,295,512	1,670,255	1,268,530	2,938,785	2,522,695	2,728,022	5,250,71
1897	18,828,293	7,045,984	25,874,277	1,887,106	2,132,738	4,019,844	2,902,987	2,400,776	5,303,76

. 48.—Number of Butter, Cheese, and Bacon Factories, Steam Machinery in use, and Persons Employed, Year ending 31st March, 1897.

Divisions.	Factories.								Estimated Value of Plant and Machinery.	Steam Machinery in use.						Persons Employed.	
	Butter only.	Creameries only.	Cheese only.	Bacon and Ham only.	Butter and Cheese.	Butter and Bacon.	Butter, Cheese, and Bacon.	Total.		Engines.	Horse-power.	Butter Workers.	Churns.	Cream Separators.	Presses.	Males.	Females.
	No.	No.	No	No.	No	No.	No.	No.	£	No.		No.	No.	No.	No	No.	No.
›rthern ...	28	51	...	...	2	3	1	85	36,302	84	511	36	49	121	5	212	29
›ntral	37	40	1	5	3	1	2	89	64,856	92	674	50	71	102	17	358	17
uthern ...	125	110	15	7	10	13	1	281	110,108	278	1,728	154	217	363	130	672	104
estern	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	950	2	16	1	2	1	...	4	1
tal, New South Wales ...	191	202	16	12	15	17	4	457*	212,216	456	2,929	241	339	587	152	1246	151

*The number of Butter, Cheese, and Bacon Factories, and Creameries, shown in Part "Manufactories and Works," is 317; the total shown above includes those not coming under the factory definition used in the Part referred to.

. 49.—Number of Butter, Cheese, and Bacon Factories, Steam Machinery in use, and Persons employed, 1892–97.

ar ded st rch.	Factories.								Estimated Value of Plant and Machinery.	Steam Machinery in use.						Persons employed.	
	Butter only.	Creameries only.	Cheese only.	Bacon and Ham only.	Butter and Cheese.	Butter and Bacon.	Butter, Cheese, and Bacon.	Total.		Engines.	Horse-power.	Butter Workers.*	Churns.*	Cream Separators.*	Presses.	Males.	Females.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	No.		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
›92	124	...	88	11	27	8	12	270	62,104	297	1,086	136	211	264	...	670	217
›93	183	9	6	5	12	30	9	254	130,923	309	1,646	199	294	358	136	574	111
›94	246	21	5	13	9	43	7	344	181,653	368	1,992	228	331	416	156	915	140
›95	256	55	5	11	12	48	8	395	196,036	380	2,052	225	319	424	184	919	132
›96	214	99	19	10	8	31	7	388	211,462	394	2,070	187	264	364	128	949	83
›97	191	202	16	12	15	17	4	457	212,216	456	2,929	241	339	587	152	1,246	151

* The figures in these columns refer only to Farm Factories, except for the year 1897.

No. 50.—Export of New South Wales Butter, 1886–96.

Year.	Quantity.	Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Value.
	lb.	£		lb.	£
1886	58,047	2,862	1892	1,713,466	73,205
1887	722,322	20,758	1893	3,161,792	124,936
1888	574,509	18,364	1894	4,590,606	150,263
1889	457,698	17,562	1895	2,028,349	57,575
1890	1,008,582	35,926	1896	2,565,806	102,502
1891	533,869	22,622			

No. 51.—Prices realised in the London Market for New South Wales B 1895–96.

Month.	Price per cwt.				Month.	Price per cwt.		
	1895.		1896.			1895.		189
	Highest.	Lowest.	Highest.	Lowest.		Highest.	Lowest.	Highest.
	s.	s.	s.	s.		s.	s.	s.
January	96	75	...	...	July	64	56	...
February... ...	94	72	...	...	August	58	56	*
March	88	68	*	*	September ...	...	...	*
April	80	60	...	...	October	...	...	106
May	78	60	...	...	November ...	...	...	102
June	77	54	*	*	December ...	...	...	100

* Only a few small consignments; no quotations.

No. 52.—Prices realised in the London Market for Colonial Butter and Cl 1896.

Month.	Butter.								
	Factory.						Dairy.		
	Choice.		Fine.		Medium.		Fine.		Med
	From	To	From	To	From	To	From	To	From
	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.
January	106	112	104	106	96	102	96	102	90
February	98	102	94	102	90	96	88	96	86
March	96	102	92	96	88	92	86	92	82
April	86	96	82	92	82	92	82	92	78
May ...	86	90	82	92	82	86	82	92	78
June ...	82	90	80	82	78	82	78	80	72
July*					-		-	-	
August*					-	-	-	-	
September*			-		-		-	-	
October	112	122	112	122	-	-	-	-	
November	100	108	92	98	-	-	-	-	-
December	100	108	92	102	82	92	82	92	-

Month.	Cheese.						
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	[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]
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on III.—FORESTRY, WATER CONSERVATION, AND FISHERIES.

No. 53.—Forestry Licenses current during 1896.

Description	Amount of Fee. Per Month.	Per Quarter.	Per Year.	Total Fees collected.
	s. d.	s. d.	£	£ s. d.
License	2 6	5 0	1	501 0 0
d Cutter's License...	5 0	15 0	3	1,760 0 0
r License	10 0	.....	6	203 10 0
er Cutter's License—				
lass A	10 0	.....	6	553 10 0
„ B	15 0	.....	9	
„ C (under Royalty)	10 0	.....	6	218 10 0
Permit	At rate per tree, but total amount to be not less than 10s.			304 10 0
le Bark License	15s.			102 0 0
for Saw-mills	£3 for first 5 acres, and 1s. for each additional acre—maximum area, 10 acres			21 0 0
ment Area License	£5 for first 40 acres, and 1s. for each additional acre—maximum area, 160 acres			.....
y License	10s.	£1	£4	123 0 0
ying and Brickmaking Permits ...	Not less than £10 per annum.			.....

No. 54.—Revenue from Forestry Licenses, 1886-96.

(According to Treasury Returns.)

Year.	Revenue Collected. Timber Licenses, &c.	Royalty on Timber.	Total.	Year.	Revenue Collected. Timber Licenses, &c.	Royalty on Timber.	Total.
	£	£	£		£	£	£
.. ..	8,501	4,500	13,001	1892	7,654	7,808	15,462
.. ..	6,719	4,633	11,352	1893	5,392	4,208	9,600
.. ..	7,858	10,639	18,497	1894	3,709	2,848	6,557
.. ..	7,708	9,086	16,794	1895	4,068	2,164	6,232
.. ..	7,441	7,276	14,717	1896	3,787	4,001	7,788
.. ..	8,565	7,530	16,095				

Licenses.—For Return of Licenses issued by other Departments, see Part "Law and Crime."

No. 55.—Number of Noxious Animals Destroyed under the "Pastures and Stock Protection Act," 1861–96.

Year	Kangaroos	Kangaroo Rats	Wallabies	Native Dogs	Emus	Wild Pigs	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	57,544	13,585	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	23,300	[illegible]	* —	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	5,125,602	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

* No Returns prior to 1886.

* Owing to the change in the financial year the subsidy voted for 1896–98 appears now being paid from the vote for 1896–97.

No. 56.—Rabbit Extermination.

Expenditure under "The Rabbit Nuisance Act of 1883," 1883–90.

Year.	Amount of Tax.	Year.	Amount of Tax.
	£		£
1883 (from 1st May)	490	1889	96
1884	84,830	1890 (to 30th June)	4
1885	159,554	Total Amount of Tax	831
1886	115,711	Contributed by land owners and occupiers (approximate)	207
1887	210,594	From Consolidated Revenue	623
1888	157,252	Total Expenditure under the Act of 1883	1,543

Expenditure under "The Rabbit Act of 1890," 1890–96.

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
	£		£
1890 (1st July to 31st December ..	2,303	1895	0
1891	1,701	1896	4,3
1892	17,551		
1893	9,643	Total	37,8
1894	836		

NOTE.—The total length of State constructed barrier fencing is 1,137 miles; and in addition to this it is estimated that about 10,640 miles have been erected by private enterprise.

No. 57.—Water Conservation.

Number of Public Watering Places, Year 1896.

Description.		How dealt with.	
Tanks	147	Leased (at rentals ranging from £1 to £135 per annum)	1
Dams and Reservoirs	30	Unleased (in charge of caretaker) ...	
Wells	32	Under Trustees	
Bores	51	Open Watering Places	
Total...	260	Total	1

No. 58.—Artesian Boring.

Government Flowing Bores.

Bore.	Road where situated.	Depth.	Temperature.	Flow per diem.
		feet.	Deg. Fahr.	gallons.
gulla	Collarendabri to Angledool	2,570	125	850,000
e Ridge	do do	2,566	122	850,000
... ...	Moree	2,792	115	2,907,000
il	Moree to Boggabilla	3,093	112	700,000
lly	do do	4,086	130	1,500,000
bra	Narrabri to Moree	1,901	.....	500,000
mble...	Coonamble	1,302	95	1,878,000
ah	Near Bourbah	1,797	95	1,134,000
a	Walgett to Coonamble	1,543	104	4,000,000
dra	Near Tenandra...	850	.....	1,000,000
s Camp	Bourke to Hungerford	1,577	112	600,000
ree Creek	do do	1,193	111	800,000
bulla, No. 1	do do	209	80	7,500
No. 2	do do	560	.....	31,000
rrina...	do do	165	82	120,000
... ...	do do	385	88	17,000
len's	do do	1,604	.....	200,000
urra...	Bourke to Wanaaring	1,707	96	20,000
elooka	do do	1,231	98	52,000
ry	do do	120	.....	1,800
Point	do do	1,399	.....	20,000
... .	do do	1,179	.....	50,400
... ...	do do	1,154	98	610,000
a Camp	Bourke to Barringun	2,002	91	7,000
gun	do do	1,711	115	170,000
... ...	do do	1,565	117	400,000
Dog...	do do	457	92	500,000
nia	do do	1,666	117	320,000
ow	Culgoa to Ledknapper...	2,292	90	150,000
na	Louth to Wanaaring	1,010	100	200,000
aring...	Wanaaring	1,644	116	400,000
... ...	Wanaaring to Milparinka	1,646	129	350,000
... ...	do do	1,638	139	2,000,000
o	do do	1,858	139	800,000
s	Bourke to Wanaaring	1,059	98	700,000
oga (in progress) ...	Goodooga	2,605	.....	15,000
roi (do) ...	Collarendabri to Bulyeroi	2,050	.....	100,000
dra	Gilgandra	3,035	.....	2,000
la	Warren to Walgett	1,702	.....	1,000,000

Government Pumping Bores.

ore.	Road where situated.	Depth.	Bore.	Road where situated.	Depth.
		feet.			feet.
Creek...	Cobham to Silverton ...	730	Holey Box ..	Mossgiel to Ivanhoe ...	1,230
iddle ...	do do ...	1,942	Mulgany ...	Wanaaring to Milparinka..	1,700
.. ...	Hay	1,962	Nyngan ...	Nyngan	710
reve ...	Balranald to Ivanhoe ...	1,237	Green Camp...	Nyngan to Warren ...	1,327
...	do do ...	208	Tolarno ...	Ivanhoe to Menindie ...	1,602
...	Louth to Wanaaring ...	803	Narrowin ...	Brewarrina to Nyngan ...	1,179
e ...	Wanaaring to Milparinka..	2,002	Nevertire ...	Nevertire	2,525
ulla ...	do do ...	1,973	Ooarnoo ...	Tibooburra to Yalpunga...	1,357

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Livingston [illegible]	1	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	3
do.	2	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
do.	3	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Bangate	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,35
do.	4	1,207	[illegible]	[illegible]	Bourke...	...	1,105	3

Private Bores. These bores are situated on private holdings and have been made at the sole cost of the [illegible]

The information [illegible] going table has been obtained by the Department of Mines from the various owners an[d] contractors, a[nd] [illegible] [ac]tual measurement of the flows; it can therefore be only accepted as approximate.

No. 59.—Fisheries: Licenses issued; also Prosecutions and Convictions for Offences under the Fisheries and Oyster Fisheries Acts, 1883–96.

Year.	Licenses issued.		Convictions for Offences under the Acts.	Year.	Licenses issued.		Convictions for Offences under the Acts.
	Fishermen's.	Fishing Boats.			Fishermen's.	Fishing Boats.	
	No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.
1883	551	247	.....	1890	844	409	57
1884	651	283	.....	1891	818	384	64
1885	674	295	.....	1892	997	482	76
1886	784	284	.....	1893	1,222	574	61
1887	754	333	.....	1894	1,024	456	103
1888	360	819	51	1895	882	415	58
1889	908	388	41	1896	895	214	43

No. 60.—Revenue and Expenditure of the Fisheries Department, 1883–96.

Year.	Revenue.						Total Expenditure.
	Licenses.	Deposits on Leased Areas.	Rental of Leased Areas.	Fines and Forfeitures.	Deeds and other sources.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1883	2,931*	.....	406	79	16	3,432	3,776
1884	2,630*	.....	2,980	256	.....	5,866	4,525
1885	2,484*	.....	2,141	363	.....	4,988	5,566
1886	2,827*	996	2,645	73	538	7,089	5,701
1887	2,046*	347	2,455	247	427	5,522	7,116
1888	685	186	2,461	180	123	3,635	6,488
1889	755	228	2,004	104	156	3,247	5,682
1890	739	127	1,644	105	81	2,696	6,048
1891	704	85	1,581	144	73	2,587	5,024
1892	849	52	1,144	135	36	2,216	4,830
1893	1,064	24	1,607	102	15	2,812	3,698
1894	865	.....	1,488	225	31	2,609	2,693
1895	777	65	1,396	186	34	2,458	2,910
1896	591	677	1,346	85	104	2,803	3,026

* Includes Royalties up to the year 1887.

No. 61.—Disposal of Fish at Woolloomooloo Fish Market, 1883–96.

Year.	Quantity Sold.	Amount Realised.	Fish Condemned.		Year.	Quantity Sold.	Amount Realised.	Fish Condemned.	
			Unfit for Food.	Under Size.				Unfit for Food.	Under Size.
	Baskets.	£	Baskets.	Baskets.		Baskets.	£	Baskets.	Baskets.
1883	29,158	.....	469	32	1890	63,967	38,694	2,704	
1884	32,956	30,116	472	31	1891	60,869	42,277	2,104	
1885	38,162	30,789	473	83	1892	50,473	38,174	870	
1886	45,583	34,332	1,138	37	1893	41,024	29,647	753	
1887	51,275	31,594	1,852	27	1894	42,272	25,368	1,076	
1888	54,997	37,775	1,673	35	1895	39,030	26,950	1,621	
1889	61,581	34,311	2,064	50	1896* †	*	*	771	*

* Information not available.

† The number of baskets sold at the two Private Fish Markets at Redfern during 1896 was about 25,600, and the amount realised approximately £11,160.

No. 62.—Number of Applications for Oyster Leases, and Length of Foreshore applied for; also, Foreshore actually under Lease, and Quantity of Oysters taken, 1883–96.

Year.	Applications for Leases.		Leases Existing on 31 December.		Oysters Taken.	Year.	Applications for Leases.		Leases Existing on 31 December.		Oysters Taken.
	No.	Length of Foreshore Applied for.	No.	Length of Foreshore.			No.	Length of Foreshore Applied for.	No.	Length of Foreshore.	
		Yards.		Yards.	Bags.			Yards.		Yards.	Bags.
1883	198	235,090	*...	*.....	15,459	1890	49	12,700	402	148,500	6,9
1884	721	503,048	122	149,060	8,442	1891	28	6,525	347	104,800	4,7
1885	505	160,058	134	214,000	12,801	1892	20	4,050	325	123,600	7,4
1886	338	99,481	570	264,500	14,774	1893	26	6,400	247	98,500	5,5
1887	146	32,642	538	177,588	9,864	1894	20	4,650	186	86,500	8,0
1888	86	23,550	559	216,576	9,184	1895	13	6,500	220	88,700	9,4
1889	73	22,878	531	150,926	6,914	1896	241	68,806	368	134,500	12,8

* Figures not available.

Section IV.—MINING.

63.—Area that may be Granted as Mineral Leases, and Royalties payable to Crown.

Mineral.	Area. Max.	Area. Min.	Term of Lease.	Royalties Payable to Crown.
	acres.	acres.		
			CROWN LANDS.	
ld	25	...	Maximum—15 years..	1 per cent. on leases under 48 Vic. No. 10; other, Nil.
ver	80	...	" 20 " ...	Nil.
l and Kerosene Shale	640	40	" 20 " ...	Large, 6d. per ton; small, 3d. per ton.
ier	80	20	" 20 " ...	Nil.
			PRIVATE LANDS.	
ld	40	...	20 years	Nil.
Other Minerals ...	80	...	20 "	Nil.

No. 64.—Miners' Rights, Mineral and Business Licenses, 1890–96.

Year.	Miners' Rights. Issued.	Miners' Rights. Fees received.	Mineral Licenses. Issued.	Mineral Licenses. Fees received.	Business Licenses. Issued.	Business Licenses. Fees received.
	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£
o	17,759	7,537	2,412	2,380	5,308	3,145
1	15,960	6,889	2,204	2,148	6,178	3,560
2	13,781	6,073	1,670	1,475	4,358	2,638
3	19,169	6,808	7,137	1,688	3,505	2,116
4	35,075	10,903	1,115	1,125	2,908	1,710
5	31,831	11,956	1,077	967	2,625	1,552
6	27,278	10,147	1,298	799	2,285	1,172

No. 65.—Area under Occupation for Mining Purposes, 1896.

Classification.	Crown Lands Occupation Act, 1861 (25 Vic. No. 2).	Mining Act Further Amending Act, 1884 (48 Vic No 10).	Mining Act, 1874 (37 Vic. No 84).	Church and School Lands Mining Act, 1888 (52 Vic. No. 12).	Mining on Private Lands Act of 1894 (57 Vic. No 32).	Total.
wn Lands—	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Under Gold Lease ...	.....	401	11,885	620	.....	12,906
" Mineral Lease ...	2,324	39,071	20,354	284	.....	62,033
" Application for Gold Lease	.....	.....	5,128	.....	.....	5,128
Under Application for Mineral Lease ...	.....	.....	3,531	.....	.....	3,531
Under Miners' Rights ... " Mineral Licenses...	Information not available.					
Permits under sections 27 and 28	.....	.....	22,996	.....	.....	22,996
vate Lands—						
Under Special Lease ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,025	6,025
" Ordinary Lease ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	135	135
" Application for Lease	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,616	6,616

No. 66.—Diamond Drills.

Working Plant and Operations, 1883–96.

Year.	Drills at work.	Bores and purposes for which put down. Coal.	Shale.	Gold and Diamonds.	Silver.	Tin and Copper.	Railway Extension.	Total.	New Bores.	Bores continued.	Depth bored.	Average depth bored per bore.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	feet.	inches.
1883	9	15	...	...	...	1	...	16	16	...	6,643	12·1
1884	13	16	...	1	...	8	7	32	28	4	9,864	12·4
1885	13	23	...	5	...	1	15	44	39	5	11,325	12·8
1886	10	13	...	1	...	...	...	14	9	5	6,539	9·2
1887	6	8	...	...	3	...	...	11	7	4	3,097	10·2
1888	7	11	...	...	1	...	...	12	9	3	8,292	13·6
1889	7	10	3	...	1	...	...	14	8	6	7,853	12·1
1890	7	10	1	3	1	...	...	15	10	5	7,857	12·7
1891	6	10	...	6	...	...	...	16	11	5	7,797	13·6
1892	4	8	1	...	...	...	...	9	5	4	4,139	13·7
1893	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	1,904	12·1
1894	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	557	12·5
1895	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	299	9·3
1896	2	...	...	8	...	...	...	8	7	1	2,143	9·6

Expenditure and Receipts, 1883–96.

Year.	Value of Diamonds used.	Loss and wear of Diamonds per foot bored.	Working Cost. Per foot bored	Working Cost. Total.	Total Expenditure (including Office Salaries, Store Wages, and Rent). Per foot bored	Total Expenditure. Total.	Receipts of plant into Consolidated Revenue
	£	s. d.	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	£
1883	1,217	3 8	10 3	3,404	12 10¾	4,285	4,5
1884	1,013	2 0·6	12 10	6,326	15 8½	7,742	7,0
1885	829	1 5·5	16 11	9,620	19 1	10,811	9,2
1886	237	0 8·7	15 0	4,899	17 8¾	5,797	6,2
1887	244	1 6·8	18 1	2,801	22 4	3,461	2,5
1888	420	1 0·1	9 0	3,724	11 0	4,564	7,5
1889	497	1 3·1	12 0	4,702	14 3¼	5,605	7,7
1890	253	0 7·7	11 10	4,665	14 5¾	5,690	6,9
1891	709	1 9·8	12 7	4,921	14 11¼	5,826	7,2
1892	448	2 2	12 11	2,669	16 0½	3,319	3,4
1893	155	3 3·6	12 5	1,181	18 1	1,724	2,4
1894	21	0 9	16 9½	468	36 5½	1,015	5
1895	57	3 9⅛	15 2¾	228	30 3½	453	1
1896	225	2 1 3/16	11 4 13/16	1,222	18 6 3/16	1,984	2,4

No. 67.—Quantity and Value of Minerals won, 1895–96.

Minerals.	1895.		1896.		Increase in Value.	Decrease in Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
Metallic—	oz.	£	oz.	£	£	£
Gold	360,165	1,315,929	296,072	1,073,360	.....	242,569
Silver	550,142	81,858	202,789	26,518	.....	55,340
	tons.		tons.			
Silver—lead and ores ...	219,881	1,560,813	286,936	1,758,933	198,120	.....
Lead	20	197	24	259	62	.....
Zinc	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tin and tin ore	.....	87,937	.....	68,546	.....	19,391
Copper and regulus ...	.....	136,969	.....	197,814	60,845	.....
Iron oxide...	.....	348	.....	801	453	.....
Antimony and ore ...	478	7,251	133	1,834	.....	5,417
Bismuth	.....	.....	41	490	490	.....
Manganese oxide	3	10	.....	.....	.....	10
Platinum	.....	.....	.....	3,479	3,479	.....
Chrome iron ore	4,229	13,048	3,852	11,280	.....	1,768
Non-metallic—						
Coal	3,738,589	1,095,327	3,909,517	1,125,281	29,954	.....
Coke	27,630	24,683	26,351	21,851	.....	2,832
Kerosene shale	59,426	75,219	31,839	34,202	.....	41,017
Alunite	832	3,328	1,372	4,116	788	.....
Cobalt	6	26	.....	.....	.....	26
	lb.		lb.			
Opals	333	6,000	1,390	25,000	19,000	.....
Other	.....	4,637	.....	924	.....	3,713
Total	.....	4,413,580	.....	4,354,688	313,191	372,083
			Net Decrease			58,892

No. 68.—Value of Minerals won, to 1896.

Minerals.	Total won to 1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	Total won to Dec., 1896.
Metallic—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Gold	38,075,182	558,306	569,178	651,286	1,156,717	1,315,929	1,073,360	43,399,958
Silver	846,965	134,850	56,884	78,131	94,150	81,858	26,518	1,319,356
Silver—lead and ores	6,716,325	3,484,739	2,420,952	2,953,589	2,195,339	1,560,813	1,758,933	21,090,690
Lead	8,298	2,025	726	4,205	260	197	259	15,970
Zinc...	3,366	2,622	5,055	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,043
Tin and tin ore ...	5,541,700	133,963	152,994	126,114	85,264	87,937	68,546	6,196,518
Copper and regulus	3,362,728	119,195	114,559	73,287	63,617	136,969	197,814	4,068,169
Iron oxide	2,213	434	869	1,526	670	348	801	6,861
Antimony and ore...	93,741	22,057	14,680	25,092	18,744	7,251	1,834	183,399
Bismuth	36,142	500	1,080	.....	.....	.....	490	38,212
Manganese oxide ...	325	340	47	.....	44	10	.....	766
Platinum	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,479	3,479
Chrome iron ore ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,336	13,048	11,280	36,664
Non-metallic—								
Coal	24,066,245	1,742,796	1,462,387	1,171,722	1,155,573	1,095,327	1,125,281	31,819,331
Coke...	41,147	34,473	8,853	20,233	33,209	24,683	21,851	184,449
Kerosene shale ...	1,338,552	78,160	136,079	101,220	31,781	75,219	34,202	1,795,213
Alunite	3,000	1,888	3,284	5,136	3,448	3,328	4,116	24,200
Cobalt	.....	470	1,110	305	10	26	.....	1,921
Opals	15,600	.....	2,000	12,315	5,684	6,000	25,000	66,599
*Other	97,822	3,216	1,158	557	892	4,637	924	109,206
Total ... £	80,249,351	6,320,034	4,951,895	5,224,718	4,857,738	4,413,580	4,354,688	110,372,004

* Prior to 1893 certain substances and manufactured products were wrongly included under this head.

Minerals not included.—Cinnabar, Emeralds, Diamonds, and Turquoises have been found in small quantities, but no information as to their value is obtainable.

No. 69.—Royalties paid to Crown, 1890–96.

(See also Table No. 63.)

Year.	Royalty from— Land held under Permits.	Land held under Leases.	Total.
	£	£	£
1890	*	*	5,567
1891	*	*	4,322
1892	2,341	7,703	10,044
1893	3,544	14,463	18,007
1894	410	13,552	13,962
1895	402	13,818	14,220
1896	820	10,583	11,403

* Cannot be distinguished.

No. 70.—Quantity and Value of Gold won, 1851–96.

Year.	Quantity.	Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Va
	oz.	£		oz.	£		oz.	
1851 & 1852	962,871	3,129,282	1868	255,662	994,665	1884	107,198	3[illegible]
1853	548,052	1,781,172	1869	251,491	974,149	1885	103,736	3[illegible]
1854	237,910	773,209	1870	240,858	931,016	1886	101,416	3[illegible]
1855	171,367	654,594	1871	323,609	1,250,485	1887	110,288	3[illegible]
1856	184,600	689,174	1872	425,129	1,643,582	1888	87,503	3[illegible]
1857	175,949	674,477	1873	361,784	1,395,175	1889	119,759	4[illegible]
1858	286,798	1,104,175	1874	270,823	1,040,329	1890	127,760	4[illegible]
1859	329,363	1,259,127	1875	230,882	877,694	1891	153,336	5[illegible]
1860	384,053	1,465,373	1876	167,411	613,190	1892	156,870	[illegible]
1861	465,685	1,806,171	1877	124,110	471,418	1893	179,288	6[illegible]
1862	640,622	2,467,780	1878	119,665	430,033	1894	324,787	1,1[illegible]
1863	466,111	1,796,170	1879	109,649	407,219	1895	360,165	1,3[illegible]
1864	340,267	1,304,926	1880	118,600	441,543	1896	296,072	1,0[illegible]
1865	320,316	1,231,243	1881	149,627	566,513			
1866	299,014	1,116,404	1882	140,469	526,522	Total...	11,717,616	43,3[illegible]
1867	271,886	1,053,578	1883	123,805	458,509			

Mint Returns.—For further information respecting Gold, see Part "Financial Institutions."

No. 71.—Quantity and Value of Silver, Silver-lead, and Ore won, to 189[illegible]

Year.	Silver. Quantity.	Silver. Value.	Silver-lead and Ore. Quantity. Ore.	Silver-lead and Ore. Quantity. Metal.	Silver-lead and Ore. Value.	Total V
	oz.	£	tons.	tons.	£	£
Prior to 1883	765,397	187,429	204	.....	5,385	192,
1883	77,066	16,488	106	.....	1,625	18,
1884	93,660	19,780	4,668	.....	123,174	142,
1885	794,174	159,187	2,096	191	107,626	266,
1886	1,015,433	197,544	4,802	.....	294,485	492,
1887	177,308	32,458	12,530	.....	541,952	574,
1888	375,064	66,668	11,739	18,102	1,075,737	1,142,
1889	416,895	72,001	46,965	34,580	1,899,197	1,971,
1890	496,552	95,410	89,720	41,320	2,667,144	2,762,
1891	729,590	134,850	92,384	55,396	3,484,739	3,619,
1892	350,662	56,884	87,505	45,850	2,420,952	2,477,
1893	531,972	78,131	155,859	58,401	2,953,589	3,031,
1894	846,822	94,150	137,813	42,513	2,195,339	2,289,
1895	550,142	81,858	190,193	29,687	1,560,813	1,642,
1896	202,789	26,518	267,363	19,573	1,758,933	1,785,
Total ...	7,423,526	1,319,356	1,103,947	345,613	21,090,690	22,4[illegible]

No. 72.—Value of Tin won, 1872–96.

Year.	Value.	Year.	Value.
	£		£
m 1872 to 1880 inclusive...	2,106,986	1889	207,670
1	568,795	1890	179,057
2	541,413	1891	133,963
3	448,887	1892	152,994
4	281,188	1893	126,114
5	308,760	1894	85,264
6	277,545	1895	87,937
7	311,889	1896	68,546
8	309,510	Total	6,196,518

No. 73.—Value of Copper won, 1859–96.

Year.	Value.	Year.	Value.
	£		£
m 1859 to 1880 inclusive...	1,223,820	1889	122,444
1	257,884	1890	84,107
2	182,473	1891	119,195
3	472,982	1892	114,559
4	362,287	1893	73,287
5	170,993	1894	63,617
6	122,990	1895	136,969
7	115,444	1896	197,814
8	247,304	Total	4,068,169

No. 74.—Machines Employed in Gold and Tin Mining, 1896.

Description.	Number.	Description.	Number.
rtz :—		Alluvial :—	
am-engines employed in Winding, Crushing, &c.	262	Steam-engines employed in Winding, Pumping, &c.	32
am-engines employed in Winding, Crushing, &c.—Aggregate horse-power	4,107	Steam-engines employed in Winding, Pumping, &c.—Aggregate horse-power	409
ncentrators	41	Puddling Machines	52
ushing Machines	196	Water-wheels	67
mp-heads	1,462	Hydraulic Hoses	10
hims and Pulleys	12	Boring-machines	2
mps	87	Pumps	28
ater-wheels	7	Sluice-boxes	180
mtingdon Mills	42	Whims and Pulleys	3
ne Vanners	67	Whips	56
hips	68	Turbine	1
ilian Mills	26	Other machinery	1

No. 75.—Quantity and Value of Coal Raised, to 1896.

Year.	Quantity.	Average Value per Ton.	Total Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Average Value per Ton.	Tot Valu
	tons.	s. d.	£		tons.	s. d.	£
Prior to 1881	22,163,927	.....	11,652,060	1889	3,655,632	8 11	1,632,
1881	1,769,597	6 10	603,248	1890	3,060,876	8 4	1,279
1882	2,109,282	9 0	948,965	1891	4,037,929	8 8	1,742,
1883	2,521,457	9 6	1,201,942	1892	3,780,968	7 9	1,462,
1884	2,749,109	9 6	1,303,077	1893	3,278,328	7 2	1,171,
1885	2,878,863	9 4	1,340,213	1894	3,672,076	6 4	1,155,
1886	2,830,175	9 2	1,303,164	1895	3,738,589	5 10	1,095,
1887	2,922,497	9 3	1,346,440	1896	3,909,517	5 9	1,125,
1888	3,203,444	9 1	1,455,198	Total ...	72,282,266	8 10	31,819,

No. 76.—Quantity and Value of Coke Manufactured, 1890–96.

Year.	Quantity.			Value.	
	Northern.	Southern and Western.	Total.	Total.	Per Ton.
	tons.	tons.	tons.	£	£ s. d
1890	15,886	15,211	31,097	41,147	1 6
1891	9,474	20,836	30,310	34,473	1 2
1892	5,245	2,654	7,899	8,853	1 2
1893	12,262	5,596	17,858	20,233	1 2
1894	13,602	20,856	34,458	33,209	0 19
1895	11,326	16,304	27,630	24,683	0 17
1896	10,399	15,953	26,352	21,851	0 16
Total ...	78,194	97,410	175,604	184,449	1 1

No. 77.—Quantity and Value of Shale Raised, to 1896.

Year.	Quantity.	Average Value per Ton.	Total Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Average Value per Ton.	Tota Valu
	tons.	£ s. d.	£		tons.	£ s. d.	£
Prior to 1881	213,390	.....	540,295	1889	40,561	1 18 4	77,6
1881	27,894	1 9 3	40,748	1890	56,010	1 17 2	104,1
1882	48,065	1 15 0	84,114	1891	40,349	1 18 9	78,1
1883	49,250	1 16 11	90,861	1892	74,197	1 16 8	136,0
1884	31,618	2 5 8	72,176	1893	55,660	1 16 4	101,
1885	27,462	2 9 0	67,239	1894	21,171	1 10 0	31,
1886	43,563	2 5 11	99,976	1895	59,426	1 5 4	75,
1887	40,010	2 3 10	87,761	1896	31,839	1 1 6	34,
1888	34,869	2 2 3	73,612	Total ...	895,334	2 0 1	1,795,

No. 78.—Number of Persons Employed in Metalliferous Mines during 1896.

Mining Districts.	Alluvial Gold.		Quartz Gold.	Silver.	Copper.	Tin.		Other.	Total.	Value of Machinery.
	Europeans.	Chinese.				Europeans.	Chinese			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£
lbert	320	16	84	5,400	...	...	...	280	6,100	931,300
thurst	1,786	69	1,562	84	98	2	...	...	3,601	153,840
arence and Richmond ...	235	...	557	14	...	...	...	...	806	19,300
bar...	...	...	582	...	545	...	...	...	1,127	76,700
unter and Macleay ...	50	...	177	4	...	8	...	30	269	8,500
chlan	1,394	...	4,346	...	...	3	...	70	5,813	149,122
udgee	1,523	100	769	...	...	...	...	25	2,417	66,500
ew England	266	100	167	10	...	562	351	11	1,467	15,600
el and Uralla	654	32	1,368	...	20	348	140	55	2,617	92,550
mbaroora and Turon ...	817	120	722	...	...	...	...	4	1,663	23,600
mut and Adelong ...	1,160	52	876	6	132	5	...	12	2,243	83,800
uthern	1,223	221	859	37	15	...	...	...	2,355	87,286
Total	9,428	710	12,069	5,555	810	928	491	487	30,478	1,708,098

o. 79.—Number of Persons Employed Mining for Coal and Shale during 1896.

Districts.	Collieries, &c.	Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Total.
al—	No.	No.	No.	No.
Northern	64	1,244	5,697	6,941
Southern	13	388	1,506	1,894
South-Western...	...	.....	.....	.....
Western...	16	63	335	398
Total	93	1,695	7,538	9,233
ale—				
Katoomba	2	15	32	47
Joadja Creek	1	1	30	31
Capertee	2	35	69	104
Hartley	1	15	30	45
Total	6	66	161	227
Total, Mining for Coal and Shale ...	99	1,761	7,699	9,460

o. 80.—Number of Persons Employed in Mining during each Year, 1887-96.

Minerals.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
ld	6,060	8,278	10,192	12,589	11,166	9,049	11,957	17,207	21,434	22,207
ver and Silver-Lead	1,670	2,986	6,587	5,806	7,645	5,889	4,709	4,208	4,658	5,555
n	3,888	3,499	1,234	2,172	1,951	1,657	2,024	1,542	1,399	1,419
pper	503	1,214	542	716	481	500	283	645	868	810
al	7,998	9,301	10,277	10,469	10,820	10,514	10,028	9,131	9,022	9,233
ale	120	253	138	189	260	396	385	297	354	227
her Minerals ...	*	1,294	214	868	185	237	736	486	564	487
Total ...	20,239	26,825	29,184	32,809	32,508	28,242	30,122	33,516	38,299	39,938

* No returns.

No. 81.—Accidents in Mining Operations, 1890-96.

Classification.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	18
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	N
Persons killed mining for—							
Gold	7	7	10	11	19	12	1
Silver	9	13	6	7	9	20	
Other Metals	...	...	2	1	...	4	
Coal and Shale	13	21	8	13	7	10	1
Total killed	29	41	26	32	35	46	5
Persons seriously injured mining for—							
Gold	9	14	14	6	7	11	1
Silver	12	17	11	18	19	17	1
Other Metals	...	1	3	...	1	...	
Coal and Shale	36	54	77	45	40	47	6
Total seriously injured...	57	86	105	69	67	75	8
Persons who met with minor accidents ...	*	7	25	14	35	27	3
Total killed and injured... ...	86	134	156	115	137	148	17
Killed per 1,000 persons employed ...	0·88	1·26	0·92	1·06	1·04	1·20	1·4
Seriously injured per 1,000 persons employed	1·74	2·64	3·72	2·29	2·00	1·96	2·1

* Information not available.

No. 82.—Amount of Prospecting Vote, and how expended, 1887-97.

Prospecting Vote.—First Year.—The first vote made for prospecting purposes was in 1887, and in that year i confined to searching for gold. In the succeeding year the conditions were amended so as to embrace all minerals.

Year.	Amount voted.	Amounts granted to prospectors for—						
		Gold.	Silver and Lead.	Copper.	Tin.	Coal.	Other Minerals.	Total
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1887	15,000	8,944	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,94
1888	20,000	5,338	145	91	.....	.....	27	5,60
1889	20,000	12,050	741	47	34	338	256	13,46
1890	20,000	14,466	1,306	37	.....	562	1,357	17,72
1891	20,000	15,695	2,176	94	463	569	588	19,58
1892	40,000	34,881	1,821	550	199	1,588	961	40,00
1893	20,000	19,810	1,718	136	79	1,010	247	23,00
1894	20,000	19,148	95	301	401	23	32	20,00
*1895	10,000	7,878	138	249	119	.....	98	8,48
†1895-96	20,000	17,977	542	296	476	.....	709	20,00
†1896-97	25,000	20,822	467	729	760	.....	425	23,[illegible]

* Six months only. † Year ended 30th June

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m 15 age l in ng .	Greatest Number of Persons Employed.		Number regularly Employed at their own Homes. (Not included in foregong total.)		Number of Establishments using Machinery.	Average Number of Hands Employed in Establishments using Machinery.	Horse-power of Machinery in use.						Total Value of Machinery, Implements, and Tools.
							Ful Capacity.			Actually used.			
Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.			Steam.	Gas.	Other.	Steam.	Gas.	Other.	
							H.-p.	H.-p.	H-p	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	£
..	1,630	4	..	..	69	1,353	1,184	8	....	926	6	..	76,462
21	3,864	595	..	..	102	3,384	3,897	64	13	3,049	46	9	597,996
89	3,777	5,046	96	632	40	530	123	190	....	91	166	..	80,693
..	2,535	....	2	..	93	1,869	1,950	111	....	1,651	105	..	209,794
..	5,668	12	..	..	113	4,415	2,050	50	45	1,370	36	40	358,813
..	1,449	22	..	..	8	974	975	4	120	579	4	65	138,418
..	1,087	95	..	..	25	480	129	114	....	111	76	..	16,014
15	3,362	588	..	2	93	3,376	336	497	....	283	299	..	333,681
..	767	7	..	3	8	119	66	4	....	60	3	..	12,640
..	702	....	..	..	22	530	1,726	....	40	1,074	..	24	917,253
6	2,299	328	2	2	88	1,786	890	89	....	698	69	..	139,711
131	27,140	6,697	100	639	661	18,816	13,326	1,131	218	9,892	810	138	2,881,475
..	2,498	2	..	..	128	1,870	1,859	....	22	1,424	..	18	114,392
2	6,357	293	..	..	581	5,595	12,092	205	65	9,716	139	56	1,160,203
16	1,027	872	10	25	11	3,584	303	13	14	194	8	14	28,454
..	4,334	5	..	..	465	3,692	5,715	....	137	4,641	..	93	268,685
..	4,606	4	1	..	98	3,718	5,269	7	19	4,097	5	15	392,516
..	166	....	..	..	4	60	87	....	....	48	..	..	14,960
..	119	....	..	..	2	8	15	....	....	8	..	..	1,855
..	1,486	33	..	..	56	763	254	91	3	239	64	3	128,216
..	1,079	2	1	..	6	70	58	....	....	45	..	..	20,623
..	368	....	..	..	39	294	1,030	3	1,880	634	2	245	445,376
1	634	25	5	4	67	485	1,000	23	....	696	9	..	79,150
19	22,674	1,236	17	29	1,457	20,139	27,682	342	2,140	21,742	227	444	2,654,430
..	4,128	6	..	..	197	3,223	3,043	8	22	2,350	6	18	190,854
23	10,221	888	...	..	683	8,979	15,989	260	78	12,765	185	65	1,758,199
105	4,804	5,918	106	657	51	4,114	426	203	14	285	174	14	109,147
..	6,869	5	2	..	558	5,561	7,665	111	137	6,292	105	93	478,479
..	10,274	16	1	..	211	8,133	7,319	57	64	5,467	41	55	751,329
..	1,615	22	..	..	12	1,034	1,002	4	120	627	4	65	153,378
..	1,206	95	..	..	27	488	144	114	....	119	76	..	17,869
15	4,848	621	..	2	149	4,139	500	588	3	522	363	3	461,897
..	1,846	9	1	3	14	189	124	4	....	105	3	..	33,263
..	1,070	....	..	..	61	824	2,756	3	1,920	1,708	2	269	1,362,629
7	2,983	353	7	6	155	2,271	1,890	112	....	1,394	78	..	218,861
150	49,814	7,933	117	668	2,118	38,955	41,008	1,473	2,358	31,634	1,037	582	5,535,906

No. 3.—Number of Manufactories and Works, Hands Employed, [illegible] ende

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Average Number of Hands Employed.										
		Managers and Overseers.		Clerks, etc.		Engine-drivers, etc.	Workers in Factory, Mill, etc. (skilled and unskilled).		Carters, Messengers, and others.		Total.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Metropolitan District.												
I. Treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits.	73	99	1	22	..	48	1,130	3	71	..	1,370	4
II. Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof.	129	205	9	238	1	162	2,268	422	384	2	3,257	434
III. Clothing and Textile Fabrics	263	279	152	88	5	17	2,930	3,697	93	12	3,407	3,866
IV. Building Materials	121	175	..	74	..	70	1,390	..	336	..	2,045	..
V. Metal Works, Machinery, etc.	162	244	2	106	2	94	4,201	6	123	2	4,758	12
VI. Ship-building Repairing, etc.	17	29	..	19	..	16	920	15	43	..	1,027	15
VII. Furniture, Bedding, etc...	75	112	2	17	..	7	808	90	30	..	974	92
VIII. Books, Paper Printing, etc.	118	267	9	229	3	29	2,446	490	98	3	3,069	[illegible]
IX. Vehicles, Saddlery and Harness ..	61	80	..	10	..	3	560	4	8	3	661	7
X. Light, Fuel, and Heat	23	34	..	13	..	87	389	..	11	..	534	.
XI. Miscellaneous	149	202	6	87	3	47	1,621	257	75	11	2,032	277
Total	1,191	1,726	181	903	14	570	18,663	4,964	1,272	33	23,134	5,21[illegible]
Country Districts.												
I. Treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits.	163	206	1	33	1	97	1,715	..	125	..	2,176	[illegible]
II. Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation hereof.	616	727	12	185	4	377	3,808	213	449	12	5,6[illegible]	241
III. Clothing and Textile Fabrics	110	97	55	17	2	9	714	691	18	..	855	74[illegible]
IV. Building Materials	483	620	..	100	5	288	2,273	..	515	..	3,79[illegible]	[illegible]
V. Metal Works, Machinery, etc.	117	178	..	85	4	133	3,393	..	141	..	3,[illegible]	[illegible]
VI. Ship-building Repairing etc.	7	13	..	3	..	6	64	..	4	..	[illegible]	
VII. Furniture, Bedding, etc. .. .	10	13	..	2	.	..	84	..	2	..	101	
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing, etc.	167	251	4	77	6	17	903	20	86	.	1,[illegible]	.
IX. Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness ..	113	140	..	8	2	3	763	..	4	.	918	[illegible]
X. Light, Fuel, and Heat	51	55	..	31	..	83	147	..	9	..	325	.
XI. Miscellaneous	78	97	..	16	1	26	318	19	69	..	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	1,915	2,397	72	557	25	1,039	14,242	943	1,422	12	19,657	1,[illegible]
NEW SOUTH WALES.												
I. Treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits.	236	305	2	55	1	145	2,845	3	196	..	3,546	[illegible]
II. Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof	745	932	21	423	5	539	6,136	635	833	14	8,86[illegible]	[illegible]
III. Clothing and Textile Fabrics	373	376	207	105	7	26	3,644	4,388	111	12	4,2[illegible]	4,614
IV. Building Materials	604	795	..	174	5	358	3,663	..	851	.	5,841	[illegible]
V. Metal Works, Machinery, etc. .. .	279	422	2	191	6	217	7,594	6	264	2	[illegible]	16
VI. Ship-building, Repairing, etc.	24	42	..	22	..	22	984	15	47	..	1,117	15
VII. Furniture, Bedding, etc.	85	125	2	19	.	7	892	90	32		1,075	9[illegible]
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing, etc.	285	518	13	306	9	46	3,349	510	184	3	4,403	[illegible]
IX. Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness ..	174	220	.	18	2	6	1,323	4	12	3	1,579	[illegible]
X. Light, Fuel, and Heat	74	89	..	41	.	170	536	..	20	..	859	..
XI. Miscellaneous	227	299	6	103	4	73	1,939	276	144	11	2,558	[illegible]
Total	3,106	4,123	253	1,460	39	1,609	32,905	5,927	2,694	45	42,791	[illegible]

, and Value of Plant in the various Classes of Industries, for the year umber, 1896.

dren er 15 of age ded in going tal.	Greatest Number of Persons Employed.		Number regularly Employed at their own Homes. (Not included in foregoing total.)		Number of Establishments using Machinery.	Average Number of Hands Employed in Establishments using Machinery.	Horse-power of Machinery in use.						Total Value of Machinery, Implements, and Tools.
							Ful Capacity.			Actually used.			
Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.			Steam.	Gas.	Other.	Steam.	Gas.	Other.	
							H.-p.	H.-p.	H-p	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	£
..	1,630	4	..	..	69	1,353	1,184	8	....	926	6	..	76,462
21	3,864	595	..	..	102	3,384	3,897	64	13	3,049	46	9	597,996
89	3,777	5,046	96	632	40	530	123	190	....	91	166	..	80,693
..	2,535	....	2	..	93	1,869	1,950	111	....	1,651	105	..	209,794
..	5,068	12	..	..	113	4,415	2,050	50	45	1,370	36	40	358,813
..	1,449	22	..	..	8	974	975	4	120	579	4	65	138,418
..	1,087	95	..	..	25	480	129	114	....	111	76	..	16,014
15	3,362	588	..	2	93	3,376	336	497	....	283	299	..	333,681
..	767	7	..	3	8	119	66	4	....	60	3	..	12,640
..	702	....	..	..	22	530	1,726	....	40	1,074	..	24	917,253
6	2,299	328	2	2	88	1,786	890	89	....	698	69	..	139,711
131	27,140	6,697	100	639	661	18,816	13,326	1,131	218	9,892	810	138	2,881,475
..	2,498	2	..	..	128	1,870	1,859	....	22	1,424	..	18	114,392
2	6,357	293	..	..	581	5,595	12,092	205	65	9,716	139	56	1,160,203
16	1,027	872	10	25	11	3,584	303	13	14	194	8	14	28,454
..	4,334	5	..	..	465	3,692	5,715	....	137	4,641	..	93	268,685
..	4,606	4	1	..	98	3,718	5,269	7	19	4,097	5	15	392,516
..	166	....	..	..	4	60	87	....	....	48	..	..	14,960
..	119	....	..	..	2	8	15	....	....	8	..	..	1,855
..	1,486	33	..	..	56	763	254	91	3	239	64	3	128,216
..	1,079	2	1	..	6	70	58	....	....	45	..	..	20,623
..	368	....	..	..	39	294	1,030	3	1,880	634	2	245	445,376
1	634	25	5	4	67	485	1,000	23	....	696	9	..	79,150
19	22,674	1,236	17	29	1,457	20,139	27,682	342	2,140	21,742	227	444	2,654,430
..	4,128	6	..	..	197	3,223	3,043	8	22	2,350	6	18	190,854
23	10,221	888	..	..	683	8,979	15,089	269	78	12,765	185	65	1,758,199
105	4,804	5,918	106	657	51	4,114	426	203	14	285	174	14	109,147
..	6,869	5	2	..	558	5,561	7,665	111	137	6,292	105	93	478,479
..	10,274	16	1	..	211	8,133	7,319	57	64	5,467	41	55	751,329
..	1,615	22	..	..	12	1,034	1,062	4	120	627	4	65	153,378
..	1,206	95	..	..	27	488	144	114	....	119	76	..	17,869
15	4,848	621	..	2	149	4,139	590	588	3	522	363	3	461,897
..	1,846	9	1	3	14	189	124	4	....	105	3	..	33,263
..	1,070	....	..	..	61	824	2,756	3	1,920	1,708	2	269	1,362,629
7	2,923	353	7	6	155	2,271	1,890	112	....	1,394	78	..	218,861
150	49,814	7,933	117	668	2,118	38,955	41,008	1,473	2,358	31,634	1,037	582	5,535,905

No. 4.—Number of Manufactories and Works, Hands Emp
for the year

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Average number of Hands employed.										
		Managers and Overseers.		Clerks, etc.		Engine-drivers, etc.	Workers, in Factory, Mill, etc. (skilled and unskilled).		Carters, Messengers, and others.		Tot	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females
I.—Treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits.												
Boiling-down	36	47	..	9	..	34	486	..	75	..	651	
Glue and Oil and Grease	2	2	..	1	..	..	6	..	..	..	9	
Manures	8	11	..	1	..	4	21	..	8	..	45	
Tallow Refineries	4	4	..	2	..	4	15	..	14	..	39	
Tanneries	109	130	1	15	..	32	989	3	41	..	1,207	
Wool-washing and Scouring	77	111	1	27	1	71	1,328	..	58	..	1,595	
Total	236	305	2	55	1	145	2,845	3	196	..	3,546	
II.—Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof.												
Aërated Waters	158	186	2	32	..	17	552	32	157	..	944	
Bacon	10	14	1	2	..	2	38	..	6	..	62	
Biscuits	5	8	3	18	..	8	263	133	12	..	309	1
Breweries	57	87	..	62	1	46	470	2	123	..	788	
*Butter	140	154	6	40	..	73	275	34	49	3	591	
Cheese	15	17	..	4	1	2	55	31	3	..	81	
†Condiments, Coffee, and Spices	22	35	3	45	..	8	264	169	44	..	396	1
Confectionery	17	19	1	17	..	6	264	115	51	2	357	1
Corn Flour	5	7	1	3	..	6	22	11	4	4	42	
‡Creameries	152	157	3	11	..	32	88	19	25	4	313	
Flour	81	104	..	69	2	89	354	8	95	..	711	
Ice and Refrigerating	32	56	..	59	..	120	718	..	93	1	1,046	
Jam and Fruit Canning	12	19	1	13	1	13	310	79	16	..	371	
Meat Preserving and Curing	13	14	..	14	..	18	878	2	45	..	969	
Sugar Mills	23	52	..	30	..	86	1,206	..	101	..	1,475	
Sugar Refineries	1	1	..	3	..	11	368	..	8	..	391	
Vinegar	2	2	..	1	..	2	11	..	1	..	17	
Total	745	932	21	423	5	539	6,136	635	833	14	8,863	[illegible]
III.—Clothing and Textile Fabrics.												
Boots and Shoes	82	159	16	33	3	14	2,402	821	51	..	2,659	[illegible]
Clothing	19	28	4	13	2	4	327	826	14	7	386	[illegible]
Dressmaking and Millinery	133	15	175	4	1	2	14	1,526	7	5	42	1,[illegible]
Furriers	3	3	..	..	..	..	17	14	..	..	20	
Hats and Caps	5	6	3	2	..	1	13	47	1	..	23	
Oilskin and Waterproof Clothing	4	7	1	5	..	..	37	93	11	..	[illegible]	
Shirtmaking	6	7	..	..	..	..	4	56	..	..	11	
Tailoring	116	139	8	45	1	..	690	935	25	..	[illegible]	[illegible]
Woollen Cloth	5	12	..	3	..	5	140	70	2	..	162	
Total	373	376	207	105	7	26	3,644	4,388	111	12	4,292	4,[illegible]
IV.—Building Materials.												
Asphalt	6	7	..	..	..	1	28	..	4	..	40	
Bricks	150	180	..	21	..	36	847	..	211	..	1,295	
Cement	2	3	..	1	..	5	29	..	6	..	44	
Joinery	29	38	..	13	..	13	213	..	28	..	305	
Lime, Plaster, &c.	7	8	..	..	..	2	33	..	8	..	51	
Marble and Monumental Masonry	28	34	..	5	..	4	164	..	5	..	212	
Modelling and Pattern-making	3	4	..	1	..	..	11	..	..	..	16	
Paint	3	3	..	2	..	3	16	..	2	..	26	
Pottery and Earthenware	20	34	..	11	..	10	251	..	32	..	338	
Saw Mills	326	447	..	116	5	268	1,832	..	519	..	3,182	
Stone-crushing	10	13	..	3	..	11	172	..	32	..	231	
Stone-dressing and Polishing	2	3	..	..	..	2	18	..	..	..	23	
Wood-turning and carving	18	21	..	1	..	3	49	..	4	..	78	
Total	604	795	..	174	5	358	3,663	..	851	..	5,841	

* Including 1 butterine factory. † Including 1 condensed milk factory. ‡ For the purpose of comparison wi

er used, and Value of Plant in the various Industries, December, 1896.

ren 15 f age ed in ing l.	Greatest Number of Persons Employed.		Number regularly Employed at their own Homes. (Not included in foregoing total.)		Number of Establishments using Machinery.	Average number of Hands employed in Establishments using Machinery.	Horse-power of Machinery in use.						Total value of Machinery, Implements, and Tools.
							Full capacity.			* Actually-used.			
Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.			Steam.	Gas.	Other.	Steam.	Gas.	Other.	
													£
..	733	....	..	..	35	646	830	....	....	649	..	..	36,534
..	9	....	..	..	2	9	14	....	....	7	..	..	350
..	52	....	..	..	8	45	93	....	....	78	..	..	7,340
..	51	....	..	..	4	39	61	....	....	56	..	..	3,600
..	1,367	4	..	..	86	1,069	857	8	....	685	6	..	64,485
..	1,916	2	..	..	62	1,415	1,188	....	22	875	..	18	78,545
..	4,128	6	..	..	197	3,223	3,043	8	22	2,350	6	18	190,854
..	1,145	93	..	..	141	801	982	166	...	354	117	..	63,591
..	79	1	..	..	6	36	57	....	....	41	..	..	4,810
2	409	173	..	..	5	445	42	....	....	89	..	..	32,700
..	858	3	..	..	54	783	1,113	9	....	869	6	..	167,509
..	654	43	..	..	134	598	1,220	26	26	780	15	17	97,173
..	86	32	..	..	12	20	194	....	....	57	..	..	5,432
11	437	194	..	..	15	508	38	33	1	242	17	1	28,758
4	386	151	..	..	7	377	91	....	....	71	..	..	18,522
..	43	17	..	..	5	58	391	....	....	83	..	..	10,900
2	323	26	..	..	145	306	920	....	....	650	..	..	65,972
..	904	12	..	..	80	711	3,402	30	16	2,683	25	14	241,535
..	1,230	1	..	..	32	1,047	2,766	3	28	2,441	3	26	264,070
4	468	140	..	..	11	449	230	2	....	195	2	..	9,905
..	1,150	2	..	..	12	966	620	....	....	525	..	..	20,230
..	1,567	....	..	..	22	1,471	3,479	....	7	3,296	..	7	554,377
..	465	....	..	..	1	391	440	....	....	385	..	..	172,065
..	17	....	..	..	1	12	4	....	....	4	..	..	650
23	10,221	888	..	..	683	8,979	15,989	269	78	12,765	185	65	1,758,199
41	2,981	1,071	18	9	33	2,838	249	179	....	131	152	..	70,559
16	414	1,221	14	451	6	589	1	14	....	1	13	..	5,440
35	46	2,119	..	31	2	127	....	2	....	....	2	..	858
..	20	17	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	360
..	31	59	..	..	1	16	20	....	....	12	..	..	1,120
1	63	106	5	74	1	91	....	2	....	....	2	..	750
1	11	60	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	140
11	1,053	1,193	69	92	3	221	....	6	....	....	5	..	5,540
..	185	72	..	..	5	232	156	....	14	141	..	14	24,380
105	4,804	5,918	106	657	51	4,114	426	203	14	285	174	14	109,147
..	80	....	..	..	1	9	45	....	....	30	..	..	4,460
..	1,464	....	..	..	149	1,291	1,192	50	....	1,060	50	..	111,721
..	44	....	..	..	2	44	150	....	....	80	..	..	800
..	436	....	..	..	26	284	216	34	....	172	31	..	22,236
..	86	....	..	..	2	19	39	....	....	35	..	..	815
..	263	....	..	..	5	64	24	9	15	22	9	9	3,710
..	26	....	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	1,050
..	31	....	..	..	3	26	73	....	....	66	..	..	2,700
..	394	....	..	..	16	313	259	8	....	233	8	..	39,902
..	3,650	5	..	..	324	3,179	5,263	....	122	4,287	..	84	265,020
..	271	....	..	..	10	231	262	....	....	189	..	..	16,230
..	33	....	..	..	2	23	52	....	....	46	..	..	3,900
..	91	....	2	..	18	78	90	10	....	72	7	..	5,935
..	6,869	5	2	..	558	5,561	7,665	111	137	6,292	105	93	478,479

ber factories and creameries should be taken together, as the definition of a creamery in the two colonies is not the same.

No. 4.—Number of Manufactories and

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Average number of Hands employed.										
		Managers and Overseers.		Clerks, etc.		Engine-drivers, etc.	Workers in Factory, Mill, etc. (skilled and unskilled).		Carters, Messengers, and others.		Tota	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
V.—Metal Works, Machinery, &c.												
Agricultural Implements	10	12	..	3	1	4	93	..	1	..	113	
Boiler-making	3	2	..	..	..	1	41	..	..	..	44	..
Brass	8	12	..	3	..	3	49	..	..	..	67	..
Coppersmithing	4	7	..	..	..	..	41	..	..	..	48	..
Engineering	70	134	..	62	2	66	1,615	..	87	..	1,964	
Galvanised Iron	20	25	..	10	..	2	148	..	9	..	194	..
Iron Works and Foundries	51	72	..	21	2	32	991	..	14	..	1,040	
Lead	2	2	..	3	..	2	53	..	5	..	65	..
Railway Carriages*	3	9	..	3	..	4	94	..	6	..	116	..
Railway and Tramway Workshops	41	30	..	27	..	27	2,242	6	23	2	2,349	
Smelting	22	61	..	41	..	67	1,796	..	111	..	2,076	..
Tinsmithing	23	26	2	2	1	4	136	..	1	..	169	
Wire-working	4	5	..	10	..	4	199	..	3	..	221	..
Zinc (ornamental)..	2	3	..	1	..	..	18	..	..	..	22	..
Other Metal Works	16	22	..	5	..	1	168	..	4	..	200	..
Total	279	422	2	191	6	217	7,594	6	264	2	8,688	1
VI.—Ship-building, Repairing, &c.												
Docks and Slips	6	16	..	19	..	16	857	..	42	..	950	
Sails, Tarpaulins, and Tents	8	10	..	1	..	..	44	15	..	..	55	1
Ship and Boat building and repairing.. ..	10	16	..	2	..	6	83	..	5	..	112	
Total	24	42	..	22	..	22	984	15	47	..	1,117	1
VII.—Furniture, Bedding, &c.												
Bedding, Flock, and Upholstery	18	24	2	6	..	2	114	41	7	..	1[illegible]	4
Furniture	60	92	..	9	..	5	717	6	14	..	8[illegible]	[illegible]
Picture Frames	4	5	..	3	..	..	43	42	10	..	61	4
Window Blinds	3	4	..	1	..	..	18	1	1	..	24	[illegible]
Total	85	125	2	19	..	7	892	90	32	..	1,075	[illegible]
VIII.—Books, Paper, Printing, &c.												
Electrotyping and Stereotyping	3	5	..	..	..	..	27	..	..	..	32	
Paper Bags, Boxes, &c	9	12	..	6	2	1	25	123	4	..	4[illegible]	12[illegible]
Paper	2	2	..	4	..	4	51	16	3	..	64	1[illegible]
Printing and Bookbinding	268	494	13	291	7	39	3,221	371	174	3	4,219	[illegible]
Printing Materials	3	5	..	5	..	2	25	..	3	..	40	..
Total	285	518	13	306	9	46	3,349	510	184	3	4,403	[illegible]

* Including 1 establishment making railway springs.

ls Employed, &c., 1896—*continued*.

ren r 15 of age ed in oing al.	Greatest Number of Persons Employed.		Number regularly Employed at their own Homes. (Not included in foregoing total.)		Number of Establishments using Machinery.	Average number of Hands employed in Establishments using Machinery.	Horse-power of Machinery in use.						Total Value of Machinery, Implements, and Tools.
							Full capacity.			Actually used.			
Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.			Steam.	Gas.	Other.	Steam.	Gas.	Other.	
							H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p	H.-p.	H-p.	H-p.	£
..	133	1	..	..	10	114	73	4	....	56	4	..	5,850
..	154	....	..	..	3	44	106	....	45	90	..	40	11,300
..	79	....	..	..	6	56	25	1	....	21	1	..	3,720
..	56	....	..	..	3	39	6	1	....	4	1	..	1,500
..	2,501	2	..	..	66	1,926	1,462	22	5	805	16	3	250,549
..	207	....	..	..	4	42	16	9	....	16	7	..	8,510
..	1,305	2	..	..	42	1,011	2,375	6	....	2,299	4	..	120,397
..	70	....	..	..	2	65	480	....	....	200	..	..	16,140
..	165	....	..	..	3	116	58	....	....	58	..	..	13,500
..	2,468	8	..	..	41	2,357	1,017	....	....	782	..	..	125,090
..	2,445	....	..	..	16	1,930	1,572	....	14	1,057	..	12	164,075
..	199	3	1	..	7	76	89	6	....	54	4	..	6,761
..	226	....	..	..	1	198	24	....	....	10	..	..	14,953
..	36	....	..	..	1	17	....	6	....	....	2	..	1,250
..	230	....	..	..	6	142	16	2	....	15	2	..	7,734
..	10,274	16	1	..	211	8,133	7,319	57	64	5,467	41	55	751,329
..	1,363	....	..	..	6	950	1,005	....	120	585	..	65	141,475
..	74	22	..	..	2	22	....	4	....	....	4	..	1,195
..	178	....	..	..	4	62	57	....	....	42	..	..	10,708
..	1,615	22	..	..	12	1,034	1,062	4	120	627	4	65	153,378
..	170	44	..	..	10	114	81	19	....	68	19	..	6,970
..	942	6	..	..	14	328	63	89	....	51	53	..	9,919
..	64	44	..	..	2	30	....	5	....	....	3	..	630
..	30	1	..	..	1	16	....	1	....	....	1	..	350
..	1,206	95	..	..	27	488	144	114	....	119	76	..	17,869
..	34	....	..	..	3	32	....	51	....	....	18	..	12,690
6	48	131	..	..	4	134	12	9	....	12	7	..	2,570
..	72	16	..	..	2	80	275	....	....	250	..	..	13,200
9	4,649	474	..	2	138	3,863	303	507	3	200	319	3	424,758
..	45	....	..	..	2	30	....	21	....	....	19	..	8,670
15	4,848	621	..	2	149	4,139	590	588	3	522	363	3	461,897

No. 4.—Number of Manufactories and W

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Average number of Hands employed.										
		Managers and Overseers.		Clerks, etc.		Engine-drivers, etc.	Workers in Factory, Mill, etc. (skilled and unskilled).		Carters, Messengers, and others.		Tota	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
IX.—Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness.												
Coaches and Waggons	139	176	..	13	2	5	1,029	..	5	..	1,228	
Saddlery, Saddle-trees, Whips, &c.	32	41	..	5	.	..	287	4	6	3	339	
Spokes	3	3	..	..	..	1	7	..	1	..	12	..
Total	174	220	..	18	2	6	1,323	4	12	3	1,579	
X.—Light, Fuel, and Heat.												
Coke	4	7	..	4	..	5	53	..	1	..	70	..
Electric Light	27	27	..	4	..	56	46	..	1	..	134	..
Gas	42	53	..	36	..	107	407	..	18	..	621	..
Kerosene	1	2	..	..	..	2	30	..	..	..	34	..
Total	74	89	..	44	..	170	536	..	20	..	859	..
XI.—Miscellaneous.												
Baskets and Wickerware, Mats and Matting	6	8	..	1	..	..	58	5	..	..	67	
Billiard Tables	2	4	..	..	..	..	9	..	3	..	16	
Boxes and Packing Cases	8	7	1	1	..	2	73	8	3	..	86	
Brooms and Brushes	8	8	..	2	..	..	68	5	1	..	79	
Chaff-cutting and Corn-crushing	47	56	..	10	1	22	133	..	28	..	249	1
Chemicals, Drugs, and Patent Medicines	15	21	..	10	1	10	136	26	8	5	185	32
Cooperage	16	21	..	5	..	5	226	..	10	..	267	..
Dye Works	7	7	3	..	..	1	21	10	..	..	29	13
Electro-plating	5	9	..	2	1	1	28	1	1	..	41	2
Fancy Leather	4	7	..	..	..	1	25	..	..	..	33	
Glass (including bottles)	3	6	..	2	..	4	99	..	3	..	114	
Glass (ornamental)	9	10	..	2	..	1	62	..	1	..	76	
Jewellery (manufacturing)	6	6	..	3	..	..	50	..	..	..	59	
Lamps	2	2	..	..	..	..	9	..	2	..	13	
Perambulators	2	2	..	..	..	..	12	1	1	..	15	1
Rope and Fishing-lines	6	9	..	1	..	4	95	..	2	..	111	..
Soap and Candles	43	61	..	15	1	7	212	18	56	6	345	25
Soap, Extract of	3	3	..	..	..	3	9	3	4	..	19	3
Surgical Instruments, Trusses, &c.	5	7	1	..	..	..	20	4	1	..	28	
Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes	8	21	1	25	..	10	403	169	12	..	471	170
Umbrellas, &c.	2	2	..	1	..	..	4	5	1	..	8	5
Violin Strings	2	3	..	..	..	..	11	3	1	..	15	3
Wooden Skewers	2	2	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	6	
Other Industries, consisting of single establishments.*	16	17	..	23	..	2	172	18	12	..	226	18
Total	227	299	6	103	4	73	1,939	276	144	11	2,558	297
Total, all classes	3,106	4,123	253	1,460	39	1,609	32,905	5,927	2,694	45	42,791	[illegible]

* Including one of each of the following industries:—Bee Hives, Cutlery, Explosives, Horse and Cattle Medicine, Sewing Machines, Sausage Skins, Tobacco Pipes, Trunks (Iron), Varnishes, and Wood Saw

ands Employed, &c., in 1896—*continued.*

hildren nder 15 rs of age luded in regoing total.		Greatest Number of Persons Employed.		Number regularly Employed at their own Homes. (Not included in foregoing total.)		Number of Establishments using Machinery.	Average number of Hands employed in Establishments using Machinery.	Horse-power of Machinery in use.						Total Value of Machinery, Implements, and Tools.
								Full capacity.			Actually used.			
	Females	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.			Steam.	Gas.	Other.	Steam.	Gas.	Other.	
								H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-	H.-p.	£
	..	1,461	2	..	..	9	130	87	....	....	74	..	..	27,917
	..	370	7	1	3	2	47	7	4	....	3	3	..	4,471
	.	15	....	..	..	3	12	30	....	....	28	..	..	875
	..	1,846	9	1	3	14	189	124	4	....	105	3	..	33,263
	..	80	....	..	..	4	70	93	....	....	88	..	..	31,200
	..	135	....	..	..	27	134	2,021	....	1,920	1,150	..	269	121,300
	..	819	....	..	..	29	586	622	3	....	460	2	..	1,195,129
	..	36	....	..	..	1	34	20	....	....	10	..	..	15,000
	..	1,070	....	..	..	61	824	2,756	3	1,920	1,708	2	269	1,362,629
	..	73	5	..	..	1	43	....	3	....	....	3	..	220
	..	18	....	..	..	2	16	....	3	....	....	3	..	575
	6	98	10	..	..	6	75	39	7	....	32	5	..	3,530
	..	92	6	..	..	3	46	....	8	....	....	8	..	1,565
	..	302	1	..	..	47	250	355	23	.. .	267	9	..	13,250
	..	203	38	..	..	7	136	123	2	....	76	1	..	26,540
	..	340	....	..	..	9	214	145	....	....	128	..	..	11,040
	..	29	13	..	1	1	15	6	....	....	6	..	..	490
	..	43	2	..	1	4	39	10	13	....	10	8	..	3,190
	..	34	....	..	..	2	15	11	....	....	11	..	..	565
	..	125	....	..	..	2	62	11	....	....	7	..	..	4,200
	..	85	....	..	..	4	40	15	9	....	15	2	..	1,945
	..	63	....	..	..	1	18	....	2	....	....	2	..	970
	.	13	....	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	100
	..	24	3	..	..	1	5	1	....	....	1	..	..	500
	..	118	....	..	..	4	97	79	4	....	77	3	..	12,080
	1	395	29	5	4	35	325	769	1	....	528	1	..	72,270
	..	21	3	..	..	3	22	53	....	....	43	..	..	1,291
	..	35	5	2	..	2	17	....	3	....	....	3	..	1,670
	..	542	199	..	..	8	641	212	....	....	155	..	..	55,700
	..	9	5	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	60
	..	15	15	..	..	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	50
	..	8	....	..	..	2	6	12	....	....	10	..	..	350
	..	243	19	..	..	11	189	49	34	....	28	30	..	6,710
	7	2,933	353	7	6	155	2,271	1,890	112	....	1,394	78	..	218,861
	150	49,814	7,933	117	668	2,118	38,955	41,008	1,473	2,358	31,634	1,037	582	5,535,905

ght Mantles, Leather Belting, Photo-engraving, Portmanteaus and Bags, Revolving Shutters (Wood), Rubber Goods. ombined in order not to divulge particulars of the business of individual proprietors or firms.

No. 5.—Classification of Manufactories and Works according to the numb hands employed, year ended 31st December, 1896.

Class of Industry.	Establishments employing— Under 4 Hands.		4 Hands.		From 5 to 10 Hands.		From 11 to 20 Hands.		From 21 to 50 Hands.		From 51 to 100 Hands.		From 101 upwards.		Tot
	Establishments.	Hands.	Establishments.	Hands.	Establishments.	Hands.	Establishments.	Hands.	Establishments.	Hands.	Establishments.	Hands.	Establishments.	Hands.	Establishments.
METROPOLITAN DISTRICT.	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
I. Treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits	10	25	7	28	22	145	14	203	17	591	2	153	1	229	73
II. Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof	6	17	6	24	42	286	26	393	29	920	14	943	6	1,108	129
III. Clothing and Textile Fabrics	4	12	19	76	102	684	54	763	45	1,445	24	1,731	15	2,562	263
IV. Building Materials	13	29	12	48	42	293	26	364	20	731	8	580	..	..	121
V. Metal Works, Machinery, etc.	6	14	10	40	64	449	37	554	21	637	8	488	16	2,588	162
VI. Ship-building, Repairing, etc.	..	..	1	4	7	47	5	70	1	30	1	62	2	829	17
VII. Furniture, Bedding, etc. ..	2	5	8	32	34	246	19	282	10	283	1	69	1	149	75
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing, etc...	1	1	10	40	44	311	28	414	18	604	11	772	6	1,432	118
IX. Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness	1	2	9	36	26	173	18	246	7	211	..	..	..	..	61
X. Light, Fuel, and Heat ..	8	21	2	8	8	51	2	29	2	74	..	..	1	351	23
XI. Miscellaneous	24	59	14	56	64	452	26	357	11	390	6	404	4	591	149
Total	75	185	98	392	455	3,137	255	3,675	181	5,916	75	5,202	52	9,839	1,191
COUNTRY DISTRICTS.															
I. Treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits	14	33	21	84	62	421	38	570	22	593	5	350	1	127	162
II. Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof	319	654	94	376	125	827	37	523	26	747	5	398	10	2,322	616
III. Clothing and Textile Fabrics	..	..	14	56	48	323	27	395	16	474	4	242	1	113	110
IV. Building Materials	134	347	64	256	201	1,335	55	767	26	824	2	141	1	131	483
V. Metal Works, Machinery, etc.	10	24	12	48	30	208	7	106	13	389	6	397	39	2,762	117
VI. Ship-building, Repairing, etc.	..	..	1	4	3	22	1	16	2	48	..	..	..	..	7
VII. Furniture, Bedding, etc. ..	1	2	..	..	4	25	5	74	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing, etc...	5	14	33	132	101	653	20	285	6	173	2	107	..	..	167
IX. Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness	..	..	13	52	76	525	22	298	2	45	..	..	..	..	115
X. Light, Fuel, and Heat ..	23	60	7	28	15	90	2	27	4	120	..	..	..	..	51
XI. Miscellaneous	25	61	17	68	28	167	6	89	1	50	..	..	1	111	78
Total	531	1,195	276	1,104	693	4,596	220	3,150	118	3,463	24	1,635	53	5,596	1,917
NEW SOUTH WALES.															
I. Treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits	24	58	28	112	84	506	52	773	39	1,184	7	503	2	356	236
II. Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof	325	671	100	400	167	1,113	63	916	55	1,667	19	1,341	16	3,439	745
III. Clothing and Textile Fabrics	4	12	33	132	150	1,007	81	1,158	61	1,919	28	1,973	16	2,675	373
IV. Building Materials	147	376	76	304	243	1,628	81	1,131	46	1,555	10	721	1	131	604
V. Metal Works, Machinery, etc.	16	38	22	88	94	657	44	660	34	1,026	14	883	55	5,330	279
VI. Ship-building, Repairing, etc.	..	..	2	8	10	69	6	86	3	78	1	62	2	829	24
VII. Furniture, Bedding, etc. ..	3	7	8	32	38	271	24	356	10	283	1	69	1	149	85
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing, etc...	6	15	43	172	145	994	48	699	24	777	13	879	6	1,432	285
IX. Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness	1	2	22	88	102	698	40	544	9	256	..	..	..	..	174
X. Light, Fuel, and Heat ..	31	81	9	36	23	141	4	56	6	194	..	..	1	351	74
XI. Miscellaneous	49	120	31	124	92	619	32	446	12	440	6	404	5	702	227
Total	606	1,380	374	1,496	1,148	7,733	475	6,825	299	9,379	99	6,837	105	15,405	3,106

NOTE.—Number of Works using steam or other power, 2,118; hands employed, 38,955. Number of Works manual labour only, 988; hands employed, 10,100. (See Table No. 3.)

No. 6.—Number of Hands Employed in some of the Principal Industries, 1887–96.

Manufactory or Work.	Hands employed.									
	1886-87.	1887-88.	1888-89.	1889-90.	1890-91.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Raw Materials, the Production of Pastoral Pursuits.—										
Boiling-down	172	121	127	140	273	190	1,506	1,715	819	651
Tanneries...	627	689	894	760	897	651	965	1,130	1,168	1,211
Wool-washing	1,614	1,252	1,273	1,482	842	1,142	574	1,246	1,522	1,597
Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof.—										
Aërated Waters	1,107	1,107	1,103	1,099	897	832	559	829	939	978
Breweries	987	804	805	820	784	745	685	744	848	791
Biscuits	398	348	435	375	504	452	459	479	463	445
Confectionery	387	378	389	497	359	411	285	380	469	475
Flour	571	599	628	583	541	568	699	696	678	721
Ice and Refrigerating ...	267	256	211	157	195	251	608	500	771	1,047
Jam and Fruit Canning...	172	188	268	310	232	243	221	340	438	452
Meat Preserving... ...	294	510	317	324	320	346	460	308	1,109	971
Sugar Mills and Refineries	2,473	2,846	1,850	2,424	1,921	1,840	2,064	1,614	1,757	1,866
Clothing and Textile Fabrics.—										
Boots and Shoes... ...	2,272	2,273	2,045	2,420	2,806	2,708	3,090	3,420	3,743	3,499
Clothing (Slop)	2,860	2,931	3,312	2,745	2,698	2,655	1,011	1,466	1,777	1,255
Do (Tailoring) ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,843
Hats and Caps	161	147	141	106	74	26	14	10	65	73
Woollen Cloth	182	172	177	172	155	185	203	221	242	232
Dressmaking and Millinery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,749
Building Materials.—										
Bricks	2,959	2,230	2,124	1,874	2,018	1,504	1,357	1,242	1211	1,295
Joinery	1,174	980	1,124	702	978	778	529	341	349	305
Lime, Plaster, &c. ...	262	239	190	177	125	123	...	76	37	51
Marble, Slate, and Stone...	214	221	156	259	314	233	61	147	156	212
Pottery	268	245	273	260	323	202	168	217	228	338
Saw Mills...	3,284	3,254	3,616	3,578	3,788	4,573	3,266	3,257	3,402	3,187

Note.—For the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

* Not collected during these years.

No. 6.—Number of Hands Employed in some of the Principal Industrie 1887–96—*continued.*

Manufactory or Work.	Hands employed.								
	1886-87.	1887-88.	1888-89.	1889-90.	1890-91.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.
Metal Works and Machinery.—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Agricultural Implements.	...	...	...	...	...	113	90	134	118
Iron and Brass Works, Engineering and Machinery	4,375	4,613	4,192	4,413	4,394	3,726	2,264	1,939	2,457
Railway Workshops and Carriage Factories ...	1,736	2,190	2,521	2,229	4,146	2,586	2,488	2,739	2,729
Smelting	726	560	2,009	1,276	1,222	2,354	1,247	1,516	1,626
Wire-working	101	135	83	170	170	269	154	169	152
Ship-building and Repairing, &c.—									
Docks and Slips	232	204	309	413	463	370	440	510	870
Sails and Tarpaulins ...	87	98	69	102	97	122	16	66	47
Ship and Boat Building...	733	483	670	710	515	1,014	934	729	118
Furniture, Bedding, &c.—									
Furniture and Bedding...	1,144	1,142	1,320	1,246	1,064	997	624	716	723
Picture Frames	37	38	52	38	47	27	4	47	30
Window Blinds	72	56	71	64	81	24	9	31	19
Books, Paper, Printing, &c.—									
Paper	60	54	99	66	65	62	62	54	60
Printing and Bookbinding	3,496	3,593	4,055	4,430	3,959	4,207	3,995	4,055	4,446
Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness—									
Coaches and Waggons ...	1,900	1,814	1,978	1,948	1,486	1,999	1,121	1,224	1,136
Saddlery and Harness ...	505	571	567	527	483	552	254	324	247
Light, Fuel, and Heat.—									
Gas	584	611	945	1,059	1,098	1,259	1,638	1,444	1,158
Miscellaneous.—									
Brushes and Baskets and Matting	24	44	47	32	39	36	33	176	163
Dye Works	42	23	42	41	46	41	33	46	47
Boxes and Packing Cases..	37	15	56	92	38	51	30	101	92
Rope	110	118	124	106	133	113	114	119	116
Soap, Candles, and Soap Powder	321	367	397	250	194	257	411	467	454
Tobacco	703	662	715	621	678	532	570	570	645

NOTE.—For the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hand to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

No. 7.—Number of Female Hands Employed, 1887–96.

Manufactory or Work.	1886-87.	1887-88.	1888-89.	1889-90.	1890-91.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Aerated Waters	7	4	24	49	52	29	7	20	48	34
Biscuits	79	91	98	90	140	194	121	101	120	136
Boots and Shoes	416	436	427	465	544	478	661	704	891	840
Clothing (Slop)	1,712	1,851	2,281	2,190	2,036	876	750	1,129	1,395	839
Clothing (Tailoring) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	944
Dressmaking and Millinery...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,707
Confectionery	69	80	76	85	70	108	56	80	117	118
Furniture, Bedding, &c. ...	45	35	37	32	29	42	27	29	32	49
Hats and Caps	45	46	71	36	21	11	5	5	41	50
Jam and Fruit Canning ...	52	15	16	110	53	43	27	84	82	81
Printing and Bookbinding ...	217	287	312	319	427	350	301	296	343	394
Paper Bags and Boxes ...	37	45	49	59	46	71	58	83	119	125
Tobacco	144	156	161	167	172	140	138	141	167	170
Woollen Cloth	78	71	60	62	61	58	59	62	67	70
Other Industries	473	569	653	600	902	570	296	488	424	707
Total	3,374	3,686	4,265	4,264	4,553	2,970	2,506	3,222	3,846	6,264

NOTE.—For the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

No. 8.—Number of Boiling-down Works, Hands Employed, and Quantity of Tallow Produced, Consumed, and Exported, 1887–96.

Year.	Boiling-down Works.	Hands employed.	* Estimated Quantity of Tallow.		
			Produced.	Locally consumed.	Exported.
	No.	No.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.
1886–87	40	172	210,301	110,850	99,451
1887–88	32	121	335,292	143,501	191,791
1888–89	20	127	350,161	175,840	174,321
1889–90	16	140	292,971	141,480	151,491
1890–91	26	273	346,698	123,080	223,618
1892	15	83	436,384	123,053	313,331
1893	59	1,453	840,656	183,065	657,591
1894	64	1,616	1,069,100	221,864	847,236
1895	68	866	1,077,215	282,295	794,920
1896	36	651	570,983	166,929	404,054

NOTE.—For the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

* Production of Tallow.—These figures refer to the total production in all classes of establishments and on stations, and not merely to the output of the boiling-down works enumerated in the tables.

No. 9.—Number of Boot and Shoe Factories, Hands employed, and pairs of Boots and Shoes made, 1887–96.

Year.	Factories.	Hands employed.			Boots and Shoes made.
		Males.	Females.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	Pairs.
1886–87	68	1,856	416	2,272	1,881,210
1887–88	60	1,837	436	2,273	2,278,612
1888–89	57	1,618	427	2,045	2,559,980
1889–90	59	1,955	465	2,420	2,196,815
1890–91	60	2,262	544	2,806	2,634,254
1892	66	2,230	478	2,708	2,500,000
1893	54	2,429	661	3,090	2,545,061
1894	68	2,716	704	3,420	2,611,700
1895	66	2,852	891	3,743	2,721,132
1896	82	2,659	840	3,499	2,567,169

NOTE.—For the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; pri to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

No. 10.—Number of Brickworks, Hands employed, Bricks made, and Power c Plant, 1887–96.

Year.	Brickworks.	Hands employed.	Bricks made.	Horse-power of Plant. (full capacity)
	No.	No.	No.	
1886–87	330	2,959	243,831,000	1,414
1887–88	282	2,230	214,199,000	1,237
1888–89	229	2,124	219,795,000	1,420
1889–90	211	1,874	187,769,000	1,401
1890–91	190	2,018	184,862,000	1,447
1892	94	1,504	115,293,000	1,295
1893	162	1,357	105,442,000	1,166
1894	165	1,242	92,113,000	1,216
1895	163	1,211	99,587,000	980
1896	150	1,295	102,458,753	1,242

NOTE.—For the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

1.—Number of Breweries, Hands Employed, Beer produced, and Power of Plant, 1887–96.

Year.	Breweries.	Hands employed.	Ale, Beer, &c., manufactured.	Horse-power of Plant (full capacity).
	No.	No.	Gallons.	
–87	74	987	*10,000,000	683
–88	75	804	9,300,200	715
–89	79	850	9,515,200	718
–90	76	826	9,619,600	900
–91	71	793	10,594,020	695
... ...	47	745	10,807,200	738
... ...	35	685	9,753,200	692
... ...	54	744	9,508,400	1,051
... ...	54	848	9,821,840	1,244
... ...	57	791	10,177,360	1,222

For the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

* Approximate.

o. 12.—Number of Distilleries, Hands Employed, Molasses used, and Spirit distilled, 1886–95.

Year.	Distilleries.	Hands employed.	Molasses used.	Spirit distilled.
	No.	No.	cwt.	Proof gallons.
–86	1	28	39,380	193,343
–87	1	27	41,098	202,420
–88	1	20	42,941	197,016
–89	1	15	41,144	191,784
–90	2	13	31,000	145,620
–91	1	11	42,084	200,708
... ...	1	11	52,999	235,049
... ...	1	11	66,928	298,626
... ...	1	10	65,166	
... ...	1*	10*	28,880*	

* This establishment ceased working on 1st June, 1895.

No. 13.—Number of Flour Mills, Hands Employed, Quantity of Flour mad and Power and Value of Plant, 1887–96.

Year.	Flour-mills.	Hands employed.	Flour made.	Plant or Machinery.	
				Power (full capacity).	Value.
	No.	No.	Tons.	Horse-power.	£
1887–88	128	599	93,883	2,781	336,800
1888–89	110	628	129,445	2,877	339,260
1889–90	103	635	118,691	2,638	299,230
1890–91	102	594	118,396	2,363	219,588
1892	72	568	83,409	1,936	180,502
1893	87	699	142,000	2,531	351,240
1894	83	696	118,339	3,305	244,365
1895	87	678	131,390	3,611	229,496
1896	81	721	137,350	3,448	241,535

NOTE.—For the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; p to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

No. 14.—Number of Gasworks, Hands Employed, Gas made, and Value a Power of Plant, 1887–96.

Year.	Gas Works.	Hands employed.	Gas made.	Plant or Machinery.	
				Power (full capacity).	Value.
	No.	No.	1,000 cubic feet.	Horse-power.	£
1886-87	28	584	1,051,618	479	.....
1887-88	25	611	1,361,408	436	.....
1888-89	30	945	1,379,150	434	.....
1889-90	30	1,059	1,434,942	406	.....
1890-91	31	1,098	1,512,232	416	*472,52
1892	32	1,259	1,670,944	535	618,02
1893	40	1,638	1,805,812	406	812,06
1894	42	1,444	1,772,557	672	816,85
1895	43	1,158	1,822,243	649	1,229,67
1896	42	621	1,816,613	625	1,195,12

* Reliable information not obtained prior to 1890.

NOTE.—For the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 ha prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands. Also, hands and plant connected with the distribution of gas were incl in the returns down to the year 1895.

Number of Saw Mills, Hands employed, Timber sawn, and Power and Value of Plant, 1887–96.

Year.	Saw Mills.	Hands employed.	Timber Sawn, &c.	Plant or Machinery.	
				Power (full capacity).	Value.
	No.	No.	1,000 Superficial feet, 1 inch thick.	Horse-power.	£
... ...	323	3,284	110,000	5,177	457,362
... ...	322	3,254	125,000	4,894	394,485
... ...	317	3,616	185,000	5,194	410,096
... ...	325	3,578	185,021	5,317	396,166
... ...	346	3,788	201,505	5,735	338,955
... ...	288	4,573	229,696	5,262	274,575
... ...	283	3,266	196,114	4,452	330,170
... ...	299	3,257	173,088	5,101	292,790
... ...	315	3,402	180,000	5,709	275,479
... ...	326	3,187	169,600	5,385	265,020

ie year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

-Number of Soap and Candle Factories, Hands employed, Soap and Candles made, and Power of Plant, 1887–96.

Year.	Soap and Candle Factories.	Hands Employed.	Quantity manufactured.		Horse-power of Plant. (full capacity).
			Soap.	Candles.	
	No.	No.	cwt.	lb.	H.-p.
... ...	46	321	155,430	2,199,282	331
... ...	52	367	190,060	2,442,960	347
... ...	59	397	198,880	2,796,700	503
... ...	30	250	164,800	2,388,440	355
... ...	27	194	143,520	1,545,920	257
... ...	21	257	110,360	3,304,130	409
... ...	51	411	180,576	3,510,155	450
... ...	49	467	204,623	4,785,109	556
... ...	50	476	299,356	4,632,730	661
... ...	43	370	150,373	3,734,050	770

e year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 h to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

No. 17.—Number of Sugar Mills, Hands Employed, Sugar and Molasses ma and Power of Plant, 1887–96.

Year.	Sugar Mills.		Horse-power of Plant (full capacity).		Quantity manufactured.		Ha Empl
	Worked by Steam.	Otherwise Worked.	Steam.	Other	Sugar.	Molasses.	
	No.	No.	H.-p.	H.-p.	cwt.	gallons.	N
1886–87	57	7	2,531	21	275,000	507,000	2,
1887–88	57	7	2,210	26	450,000	880,000	2,
1888–89	36	.....	1,995	.....	225,580	241,088	1,
1889–90	38	2	3,034	10	380,320	494,145	2,
1890–91	31	2	1,344	12	530,660	1,074,080	1,
1892	24	1	3,594	70	485,780	789,230	1,
1893	25	3	3,244	16	478,605	1,079,940	1,
1894	23	2	3,476	...	452,756	1,573,886	1,
1895	23	1	3,430	4	444,261	1,427,458	1,
1896	22	1	3,479	7	571,140	2,520,580	1,

NOTE.—For the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

No. 18.—Number of Sugar Refineries, Hands Employed, Sugar Melted, Power of Plant, 1887–96.

Year.	Sugar Refineries.	Hands Employed.	Sugar Melted.	Horse-p Plant (full capa
	No.	No.	cwt.	H.-p
1886–87	2	214	510,000	156
1887–88	1	200	537,900	300
1888–89	1	210	550,149	250
1889–90	1	230	600,000	250
1890–91	1	300	660,000	350
1892	1	372	772,948	460
1893	2	672	805,058	610
1894	2	440	756,200	650
1895	1	342	801,000	440
1896	1	391	866,000	440

. 19.—Number of Tobacco Factories, Hands Employed, Quantity of Leaf sed, Tobacco, &c., manufactured, and Power and Value of Plant, 1887–96.

Tobacco manufactured from locally-grown leaf.—The figures representing the New South Wales grown leaf obtained by subtracting from the total quantity of tobacco manufactured the weight of the imported leaf used. It is able the figures are too high as ingredients other than tobacco leaf are used in the making of tobacco.

ar.	Establishments.*		Hands employed.		Tobacco Leaf used.		Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes manufactured.			Plant or Machinery.	
	Tobacco.	Cigars and Cigarettes.	Males.	Females	New South Wales grown Leaf.	Imported Leaf.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.	Power (full capacity).	Value.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	lb.	lb.		lb.	£		£
887	13	10	506	156	1,611,527	552,217	Tobacco...	2,147,418	342,289	117	83,650
							Cigars ...	6,057	3,634		
							Cigarettes	10,269	4,621		
888	14	9	554	161	1,463,815	610,485	Tobacco...	2,062,380	309,357	92	63,900
							Cigars ...	3,624	2,174		
							Cigarettes	8,296	3,733		
889	10	4	454	167	1,440,244	545,743	Tobacco...	1,971,394	295,709	91	75,770
							Cigars ...	5,393	3,236		
							Cigarettes	9,200	4,140		
890	9	8	506	172	1,345,620	569,420	Tobacco...	1,892,592	283,890	101	67,842
							Cigars ...	4,120	2,472		
							Cigarettes	18,328	8,246		
891	11	12	449	163	1,403,240	639,148	Tobacco...	1,982,991	305,711	110	65,000
							Cigars ...	3,412	2,047		
							Cigarettes	55,985	24,727		
892	11	11	443	163	1,429,136	617,608	Tobacco...	1,964,624	305,460	111	41,849
							Cigars ...	5,128	3,516		
							Cigarettes	76,992	33,681		
893	11	13	452	142	1,284,582	597,482	Tobacco...	1,776,560	266,500	158	50,850
							Cigars ...	480	290		
							Cigarettes	105,024	47,260		
894	11	12	453	147	1,312,575	540,009	Tobacco...	1,732,496	259,874	191	51,600
							Cigars ...	5,117	3,070		
							Cigarettes	114,971	51,737		
895	12	15	523	177	1,334,924	636,287	Tobacco...	1,833,744	275,062	206	59,500
							Cigars ...	1,024	511		
							Cigarettes	136,443	61,849		
896	11	21	526	188	1,349,776	693,913	Tobacco...	1,857,616	278,642	212	55,700
							Cigars ...	16,553	7,525		
							Cigarettes	169,520	62,158		

addition to the factories enumerated on page 492, several smaller establishments licensed by the Customs Department are here included.

. 20.—Number of Woollen Mills, Hands Employed, Cloth made, and Power of Plant, 1887–96.

Year.	Woollen Mills.	Hands employed.			Woollen Cloth and Tweed manufactured.	Horse-power of Plant (full capacity).
		Males.	Females.	Total.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	yds.	
1886–87	8	104	78	182	324,788	238
1887–88	5	101	71	172	348,000	140
1888–89	5	117	60	177	241,000	153
1889–90	5	110	62	172	207,500	153
1890–91	4	94	61	155	310,000	134
1892	5	127	58	185	202,088	145
1893	5	144	59	203	440,500	141
1894	5	159	62	221	461,000	174
1895	5	175	67	242	613,500	164
1896	5	162	70	232	588,015	170

.—For the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; pri to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupatio 1896.

Note—Piecework.—In the numerous instances in which work is done and paid for as piecework, weekly ra wages have been calculated on the assumption that a week is equal to forty-eight hours' work, and the rates quoted therefore, the amount of wages which would be earned by workmen doing a full week's work.

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.			Occupation.	Maximum.			Minir		
I.—Persons engaged in treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursui													
Boiling-down.													
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s	
Foremen	2	10	0	2	0	0	Tallowmen	2	0	0	1	18	
Offal and bone men... ...	2	5	0	1	5	0	Oilmakers	2	0	0	1	16	
Bone-dust makers	2	0	0	1	16	0							
Tanneries.													
Foremen	4	10	0	2	10	0	Tanners	2	5	0	1	10	
Fleshers	2	5	0	1	16	0	Rollermen	2	10	0	1	10	
Curriers	2	10	0	2	0	0	Yardmen	2	2	0	1	10	
Picklers	2	8	0	1	10	0	Limemen	2	0	0	1	10	
Beamsmen	3	0	0	1	10	0							
*Wool-washing.**													
Foremen	5	0	0	2	5	0	Wooldriers	2	2	0	1	10	
Woolsorters	2	8	0	2	0	0	Woolsoakers...	2	0	0	1	10	
Woolpullers	2	8	0	2	0	0	Skinmen	1	16	0	1	16	
Woolwashers	2	8	0	1	16	0	Bearers and Drivers ...	1	16	0	1	13	
Woolpackers	2	10	0	2	0	0							

* In nearly every instance this work is done by piecework, and the weekly earnings given represent the amou earned on those lines.

II.—Persons engaged in Trades connected with Food and Drink, or the preparatio thereof.

Aërated Waters.													
Foremen	5	0	0	2	10	0	Washers	1	15	0	0	10	
Makers	4	0	0	2	0	0	Wirers	1	15	0	0	15	
Packers	2	0	0	1	10	0	Corkers	1	15	0	0	15	
Bottlers	2	0	0	1	0	0	Labellers	0	15	0	0	8	
Bread, Biscuits, and Confectionery.													
Foremen	4	0	0	2	0	0	Bakers	3	0	0	1	5	
Confectioners, Factory hands—							Forewomen	1	10	0	0	16	
							Biscuit-bakers	3	0	0	1	10	
Males	3	0	0	1	10	0	Boys	1	0	0	0	8	
Females	0	15	0	0	8	0	Girls	0	10	0	0	8	
Breweries.													
Foremen	4	0	0	2	12	6	Bottlers	2	12	6	0	10	
Topmen	2	10	0	1	15	0	Coopers	3	0	0	2	0	
Cellarmen	2	10	0	2	0	0	Draymen	2	10	0	2	0	
Cask-washers	2	10	0	2	0	0	Boys	0	18	0	0	7	
Brewery hands	2	2	0	1	10	0							

Note.—Head brewers at large breweries command salaries ranging from £250 to £800 per annum.

Butter Factories and Creameries.													
Experts at milk-testing ...	4	0	0	2	5	0	Assistants	2	0	0	1	5	
Butter-makers	3	0	0	2	0	0	Boys	1	0	0	0	10	
Condiments.													
Foremen	4	0	0	2	10	0	Labellers and packers ...	1	0	0	0	9	
Mill hands and journeymen	3	0	0	1	15	0	Grinders (boys)	1	0	0	0	9	
Storemen	3	0	0	1	10	0	Girls	0	10	0	0	9	
Forewomen	1	5	0	1	0	0							

21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1896—*continued.*

Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.
PERSONS ENGAGED IN TRADES CONNECTED WITH FOOD AND DRINK, OR THE PREPARATION THEREOF—*continued.*					
Flour and Maize Meal.					
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
... ...	3 10 0	3 0 0	Smutters and Oilmen ...	2 0 0	1 16 0
...rs	2 5 0	2 0 0	Packers	1 16 0	1 10 0
...nen	2 2 6	2 0 0	Purifier men	1 16 0	1 10 0
...s	2 0 0	1 16 0			
...OTE.—In the smaller mills the proprietor usually acts as foreman; in large mills the salary of the foreman miller is a matter of arrangement with the owners, and no standard rate can be given.					
Ice and Refrigerating.					
...en	3 10 0	2 0 0	Journeymen	2 5 0	2 0 0
Jam and Fruit Canning.					
...en	4 0 0	2 10 0	Packers	1 16 0	0 10 0
...ilers	2 5 0	1 10 0	Case-makers	2 0 0	1 5 0
...n	1 15 0	1 10 0	Boys	0 17 6	0 5 0
...rs and tinmakers ...	2 10 0	2 0 0	Women and girls	1 5 0	0 8 0
...rs	0 15 0	0 8 0			
Meat Preserving.					
...t-makers	3 12 0	2 5 6	Butchers	3 10 0	2 10 0
...-makers	2 18 4	2 2 0	Tinsmiths and solderers ...	3 10 0	2 2 0
... ...	3 0 0	2 2 0	Boys	1 0 0	0 10 0
...oods men	2 14 0	2 2 0			
...OTE.—Most of the men employed in Meat Preserving Works are paid by results, and the rates of wages quoted ...nt the amounts usually earned per week. The week in some cases is reckoned as seven days.					
Sugar Mills.					
...ers ... ...ispectors ... ...ts for sugar analysis	Salaried officers.		Foremen labourers	2 10 0	1 15 0
			Labourers	1 15 0	1 10 0
			Steamer hands	3 0 0	1 15 0
...ers and fitters ...	4 10 0	3 0 0	Cane throwers	2 10 0	2 8 0
...n mechanics... ...	4 0 0	3 12 0	Cane cutters...	3 10 0	2 0 0
...nics	4 0 0	2 8 0	Bag sewers	1 15 0	1 10 0
...ilers	3 5 0	3 5 0			
...OTE.—The rates of wages quoted are those paid by the Colonial Sugar Refining Company, Limited. All ...s on daily wages are provided with board and lodging, the estimated value of which is included in the wages ...oted. The regular hours of working are ten per day.					
Vinegar Works.					
...acturers	3 0 0	3 0 0	Bottlers and labellers ...	1 0 0	0 10 0
Yeast Works.					
... ...	2 10 0	2 0 0			
II.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE MANUFACTURE OF CLOTHING AND TEXTILE FABRICS.					
Boots and Shoes.					
...n	3 10 0	2 10 0	Fitters	1 7 6	0 10 0
...e Operators	2 10 0	1 10 0	Tiers-off	0 10 0	0 4 0
... ...	2 5 0	1 10 0	Finishers	2 10 0	1 5 0
...t Clickers	1 5 0	0 12 0	Packers	2 5 0	1 10 0
...tuff Cutters and ...men.	2 10 0	1 5 0	Repairers	2 0 0	1 5 0
			Female Machinists	1 5 0	0 12 6
... ...	2 10 0	1 0 0	„ (Apprentices) ...	0 15 0	0 4 0
... ...	2 0 0	1 0 0	Boys	0 15 0	0 4 0

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupat 1896—*continued.*

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.			Occupation.	Maximum.			Mini
III.—Persons engaged in the Manufacture of Clothing and Textile Fabrics—*conti*											
Clothing.											
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£
Cutters	3	0	0	2	10	0	Machinists	1	10	0	0 1
Foreman	6	0	0	3	0	0	Trimmers	3	0	0	2
Coat-hands, Males	3	10	0	1	10	0	Button-hole Workers ...	2	0	0	1
„ Females ...	1	15	0	0	15	0	Folding hands	3	0	0	1
Trousers-hands, Males ...	3	0	0	2	10	0	Pressers	3	0	0	2
„ Females ...	1	5	0	0	10	0	Examiners	3	0	0	2 1
Vest-hands, Males	2	8	0	2	0	0	Boys	1	0	0	0
„ Females ...	1	2	6	0	10	0					

Note.—Most persons engaged in the tailoring trade are paid by piecework, and a considerable proportion o work, both for clothing factories and shops, is done by the employés at their own homes. In such cases it is difficult to obtain reliable statements of actual weekly earnings, and the rates quoted are, therefore, those pai week to employés constantly at work.

Furriers.

Furriers	2	12	0	2	0	0	Females	1	0	0	0 1
Forewomen	1	5	0	1	0	0	Boys	0	7	6	0

Hats and Caps.

Journeymen...	3	0	0	2	0	0	Girls	1	10	0	0 1
Trimmers	1	5	0	0	10	0					

Note.—The wages quoted must be taken as approximate, the number of people employed at this industry small and the work chiefly piecework.

Oilskin and Waterproof Clothing.

Foremen	3	0	0	2	0	0	Oilers	2	0	0	1 1
Cutters	2	10	0	1	15	0	Machinists	1	2	6	0 1

Note.—The proprietors of the few establishments devoted to this industry generally act as foremen, and in cases as cutters.

Shirtmaking.

Shirt-cutters...	4	0	0	3	0	0	Machinists	1	0	0	0
Forewomen	1	10	0	1	5	0	Button-hole workers ...	0	18	0	0
Fitters	1	0	0	0	10	0	Finishers	0	12	0	0
Blousers	1	0	0	0	10	0					

Note.—Shirt-making is generally carried on by the employés at their own homes, and as payment is m results, the weekly earnings are in some cases below the figures quoted.

Dressmaking, Underclothing, and Millinery.

Forewomen (dressmakers) ...	6	10	0	1	10	0	Machinists	1	10	0	0
Tailors	2	10	0	2	0	0	Forewomen (milliners) ...	3	0	0	2
Tailoresses	1	15	0	0	10	0	Milliners	1	10	0	0
Bodice hands	1	10	0	0	14	0	Improvers	0	12	6	0
General dressmakers ...	1	10	0	0	14	0	Saleswomen	3	10	0	0

Note.—The rates quoted are those paid by large establishments. The wages paid or amounts earned per w smaller establishments vary considerably, as payment is by piece-work.

Woollen Mills.

Foremen	5	0	0	5	0	0	Warpers	1	15	0	1
Carders	3	0	0	2	0	0	Wool-scourers	1	15	0	1
Loom-tuners	3	0	0	1	10	0	Pressmen	2	0	0	1
Wool-sorters	2	5	0	2	5	0	Weavers (females)	1	10	0	0
Finishers	2	5	0	1	10	0	Feeders	0	10	0	0
Dyers	3	0	0	1	0	0	Burlers and pickers... ...	1	0	0	0
Spinners	2	10	0	2	0	0	Boys and girls	0	15	0	0
Millmen	2	0	0	2	0	0					

21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1896—*continued.*

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.			Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
IV.—Persons Engaged in Connection with Building Materials, &c.													
Asphalting and Tar-paving.													
alters	2	2	0	1	16	0	Boys	1	0	0	0	7	0
d-blockers	3	0	0	1	10	0							
Brickworks.													
men	4	0	0	2	8	0	Pressers	2	10	0	1	15	0
diggers and pitmen ...	2	8	0	1	16	0	Burners	3	10	0	2	8	0
nen and grinders ...	2	10	0	1	15	0	Loaders-out	2	10	0	2	0	0
rs	2	8	0	2	0	0	Stackers	2	8	0	2	0	0
tmakers and Moulders...	2	15	0	2	0	0	Carters	2	5	0	1	10	0
Cement.													
rs	3	10	0	3	0	0	Kiln-fillers	2	5	0	2	0	0
ers	2	12	0	2	0	0	Labourers	2	0	0	1	10	0
Note.—Most of the work is done by contract, the men being paid at per ton of cement ground. The figures d represent the average weekly earnings.													
Joinery, Wood-turning, and Carving.													
men	3	12	0	3	0	0	Carvers	3	0	0	1	10	0
ers	2	14	0	2	8	0	Apprentices	1	5	0	0	7	0
ers	2	14	0	1	10	0							
Lime Works.													
men	3	0	0	3	0	0	Lime-drawers	2	8	0	2	0	0
rymen	2	5	0	2	2	0	Burners	2	8	0	2	0	0
e-drivers	2	0	0	1	16	0							
Modelling, Patterns, and Cement and Plaster Decorations.													
ellers	3	0	0	3	0	0	Casters	1	0	0	0	10	0
ers	2	8	0	1	10	0							
Note.—The works, which are small, are generally carried on by the proprietor, assisted by a few youths as ers and casters.													
Monumental and Marble Masons.													
men	3	10	0	2	10	0	Bluestone masons	2	10	0	2	0	0
ptors	3	0	0	2	10	0	Polishers	2	8	0	1	10	0
er cutters and carvers ...	3	0	0	2	8	0	Fixers	2	8	0	1	5	0
ble masons	2	10	0	2	0	0							
Paint and Varnish.													
nists	6	0	0	6	0	0	Manufacturers	5	16	0	2	10	0
men	2	10	0	2	10	0	Labourers	1	16	0	1	10	0
Potteries.													
men	3	10	0	2	8	0	Burners	2	15	0	2	0	0
wers	3	0	0	2	0	0	Clay-getters	2	8	0	1	10	0
-makers...	3	0	0	2	0	0							
Saw Mills.													
men	3	10	0	2	7	6	Measurers	2	10	0	2	0	0
sharpeners	3	0	0	2	0	0	Tailers-out	1	10	0	0	15	0
hers	3	0	0	2	0	0	Labourers	1	16	0	1	10	0
hers' assistants... ...	2	10	0	1	0	0	Draymen	2	10	0	1	10	0
ers	2	10	0	1	15	0							
Quarrying and Stone Crushing.													
nen	3	0	0	3	0	0	Stone-breakers	2	2	0			
rymen	2	5	0	2	2	0	Stone-feeders	2	0	0			
ne	2	10	0	2	0	0							

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupat 1896—*continued.*

I (*a*), II (*a*), III (*a*), and IV (*a*).—Miscellaneous Trades.

Note.—In order to avoid unnecessary repetition, artisans and others employed at the various factories or w given under Classes I, II, III, and IV, who are not identified with any one particular industry, are included under heading.

Occupation.	Maximum. £	s.	d.	Minimum. £	s.	d.
Engine-drivers	3	12	0	2	0	0
Firemen	2	10	0	2	0	0
Fitters	3	0	0	2	10	0
Machinists	3	0	0	2	10	0
Foremen Carpenters ...	3	12	0	3	0	0
Carpenters and Joiners ...	3	0	0	2	0	0
Sawyers	2	14	0	2	8	0
Foremen bricklayers ...	3	12	0	3	0	0
Bricklayers	3	0	0	2	14	0
Foremen Masons	3	12	0	3	0	0
Masons	3	0	0	2	14	0
Plasterers	2	14	0	2	8	0
Polishers	2	14	0	2	8	0
Coopers	2	14	0	2	5	0
Tinsmiths	2	15	0	2	[illegible]	
Painters	2	15	0	1	[illegible]	
Slaters	2	16	0	2	[illegible]	
Plumbers	3	0	0	2	[illegible]	
Blacksmiths	3	5	0	2	[illegible]	
Brassfinishers	3	0	0	2	[illegible]	
Watchmen	2	0	0	1	[illegible]	
Time-keepers	2	2	0	1	[illegible]	
Foremen Labourers... ...	2	14	0	2	[illegible]	
General Labourers	2	2	0	1	[illegible]	
Carters	2	10	0	1	[illegible]	
Apprentices	1	16	0	0	[illegible]	
Boys...	0	10	0	0	[illegible]	

Note.—In all Government contracts a minimum rate of wages to be paid is set out, forty-eight hours b considered as a week's work. On it being proved that any contractor, or in the event of any portion of the work b sub-let, any sub-contractor, is paying a lower rate than has been set out, the Minister has the power to cancel contract. The minimum rates to be paid are decided according to the locality and other circumstances affecting particular contract. No standard rates for general use have been fixed.

V.—Persons engaged in Engineering, Metal Works, &c.

Occupation.	Maximum. £	s.	d.	Minimum. £	s.	d.
Foremen	5	0	0	3	0	0
Engineers and Draftsmen ...	3	0	0	2	10	0
Machinists	3	0	0	2	5	0
Turners and Fitters... ...	3	0	0	2	12	0
Blacksmiths	3	5	0	2	0	0
Strikers	2	0	0	1	10	0
Ironmoulders	3	5	0	2	0	0
Irondressers	2	8	0	1	18	0
Furnacemen...	2	8	0	1	15	0
Pattern-makers	3	0	0	2	14	0
Boiler-makers	2	16	0	2	14	0
Riveters	2	16	0	2	14	0
Coppersmiths	3	5	0	2	10	0
Brassmoulders	3	5	0	2	0	0
Brassfinishers	3	5	0	2	0	0
Tinsmiths	2	17	0	1	10	0
Plumbers and Gasfitters ...	2	14	0	2	8	0
Painters	2	15	0	1	15	0
Wheelwrights	3	0	0	2	[illegible]	
Bolt-screwers	2	8	0	2	[illegible]	
Stove-fitters	2	15	0	2	[illegible]	
Galvanisers	3	5	0	2	[illegible]	
Wire-workers	2	10	0	2	[illegible]	
Cutlers and Grinders ...	2	10	0	1	[illegible]	
Japanners	2	15	0	2	[illegible]	
Engine-drivers	2	10	0	1	[illegible]	
Firemen	2	10	0	1	[illegible]	
Bricklayers	3	0	0	2	[illegible]	
Carpenters	2	14	0	2	[illegible]	
Labourers	2	2	0	1	[illegible]	
Carters	2	5	0	1	[illegible]	
Storekeepers...	3	8	0	1	[illegible]	
Time-keepers	2	6	0	1	[illegible]	
Apprentices	1	10	0	0	[illegible]	
Boys	0	10	0	0	[illegible]	

VI.—Persons engaged in Ship-building, Repairing, &c.

Ship-building, Docks, &c.

Occupation.	Maximum. £	s.	d.	Minimum. £	s.	d.
Foremen	7	0	0	3	0	0
Shipwrights	3	12	0	2	8	0
Boilermakers and Riveters...	3	4	0	2	14	0
Pattern-makers	2	18	0	2	5	0
Bolt-screwers	2	8	0	2	5	0
Ship-joiners	3	0	0	2	[illegible]	
Marine Opticians	3	0	0	2	[illegible]	
Ship's Compasses, Sextants, and Barometer Repairers	3	0	0	2	[illegible]	

Sails and Tarpaulins.

Occupation.	Maximum. £	s.	d.	Minimum. £	s.	d.
Foremen	3	0	0	2	10	0
Journeymen...	2	16	0	1	10	0
Machinists (Males)... ...	2	10	0	1	10	0
Forewomen	1	10	0	1	[illegible]	
Machinists (Females) ...	1	0	0	0	[illegible]	
Apprentices (Males) ...	0	18	0	0	[illegible]	

o. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1896—*continued.*

VII.—Persons engaged in the Manufacture of Furniture, Bedding, &c.

Occupation.	Maximum. £	s.	d.	Minimum. £	s.	d.
Foremen	5	0	0	3	5	0
Machinists	2	16	0	2	10	0
Cabinet-makers	2	17	0	1	15	0
Polishers	2	11	0	2	0	0
Chair-makers	2	17	0	2	5	0
Chair-fitters	2	12	0	2	0	0
Wood-carvers	3	0	0	2	10	0
Wood-turners	3	0	0	2	5	0
Upholsterers	2	17	0	2	0	0
Upholsteresses	1	5	0	0	15	0
Seamstresses...	1	5	0	0	15	0
Hair and Flock hands ...	2	2	0	1	15	0
Mattress-makers	2	15	0	2	0	0
Mount-cutters	3	0	0	1	16	0
Frame-makers	2	12	0	1	7	6
Gilders	2	12	0	1	7	6
Fitters	1	16	0	1	0	0
Girls	1	0	0	0	10	0
Venetian blind makers ...	2	10	0	2	0	0
Venetian blind painters ...	2	0	0	1	10	0
Billiard-table makers ...	2	14	0	2	14	0
Ivory turners	3	0	0	3	0	0
Packers	2	15	0	2	5	0
Improvers	2	0	0	0	10	0
Storemen	2	5	0	1	15	0
Undertaker's hands ...	2	10	0	2	0	0
Labourers	2	0	0	1	10	0
Apprentices	1	12	0	0	12	0
Boys	1	10	0	0	5	0

Note.—The number of Chinese engaged in the manufacture of furniture in Sydney is not so large as formerly, the introduction of modern machinery enabling manufacturers to successfully compete with them. No reliable information is obtainable as to the wages paid in the Chinese shops, most of the work done there being piecework.

VIII.—Persons engaged in Printing, Lithographing Establishments, &c.

Occupation.	Maximum. £	s.	d.	Minimum. £	s.	d.
Readers	4	0	0	2	15	0
Readers' Assistants... ...	2	0	0	0	15	0
Compositors, Jobbing Offices—						
Foreman...	4	0	0	3	0	0
Journeymen	3	10	0	2	12	0
Apprentices	1	5	0	0	8	0
Compositors, Newspaper Offices—						
Foremen...	7	0	0	4	10	0
Journeymen—						
Morning papers ...	0	1	1	per 1,000 ems.		
Evening papers ...	0	1	0			
Linotype Operators ...	0	0	3			
Letter-press Machinists—						
Foremen...	6	0	0	4	0	0
Journeymen	4	0	0	2	12	0
Improvers	2	6	0	1	10	0
Apprentices	1	5	0	0	7	6
Stereotypers—						
Foremen...	5	0	0	3	10	0
Journeymen	2	5	0	2	0	0
Electrotypers—						
Foremen...	3	10	0	3	0	0
Journeymen	3	0	0	2	12	0
Engravers	5	0	0	2	0	0
Lithographers—						
Foremen...	5	0	0	3	10	0
Journeymen	3	10	0	2	12	0
Improvers	1	10	0	1	0	0
Apprentices	1	5	0	0	6	0
Artists and Illuminators ...	5	0	0	3	0	0
" apprentices... ...	1	5	0	0	7	6
Rulers	3	10	0	2	12	0
Folders	1	7	6	0	8	0
General hands	1	16	0	1	5	0
Bookbinders—						
Foremen...	4	10	0	3	0	0
Rulers	4	0	0	2	10	0
Binders	3	5	0	2	12	0
Finishers...	4	0	0	2	12	0
Booksewers (Females) ..	1	10	0	0	10	0
Bookfolders " ...	1	7	6	0	6	0
Apprentices	1	5	0	0	6	0
Rubber Stamp Makers ...	2	2	0	2	0	0
Paper Boxes and Bags—						
Foremen	2	0	0	1	16	0
Forewomen	1	10	0	1	0	0
Boys and Girls	1	0	0	0	5	0

IX.—Persons engaged in the Manufacture of Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness.

Coach-building.

Occupation.	Maximum. £	s.	d.	Minimum. £	s.	d.
Foremen	3	10	0	2	10	0
Carpenters	3	5	0	2	2	0
Bodymakers...	3	0	0	2	0	0
Wheelwrights	3	0	0	2	0	0
Blacksmiths...	3	0	0	2	0	0
Strikers	1	10	0	1	0	0
Vicemen	2	5	0	1	10	0
Trimmers	3	5	0	2	0	0
Painters	3	0	0	2	0	0
Labourers	1	16	0	1	0	0
Improvers	1	16	0	0	15	0
Apprentices	1	10	0	0	5	0
Boys	0	15	0	0	5	0

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupatio 1896—*continued.*

Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Occupation.	Maximum.	Minim
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s
IX.—Persons engaged in the Manufacture of Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness—conti					
Saddlery and Harness.					
Foremen	4 0 0	3 0 0	Bagmakers	2 14 0	2 8
Saddlemakers	3 0 0	2 0 0	General hands	2 10 0	1 10
Harnessmakers	3 0 0	2 0 0	Female hands	1 10 0	1 (
Collarmakers	3 0 0	2 0 0	Apprentices	1 0 0	0 !
Strap hands	2 5 0	1 10 0			
X.—Persons engaged in the Production of Light, Fuel, Heat, &c.					
Electric Light Works.					
Foremen	3 10 0	3 0 0	Electricians	3 10 0	2 (
Engineers	4 10 0	2 10 0	Installing Workmen ...	2 10 0	2 (
Gas Works.					
Foremen	6 0 0	3 10 0	Main-layers	2 15 0	1 1
Stokers and Firemen ...	2 18 0	2 7 0	Service-layers	2 15 0	1 1
Fitters	3 6 0	2 9 6	Lamplighters	1 12 0	1 1
Plumbers	2 15 0	2 15 0			
Fuel.					
Foremen	2 10 0	2 0 0	Carters	2 0 0	1 1
Sawyers and Yardsmen ...	2 0 0	1 10 0	Boys	1 0 0	0
XI.—Persons engaged in Miscellaneous Trades.					
Basket-making.					
Basket-makers	1 10 0	1 5 0	Apprentices and Boys ...	0 10 0	0
Box and Packing Case Making.					
Foremen	3 0 0	3 0 0	Engine-drivers	2 8 0	2
Boxmakers	2 8 0	2 5 0	Carters	2 0 0	2
Sawyers	2 10 0	2 5 0	Boys	1 10 0	0
Machinists	2 8 0	2 8 0			
Broom-making.					
Broom-makers	1 15 0	1 5 0	Sorters	0 15 0	0
Broom-sewers	1 10 0	1 0 0			
Brush-making.					
Male Hands	2 0 0	1 5 0	Boys	0 15 0	0
Female Hands	1 0 0	0 10 0			
Dye Works.					
Dyers	2 10 0	1 15 0	Pressers (Women)	1 6 0	1
Pressers (Men)	2 2 0	2 0 0	Feather Curlers	1 6 0	1
Explosives.					
Foremen	3 0 0	2 10 0	Cartridge Fillers	2 5 0	1
Mixers	2 8 0	2 5 0			

21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1896—*continued.*

Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
XI.—Persons engaged in Miscellaneous Trades—*continued.*					
Glass Bottle Works.					
men	4 0 0	3 0 0	Glass-cutters	3 0 0	3 0 0
s-blowers	3 12 0	2 8 0	Boys	1 2 0	0 8 0
Ornamental Glass Works.					
its	3 10 0	3 0 0	Glaziers	2 10 0	2 0 0
ers	3 0 0	2 5 0	Polishers	2 8 0	2 0 0
llers	3 0 0	2 5 0	Assistants	1 5 0	0 15 0
Hairdressing and Wig Making.					
dressers	3 0 0	2 0 0	Apprentices	1 10 0	0 5 0
makers	3 10 0	2 10 0			
Mat-making.					
men	2 0 0	2 0 0	Mat-makers (Boys)... ...	0 12 0	0 7 0
makers (Adults) ...	1 10 0	1 10 0			
Photography.					
ators	4 0 0	2 0 0	Finishers (Girls)	1 0 0	0 10 0
ters	3 0 0	1 5 0	Retouchers (males)... ...	2 10 0	1 5 0
stants	1 10 0	0 5 0	do (females) ...	1 5 0	0 10 0
Rope Works.					
men	4 10 0	4 0 0	Hand-spinners	1 16 0	1 13 0
s-layers	2 8 0	2 2 0	Machinists	1 10 0	0 18 0
ers	2 0 0	2 0 0	Jenny boys	0 15 0	0 8 0
Rubber Works.					
neymen	3 0 0	2 0 0	Boys	1 0 0	0 10 0
Soap and Candle Works.					
men	4 10 0	2 5 0	Coopers	2 14 0	2 10 0
rine and Candle Makers	3 0 0	1 5 0	General hands	2 0 0	1 16 0
lders	1 7 0	0 12 0	Packers	1 7 0	0 10 0
-boilers	4 0 0	2 5 0	Boys and Girls	1 5 0	0 7 0
" Assistants ...	2 2 0	1 10 0			
Tobacco Works.					
men	5 0 0	3 0 0	Plug-coverers	3 0 0	1 10 0
neymen...	2 15 0	1 10 0	Stemmers and Strippers ...	1 10 0	0 10 0
ral hands (Males) ...	2 10 0	1 10 0	Packers	1 15 0	0 10 0
" (Females) ...	1 17 6	0 15 0	Box-makers	3 0 0	1 10 0
ters	3 0 0	1 10 0	Machinists	2 12 0	2 0 0
sers	2 10 0	0 15 0			
Umbrella-making.					
s	2 10 0	1 0 0	Females	1 10 0	0 15 0
Watchmaking, Jewellery, &c.					
men Watchmakers ...	5 0 0	2 10 0	Opticians (Males)	2 15 0	2 10 0
Jewellers	5 0 0	1 10 0	" (Females) ...	2 2 0	1 19 0
s-setters	5 0 0	4 0 0	Polishers	2 0 0	1 5 0
ument-makers	4 10 0	3 12 0			
Fire Brigade Employés (City).					
nen	3 10 0	3 10 0	Firemen	3 0 0	2 5 0
ncers	3 8 0	3 8 0	Probationers...	2 0 0	2 0 0
tant Officer	3 3 6	3 3 6			

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupati 1896—*continued.*

XI (*a*).—Persons engaged in Mining.

Coal-mines.

The rates of pay given here were those ruling in 1896 for work actually done. It does not follow that the m and other hands were able to secure anything like regular employment at those rates.

Occupation.	Northern Mines. Maximum. £	s.	d.	Minimum. £	s.	d.
	per ton.					
Miners	0	2	11	0	2	11
	per day.					
Overmen (underground) ...	0	13	0	0	10	0
Deputy Overmen	0	9	6	0	8	0
Shiftmen	0	9	0	0	8	0
Onsetters	0	8	0	0	6	6
Banksmen	0	7	0	0	6	6
Screenmen	0	7	6	0	3	0
Mechanics	0	10	0	0	8	6
Engineers	0	12	0	0	9	0
Engine-drivers	0	9	0	0	9	0
Enginemen and Firemen ..	0	7	6	0	6	0
Screen-overmen	0	9	0	0	7	0
Overmen (overground) ...	0	9	0	0	8	6
Locomotive-engine stokers ...	0	7	6	0	6	6
Platelayers	0	8	6	0	6	6
Furnacemen...	0	8	0	0	7	6
Harness-makers	0	8	0	0	8	0
Packers	0	3	0	0	1	9
Wheelers	0	7	6	0	5	0
Water bailers	0	8	0	0	7	0
Horse-drivers	0	8	0	0	5	0
Stablemen	0	7	6	0	7	0
Labourers	0	7	0	0	6	0
Flatters	0	7	6	0	7	0
Trappers	0	3	6	0	3	0
Boys	0	5	0	0	2	3

Occupation.	Southern Mi Maximum. £	s.	d.	Mini £
	per ton.			
Miners	0	2	0	0
	per day.			
Overmen (underground) ...	0	13	0	0
Deputy Overmen	0	9	6	0
Shiftmen	0	8	0	0
Onsetters	0	8	0	0
Banksmen	0	7	6	0
Screenmen	0	7	6	0
Mechanics	0	10	6	0
Engineers	0	9	0	0
Engine-drivers	0	9	0	0
Enginemen and Firemen ...	0	8	0	0
Screen-overmen	.....			..
Overmen (overground) ...	.....			..
Locomotive-engine stokers ...	0	7	0	0
Platelayers	0	9	0	0
Furnacemen...	0	7	0	0
Harness-makers	0	8	6	0
Packers	0	6	6	0
Wheelers	0	8	0	0
Water-bailers	0	8	0	0
Horse-drivers	0	8	0	0
Stablemen	0	8	0	0
Labourers	0	6	6	0
Flatters	0	7	6	0
Trappers	0	4	0	0
Boys	0	3	6	0

Note.—The Union rules fix 43½ hours as the maximum working hours per week for miners, and 48 hour those engaged in mechanical trades about the mines. The actual time worked during 1896 did not average more 32 hours for miners and 45 hours for mechanical trades.

Silver Mines, Broken Hill District.

Mechanics and Surface Hands—	Per day.					
Engineers...	0	10	6	0	9	0
Masons and Bricklayers...	0	10	6	0	10	0
Carpenters	0	10	6	0	9	0
Blacksmiths	0	10	6	0	9	0
Blacksmiths' Strikers ..	0	7	6	0	7	6
Engine-drivers, Stationary	0	9	0	0	8	0
" Hoisting...	0	10	0	0	9	0
Firemen	0	9	0	0	8	4
Firemen's Assistants ...	0	8	4	0	5	0
Boilermakers	0	10	6	0	9	0
Tinsmiths...	0	10	0	0	10	0
Horse-drivers (exclusive of time occupied in cleaning and harnessing) ...	0	8	4	0	8	0

Mechanics and Surface Hands—*continued.*	Per day.			
Labourers...	0	7	6	0
Boys	0	7	6	0
Tappers	0	9	0	0
Slag-wheelers	0	8	4	0
Feeders	0	9	0	0
Charge-wheelers	0	8	4	0
Underground Hands—				
Miners	0	9	0	0
Brace and Platmen ...	0	8	4	0
Truckers	0	7	6	0
Ore-dressing Hands—				
Shift washers	0	9	0	0
Engine-drivers, Stationary	0	9	0	0

Note.—Wages are calculated at per day of eight hours. All time worked over eight hours per day is paid the rate of time and a quarter (Sundays not excepted).

l.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1896—*continued.*

XI (*b*).—Persons Engaged on Railways and Tramways.

Salaried Staff.

Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.
	per annum.			per annum.	
	£	£		£	£
-masters	400	150	Operators	200	60
-in-charge	220	130	Clerks	450	125
Officers	185	120	Junior Clerks	120	30

Wages Staff.

	Maximum.			Minimum.				Maximum.			Minimum.		
	per day.							per day.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
otive Engine-drivers..	0	15	0	0	11	0	Carriage and Waggon Examiners	0	13	0	0	7	6
Firemen ...	0	10	0	0	8	0	Carpenters	0	13	0	0	7	6
Cleaners ...	0	10	0	0	4	0	Painters	0	12	0	0	8	0
... ...	0	15	0	0	8	0	Stationary Engine-drivers...	0	10	6	0	7	6
s	0	12	8	0	8	0	Fuelmen	0	9	0	0	6	6
ists	0	12	0	0	7	0	Oilers	0	8	0	0	5	0
makers	0	14	0	0	8	0	Pumpers	0	10	0	0	6	0
makers' Assistants ...	0	8	6	0	6	6	Guards	0	12	0	0	8	6
ers	0	14	0	0	8	0	Assistant Guards	0	8	6	0	8	0
miths	0	16	0	0	8	0	Porters	0	10	0	0	6	0
s	0	8	2	0	6	6	Junior Porters	0	5	0	0	2	6
ths	0	11	8	0	9	8	Signalmen	0	11	6	0	7	6
-makers	0	16	0	0	10	0	Shunters	0	11	0	0	7	0
ers	0	12	0	0	6	6	Gangers	0	12	0	0	8	6
ge and Waggon ilders	0	14	6	0	8	0	Fettlers and Labourers ...	0	9	0	0	6	6

XI (*c*).—Persons engaged in Shipping.

	Maximum.			Minimum.				Maximum.			Minimum.		
	per month.							per month.					
fficers (Steamers) ...	15	0	0	10	0	0	Firemen	8	0	0	8	0	0
(Sailing Vessels)	8	0	0	6	10	0	Boatswains	7	0	0	7	0	0
Officers (Steamers)	12	0	0	10	0	0	Seamen (Steamers)... ...	6	0	0	6	0	0
(Sailing Vessels)	6	0	0	5	0	0	„ (Sailing Vessels) ...	4	0	0	3	5	0
Officers (Steamers) ...	10	0	0	9	0	0	Trimmers	6	0	0	6	0	0
Engineers	22	0	0	18	0	0	Sea Cooks	11	0	0	5	0	0
Engineers	16	0	0	14	10	0	Chief Stewards	12	0	0	10	0	0
Engineers	13	10	0	12	10	0	Assistant Stewards	5	0	0	3	0	0
Engineers	11	0	0	10	10	0							
	per hour							per hour.					
Labourers and mpers	0	1	0	0	0	10	Wharf Labourers and Lumpers (Overtime) ...	0	1	6	0	1	0
	per week.												
Labourers & Lumpers nstant hands) ...	2	5	0	2	2	0							

-The rates quoted for steamers are those paid by owners belonging to the Steamship Owners' Association of Australasia. Some owners of small steamers pay lower rates, and on ships trading with the islands and foreign parts the monthly rates paid to seamen range from £3 15s. to £3.

No. 21.—Rates [illegible] REGISTER.

[illegible] week in various Trades and Occup[illegible]
[illegible]—*continued.*

Occupation.	Minimum.			Maximum.			Occupation.	Minimum.			Maximum.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
[illegible] ENGAGED IN OTHER OCCUPATIONS.													
Coaching.													
The [illegible] and other [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	0	1	16	0	Grooms	1	10	0	1	[illegible]	
	[illegible]	[illegible]	0	1	10	0	Omnibus Drivers	2	[illegible]	0	1	[illegible]	
	[illegible]	[illegible]	0	2	2	0	Omnibus Conductors ...	0	12	0	[illegible]		
Attendance and Service.													
Miner[illegible]							Females.						
Over[illegible]	1	5	0	0	15	0	Barmaids	1	2	6	[illegible]		
Dep[illegible]	1	0	0	0	15	0	Cooks	1	[illegible]	0	[illegible]		
Sh[illegible]	1	5	0	0	15	0	General Servants ...	0	15	0	[illegible]		
O[illegible] ...	3	0	0	0	15	0	House and Parlour Maids	0	12	0	0		
B[illegible] ...	0	16	0	0	10	0	Laundresses	1	0	0	[illegible]		
S[illegible] ...	1	5	0	0	15	0	Nursemaids	0	10	0	[illegible]		
N[illegible] [illegible]urers ...	0	15	0	0	10	0	Waitresses	0	15	0	0		
[illegible] ...	0	15	0	0	8	0							
[illegible] ...	1	0	0	0	15	0							

NOTE.—Board and Lodging is provided in addition to the wages quoted.

Shop Assistants.

[illegible]	3	10	0	2	0	0	Females—						
[illegible]	3	0	0	1	10	0	Milliners...	3	0	0	[illegible]		
[illegible]	2	15	0	1	10	0	Drapers	2	0	0	0		
[illegible]	3	10	0	1	10	0	General	2	0	0	0		
[illegible]	2	5	0	1	10	0	Girls	0	5	0	[illegible]		
[illegible]	0	10	0	0	7	0							

[illegible] At the Abattoirs butchers are paid by piecework, and, when in full employment, [illegible] of which [illegible] have [illegible] to pay an assistant. [illegible] shops, [illegible] coal and [illegible], are in addition to the wages here quoted [illegible] working hours, with tea.

Municipal Employés (City).

[illegible]	3	6	0	2	14	0	Carters	3	[illegible]		[illegible]		
[illegible]	3	6	0	2	15	0	Inspectors of Wood-block[illegible]	2	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		
[illegible]	3	15	0	2	14	0	House Inspectors	2	[illegible]	[illegible]	2		
[illegible] drivers	3	6	0	3	6	0	Park Rangers	2	5	[illegible]	2		
[illegible]men	2	10	0	2	2	0	*Watchmen	2	[illegible]	[illegible]	2		
Masons	3	0	0	3	0	0	Bailiffs	2	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		
Plumbers	3	0	0	2	8	0	Messengers	2	[illegible]	[illegible]	2		
Blacksmiths	3	0	0	2	2	0	Tar-pavers and Asphalters...	2	2	[illegible]	2		
Carpenters	3	0	0	2	14	0	Street Cleaners	2	2		2		
Gangers	3	0	0	2	5	0	Metal Gatherers	[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]		
Labourers	2	2	0	2	2	0							

* Working 7 days [illegible]

VI (c). PERSONS ENGAGED IN AGRICULTURAL AND PASTORAL PURSUITS.

Boundary Rider ...	0	17	6	0	15	0	Farm Labourers	[illegible]					
Bullock Carpenters	1	0	0	0	15	0	Makers	[illegible]					
Cook (station)	2	0	0	1	0	0							
	per 100 sheep.												
Shearers	1	0	0	0	17	6							
	per annum.							per annum					
	£			£				£					
Married Couple (wife, cook) (husband, [illegible])	60			50			Stockmen	52					
	75			60			Vignerons	52					

[illegible] Except in the case of shearers, board and lodging, or rations, are provided in addition to the rates quoted.

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Section 1.—POPULATION.

Census, 1891.—The Census was taken on the night of the 5th April, 1891, under authority of Act 54 Vic., No. 31. plete information regarding the Census see "Census Report" and Nine Parts, which are as follow:—Part 1, Ages; Education; Part 3, Conjugal Condition; Part 4, Religions; Part 5, Birthplaces; Part 6, Sickness and Infirmity; Habitations; Part 8, Occupations; Part 9, Miscellaneous.

No. 1.—Population at each Official Enumeration, 1821 to 1891.

Date of Enumeration.	Population.			Increase since previous Census.	Annual Increase per cent.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
—(Muster only)	21,541	8,121	29,662	.....	.....
—November	27,611	8,987	36,598	6,936	3·05
—2nd September	44,644	16,150	60,794	24,196	10·68
"	55,539	21,557	77,096	16,302	8·24
—2nd March	87,298	43,558	130,856	53,760	12·47
"	114,769	74,840	189,609	58,753	7·70
—1st March*	109,643	81,356	190,999	1,390	0·15
"	150,488	119,234	269,722	78,723	7·15
—7th April	198,488	152,372	350,860	81,138	5·40
—2nd "	275,551	228,430	503,981	153,121	3·69
—3rd "	411,149	340,319	751,468	247,487	4·08
—5th "	612,562	519,672	1,132,234	380,766	4·18

* This being the year of the separation of the Colony of Victoria, the population of the District then known as Port s not included in the figures here presented.

Separation of Victoria and Queensland.—The figures in the above table are for what constituted New South Wales of the dates given, so that what are now Victoria and Queensland are included in the total for each year prior to the on of these Colonies. Victoria was separated from New South Wales on the 1st July, 1851, and Queensland on the cember, 1859.

Census Report.—For particulars of the Muster of 1821, and the eleven Censuses which followed, see the Statis- Report on the Census of 1891.

No. 2.—Population at the Census, 5th April, 1891.

Population.	Males.	Females.	Total.
tal Population (exclusive of Chinese and Aborigines)...	594,448	515,350	1,109,798
ese—			
Full-blood	13,133	156	13,289
Half-castes	422	445	867
	13,555	601	14,156
igines—			
Full-blood	2,896	2,201	5,097
Half-castes	1,663	1,520	3,183
	4,559	3,721	8,280
Total Population on the night of the 5th April, 1891	612,562	519,672	1,132,234

No. 3.—Population in Districts, Census Years 1861–91.

Census Year.		Metropolitan. Sydney.	Metropolitan. Suburbs.	Metropolitan. Total.	Country Districts.	Lord Howe Island.	Shipping.	Total
1861	Males	27,657	18,556	46,213	150,433	No Census taken.	1,842	198,
	Females	29,183	19,760	48,943	103,361		68	152,
	Total	56,840	38,316	95,156	253,794		1,910	350,
1871	Males	36,226	30,481	66,707	206,486		2,356	275,
	Females	38,340	32,539	70,879	157,507		44	228,
	Total	74,566	63,020	137,586	363,993		2,402	503,
1881	Males	51,242	61,521	112,763	205,227		3,159	411,
	Females	42,910	62,266	112,176	228,075		68	340,
	Total	100,152	124,787	224,939	523,302		3,227	751,
1891	Males	57,904	135,853	193,757	413,436	30	5,309	612,
	Females	49,765	139,834	189,599	329,708	25	340	519,
	Total	107,669	275,717	383,356	743,144	55	5,649	1,132,

No. 4.—Population in Divisions, Census Years 1881 and 1891.

Division.	1881. Males.	1881. Females.	1881. Total.	1891. Males.	1891. Females.	1891. Total.	Increase. Males.	Increase. Females.	Increase. Total.	Increase per cent. per annum.	T Inc o
Eastern Division—											
Metropolitan ..	112,763	112,176	224,939	193,787	189,599	383,386	81,024	77,423	158,447	5·48	
Outside Metropolitan	235,636	193,066	428,702	313,512	265,689	579,201	77,876	72,623	150,499	3·05	
Central Division ..	43,692	28,299	72,191	61,777	43,161	104,938	17,885	14,862	32,747	3·81	
Western Division ..	15,699	6,710	22,409	38,147	20,858	59,005	22,448	14,148	36,596	10·17	1
Lord Howe Island ..	Census not taken.			30	25	55	30	25	55	No Cens	
Shipping	3,159	68	3,227	5,309	340	5,649	2,150	272	2,422	5·76	
Total ..	411,149	340,319	751,468	612,562	519,672	1,132,234	201,413	179,353	380,766	4·18	

Lord Howe Island.—This island (situated 436 miles N.E. of Sydney) is a dependency of New South Wales.

Aborigines.—The aboriginal population for the Census years cannot be compared, as the number enumerat 1881 only included those who were civilized or in contact with Europeans.

Chinese.—In 1881 the Chinese numbered males, 10,141; females, 64; total, 10,205; and in 1891, males, females, 601; total, 14,156—which shows an increase of males, 3,414; females 537; total, 3,951.

No. 5.—Population in Divisions at the Census of 1891.

Classification.	Eastern Division. Metropolitan.	Eastern Division. Outside Metropolitan.	Central Division.	Western Division.	Lord Howe Island.	Shipping.	Total
General Population—(exclusive of Chinese and Aborigines).							
Males	190,298	304,539	58,244	35,936	30	5,180	594,
Females	189,403	263,479	42,171	19,933	25	339	517,
	379,641	568,399	100,405	55,869	55	5,519	1,129,
Chinese (Full-blood)—							
Males	3,424	6,212	2,336	1,032	.....	129	13,
Females	79	49	21	6	.....	1	1
	3,503	6,261	2,357	1,038	.....	130	13,
Do (Half-castes)—							
Males	70	245	72	35	.....	.....	
Females	69	280	65	31	.....	.....	
	139	525	137	66	.....	.....	
Aborigines (Full-blood)—							
Males	34	1,350	607	905	.....	.....	2,
Females	19	1,062	412	708	.....	.....	2,
	53	2,412	1,019	1,613	.....	.....	5,
Do (Half-castes)							
Males	21	875	528	239	.....	.....	1,
Females	29	819	492	180	.....	.....	1,
	50	1,694	1,020	419	.....	.....	3,
Total Population—							
Males	193,787	313,512	61,777	38,147	30	5,309	612,
Females	189,599	265,689	43,161	20,858	25	340	519,
Total	383,386	579,201	104,938	59,005	55	5,649	1,132,

No. 6.—Population of Municipalities at the Census of 1891.

ipality.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Average number of Persons per occupied house.	Municipality.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Average number of Persons per occupied house.
METROPOLITAN.									
Sydney...	57,892	49,760	107,652	6·01	Manly	1,471	1,765	3,236	5·56
dria ...	4,023	3,482	7,505	4·88	Marrickville ...	6,535	6,972	13,507	5·22
...	5,356	6,341	11,697	5·37	Newtown ...	8,734	9,136	17,870	4·96
...	11,726	11,749	23,475	5·15	North Sydney ...	8,192	8,914	17,106	5·19
...	1,139	921	2,060	5·08	Paddington ...	8,852	9,540	18,392	5·28
North...	1,390	1,017	2,407	5·09	Petersham ...	4,832	5,537	10,369	5·18
d ...	2,731	3,496	6,227	5·52	Randwick ...	3,108	3,128	6,236	6·27
down ...	3,373	3,285	6,658	5·31	Redfern ...	10,952	10,370	21,322	5·41
ury ...	1,322	1,104	2,426	5·02	Rockdale ...	2,477	2,431	4,908	5·18
l ...	1,093	1,014	2,107	4·88	Ryde	1,756	1,469	3,225	4·71
ton ...	1,750	1,715	3,465	5·15	St. Peter's ...	2,460	2,400	4,860	5·14
oyne ...	709	742	1,451	5·07	Strathfield ...	818	1,002	1,820	5·65
... ...	1,003	1,047	2,050	5·35	Waterloo ...	4,425	4,276	8,701	5·00
ck ...	606	644	1,250	5·81	Waverley ...	4,112	4,730	8,842	5·30
... ...	8,294	8,781	17,075	5·29	Willoughby ...	1,914	1,497	3,411	4·80
Hill ...	2,005	1,628	3,633	7·93	Woollahra ...	4,527	5,496	10,023	5·42
lle ...	1,595	1,580	3,175	4·91	Homebush (unincorporated).	268	204	472	5·69
...	1,198	1,130	2,328	5·07					
rdt ...	8,516	8,551	17,067	5·15	Total, Metropolitan.	193,732	189,551	383,283	5·44
aldtown (kineville)	2,578	2,697	5,275	4·85					
COUNTRY.									
own ...	1,082	948	2,030	4·05	Deniliquin ...	1,142	1,131	2,273	5·09
... ...	2,704	2,743	5,447	5·66	Dubbo	2,445	2,110	4,555	5·80
le ...	1,931	1,895	3,826	6·17	Dundas... ...	808	758	1,566	6·23
... ...	1,074	952	2,026	4·70	Forbes	1,569	1,442	3,011	5·31
... ...	599	485	1,084	5·09	Gerringong ...	879	655	1,534	3·69
ld ...	315	322	637	4·93	Glen Innes ...	1,280	1,252	2,532	5·48
t ...	4,591	4,571	9,162	5·72	Gosford ...	355	330	685	4·96
... ...	1,007	1,016	2,023	5·71	Goulburn ...	5,412	5,504	10,916	5·97
... ...	490	418	908	5·60	Grafton ...	2,181	2,264	4,445	5·51
... ...	382	356	738	5·30	Granville ...	2,215	2,033	4,248	5·20
...	646	608	1,254	5·77	Grenfell ...	379	366	745	5·10
a ...	555	546	1,101	5·76	Greta	925	826	1,751	5·00
... ...	1,859	1,290	3,149	5·59	Gulgong ...	649	634	1,283	4·26
... ...	1,136	1,122	2,258	5·19	Gundagai ...	494	454	948	5·26
ed ...	685	811	1,496	5·15	Gunnedah ...	716	646	1,362	5·10
Hill ...	11,835	7,954	19,789	4·00	Hamilton ...	2,481	2,363	4,844	5·31
ton Vale	228	196	424	5·36	Hay	1,459	1,282	2,741	4·93
a ...	384	383	767	5·32	Hill End ..	450	364	814	4·40
...	655	648	1,303	5·81	Hillston ...	417	317	734	4·58
iltown ...	1,252	1,129	2,381	5·03	Illawarra, Central	1,772	1,475	3,247	5·32
... ...	284	278	562	5·15	Illawarra, North	1,438	1,077	2,515	4·68
ion ...	1,190	947	2,137	5·31	Inverell ...	1,325	1,209	2,534	5·55
... ...	779	707	1,486	5·87	Jerilderie ...	291	250	541	5·35
... ...	668	521	1,189	4·55	Junee	895	787	1,682	5·42
alin ..	443	299	742	5·98	Katoomba ...	888	704	1,592	4·16
... ...	855	874	1,729	5·40	Kempsey ...	1,083	1,111	2,194	5·27
ble ...	624	517	1,141	5·53	Kiama (now Jamberoo).	1,230	1,005	2,235	3·82
undra ...	1,017	1,009	2,026	5·56					
... ...	274	264	538	6·00	Kiama, East (now Kiama).	1,227	1,075	2,302	4·84
... ...	770	776	1,546	5·85					
... ...	211	236	447	4·91	Lambton ...	1,793	1,643	3,436	5·22
ong ...	1,362	1,157	2,519	5·45	Lambton, New...	857	691	1,548	4·73

ughs and Municipal Districts—New Municipalities.—Since the taking of the Census of 1891 the following ipalities have been created:—In the Metropolitan District: Annandale, Lane Cove, Marsfield, Mosman, n the Country: Aberdeen, Bankstown, Cabramatta and Canley Vale, Castlereagh, Dungog, Ermington and , Inglaburn, Mulgoa, Peak Hill, Picton, South Grafton, South Shoalhaven (amalgamation of Numba and Central d), Wallendbeen, Warren, West Narrabri.

ughs and Municipal Districts—Alteration of Names.—The names of Macdonaldtown, Kiama, and East have been altered since the Census of 1891 to Erskineville, Jamberoo, and Kiama respectively.

No. 7.—Population in Electorates at the Census of 1891—*continued*

Electorates (existing at Census).	Total Persons.	Inclusive of Chinese, but exclusive of Aborigines.						Chinese (included in f			
		Males.			Females.			Males.		Females	
		Total.	Under 21.	21 and over.	Total.	Under 21.	21 and over.	Under 21.	21 and over.	Under 21.	21 and over
Namoi, The	8,846	5,221	2,367	2,854	3,625	2,140	1,485	9	170	8	2
Nepean, The	10,093	5,360	2,749	2,611	4,733	2,531	2,202	6	27	..	..
Newcastle	29,612	15,704	7,740	7,964	13,908	7,677	6,231	14	205	17	3
New England	19,713	10,803	5,480	5,323	8,910	5,271	3,639	12	161	9	..
Newtown	33,268	16,435	8,445	7,990	16,833	8,531	8,302	7	7	..	..
Northumberland ..	27,000	14,603	7,705	6,898	12,397	7,256	5,141	2	78	1	..
Orange	11,892	6,353	3,270	3,083	5,539	3,197	2,342	4	97	..	..
Paddington	43,001	20,283	9,740	10,543	22,718	10,722	11,996	15	107	..	..
Parramatta	11,677	6,594	2,304	4,290	5,083	2,499	2,584	3	141	3	..
Patrick's Plains	8,224	4,153	2,292	1,861	4,071	2,333	1,738	3	19	4	..
Queanbeyan	6,505	3,451	1,880	1,571	3,054	1,781	1,273	2	28	..	..
Redfern	42,487	22,245	10,885	11,360	20,242	10,519	9,723	36	878	16	1
Richmond, The	22,321	13,050	5,847	7,203	9,271	5,512	3,759	..	70	..	1
Shoalhaven	10,502	5,702	3,002	2,700	4,800	2,753	2,047	1	34	4	2
St. Leonards	26,091	12,884	6,106	6,778	13,207	6,535	6,672	26	313	10	4
Sturt	26,583	16,658	5,860	10,798	9,925	5,252	4,673	4	104	1	.
Sydney, East . ..	30,128	15,492	5,151	10,341	14,636	5,608	9,028	22	218	5	3
Sydney, South . ..	42,074	22,146	8,888	13,258	19,928	9,153	10,775	32	989	22	9
Sydney, West	35,450	20,254	7,457	12,797	15,196	7,134	8,062	58	451	45	22
Tamworth	14,495	7,878	4,021	3,857	6,617	3,912	2,705	12	214	11	2
Tenterfield	6,978	3,852	1,857	1,995	3,126	1,902	1,224	2	252	1	..
Tumut	6,950	3,923	1,823	2,100	3,027	1,762	1,265	8	397	9	1
Wellington	6,139	3,391	1,673	1,718	2,748	1,674	1,074	11	117	5	3
Wentworth	3,410	2,175	770	1,405	1,235	695	540	12	49	14	2
Wilcannia	2,704	1,940	493	1,447	764	402	362	2	72	1	.
Wollombi	7,741	4,313	2,379	1,934	3,428	2,037	1,391	..	9	..	..
Yass Plains	8,986	4,737	2,492	2,245	4,249	2,448	1,801	..	30	1	..
Young	12,932	7,093	3,597	3,496	5,839	3,393	2,446	5	131	6	1
Total, in Electorates	1,118,250	602,664	282,400	320,264	515,586	278,060	237,526	717	12,709	491	109
Lord Howe Island ..	55	30	14	16	25	15	10	..	....	..	..
Shipping	5,649	5,309	630	4,679	340	67	273	18	111	..	1
Total	1,123,954	608,003	283,044	324,959	515,951	278,142	237,809	735	12,820	491	110
Aborigines, not tabulated	8,280	4,559	1,630	2,929	3,721	1,524	2,197	..	....	..	.
Total Population ..	1,132,234	612,562	284,674	327,888	519,672	279,666	240,006	735	12,820	491	11

No. 7.—Population in Electorates at the Census of 1891.

ctorates g at Census).	Total Persons.	Inclusive of Chinese, but exclusive of Aborigines.						Chinese (included in foregoing).				
		Males.			Females.			Males.		Females.		Total Chinese.
		Total.	Under 21.	21 and over.	Total.	Under 21.	21 and over.	Under 21.	21 and over.	Under 21.	21 and over.	
.. .. ..	6,846	3,455	1,681	1,774	3,391	1,838	1,553	3	82	1	..	86
.. .. ..	10,087	5,382	2,839	2,543	4,705	2,707	1,998	4	30	2	..	36
.. .. ..	35,567	17,763	9,132	8,631	17,804	9,152	8,652	..	8	2	..	10
.. .. ..	11,514	7,187	2,529	4,658	4,327	2,349	1,978	17	455	10	1	483
.. .. ..	9,162	4,591	2,278	2,313	4,571	2,353	2,218	7	96	2	2	107
he	21,819	12,818	5,492	7,326	9,001	5,284	3,717	23	375	10	4	412
.. .. ..	4,581	2,469	1,230	1,239	2,112	1,280	832	2	15	2	..	19
.. .. ..	13,719	9,362	2,718	6,644	4,357	2,472	1,885	10	372	9	2	393
d	6,277	3,344	1,693	1,651	2,933	1,697	1,236	13	127	10	2	152
.. .. ..	22,708	12,127	5,876	6,251	10,581	5,752	4,829	7	57	1	..	65
ry	68,786	33,075	17,218	15,857	35,711	18,105	17,606	26	359	9	1	395
.. .. ..	13,873	7,574	3,970	3,604	6,299	3,827	2,472	10	152	13	1	176
umberland ..	35,141	19,041	8,733	10,308	16,100	8,375	7,725	14	275	8	..	297
The	8,221	4,423	2,295	2,128	3,798	2,260	1,538	..	15	..	..	15
.. .. ..	6,733	3,547	1,991	1,556	3,186	1,892	1,294	3	12	..	1	16
.. .. ..	16,385	9,029	4,588	4,441	7,356	4,309	3,047	8	266	6	..	280
.. .. ..	13,131	7,985	3,069	4,916	5,146	2,972	2,174	7	352	7	..	366
ie	22,050	10,773	5,410	5,363	11,277	5,576	5,701	..	6	..	..	6
s	8,986	5,229	2,300	2,929	3,766	2,299	1,467	23	624	13	2	662
r	6,366	3,508	1,878	1,630	2,858	1,674	1,184	..	8	..	..	8
.. .. ..	10,916	5,412	2,817	2,595	5,504	3,037	2,467	4	32	9	1	46
.. .. ..	9,852	5,259	2,755	2,504	4,593	2,673	1,920	3	48	2	..	53
.. .. ..	7,218	4,274	1,944	2,330	2,944	1,772	1,172	5	96	2	2	105
.. .. ..	8,296	4,533	2,205	2,328	3,763	2,190	1,573	13	131	16	4	164
h	7,059	4,075	1,857	2,218	2,984	1,804	1,180	8	58	11	3	80
The	8,284	4,964	2,110	2,854	3,320	2,018	1,302	4	182	..	..	186
.. .. ..	12,369	6,787	3,236	3,551	5,582	3,127	2,455	2	46	..	..	48
& Manning, The	13,428	7,239	3,871	3,368	6,189	3,706	2,483	1	4	..	..	5
ury, The ..	10,339	5,411	2,926	2,485	4,928	2,700	2,228	..	41	..	..	41
he	10,872	6,429	2,699	3,730	4,443	2,505	1,938	6	138	3	1	148
The	7,572	3,977	2,079	1,898	3,595	2,047	1,548	..	13	..	..	13
The Upper ..	12,956	7,021	3,565	3,456	5,935	3,385	2,550	3	68	4	1	76
.. .. ..	12,735	6,790	3,508	3,282	5,945	3,397	2,548	1	34	1	..	36
.. .. ..	8,647	4,932	2,408	2,524	3,715	2,261	1,454	45	604	33	11	693
.. .. ..	8,082	4,396	1,994	2,402	3,686	1,984	1,702	..	8	..	..	8
The	11,530	6,239	3,292	3,047	5,191	3,071	2,120	..	12	..	..	12
e, East ..	9,136	5,102	2,445	2,657	4,034	2,365	1,669	7	279	1	..	287
e, West ..	4,834	2,593	1,339	1,254	2,241	1,262	979	13	85	6	..	104
, East	5,122	2,632	1,332	1,300	2,490	1,348	1,142	..	12	2	..	14
, West	7,295	3,605	1,751	1,854	3,690	1,881	1,809	4	93	4	..	101
.. .. ..	7,915	4,312	2,258	2,054	3,603	2,197	1,406	4	48	7	1	60
.. .. ..	12,395	6,653	3,500	3,153	5,742	3,466	2,276	32	201	37	3	273
.. .. ..	4,641	2,354	1,274	1,080	2,287	1,255	1,032	..	10	..	..	10
.. .. ..	15,753	8,666	4,118	4,548	7,087	4,143	2,944	22	456	22	8	508
The	8,228	4,793	1,893	2,900	3,435	1,798	1,637	6	179	7	..	192
idgee, The ..	25,022	14,750	6,031	8,719	10,272	5,866	4,406	49	777	26	2	854

rates—Changes in Boundaries by existing Act.—The Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act of 1893 or the subdivision of New South Wales into 125 Electorates, instead of the 74 existing at the time of the Census, tly the returns given for each Electorate are not applicable to present circumstances.

No. 8.—Population in Counties at the Census of 1891—*continued.*

Counties.	Area in square miles.	Population (inclusive of Chinese and Aborigines).				Population (exclusive of Aborigines).			Chinese (included in foregoing).		
		Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
				Persons.	Persons per square mile.						
Kilfera	1,651	99	44	143	·09	97	44	141	....	..	....
Killara	2,834	104	31	135	·05	96	29	125	7	..	7
King	1,873	4,479	4,010	8,489	4·5	4,443	3,968	8,411	25	2	27
Landsborough ..	1,968	141	31	172	·09	136	25	161	3	...	3
Leichhardt ..	3,697	1,781	1,118	2,899	·8	1,735	1,087	2,822	114	5	119
Lincoln	1,968	4,687	3,680	8,367	4·2	4,644	3,657	8,301	106	8	114
Livingstone ..	4,033	394	140	534	·1	348	110	458	6	..	6
Macquarie ..	6,627	6,627	5,717	12,344	4·8	6,445	5,528	11,973	5	..	5
Manara	4,005	208	39	247	·06	206	39	245	4	..	4
Menindee	2,473	226	107	333	·1	219	98	317	12	2	14
Mitchell	1,280	1,533	1,049	2,582	2·0	1,533	1,049	2,582	28	..	28
Montenglo ..	1,232	4,773	4,195	8,968	7·3	4,762	4,193	8,955	61	10	71
Mootwingee ..	3,545	242	24	266	·07	232	21	253	2	..	2
Mossgiel	4,194	508	245	753	·2	480	213	693	32	..	32
Mouramba ..	2,436	1,118	637	1,755	·7	1,117	634	1,751	73	2	75
Murchison ..	1,889	1,664	1,245	2,909	1·5	1,658	1,236	2,894	27	..	27
Murray	2,234	4,824	4,417	9,241	4·1	4,810	4,403	9,213	46	1	47
Nandewar.. ..	1,331	1,763	1,398	3,161	2·4	1,738	1,366	3,104	60	1	61
Napier	1,043	551	451	1,002	1·0	547	448	995	10	4	14
Narran	5,668	872	432	1,304	·4	687	279	966	31	..	31
Narromine ..	1,807	2,369	1,516	3,885	2·1	2,334	1,500	3,834	57	..	57
Nicholson	2,206	992	676	1,668	·8	985	676	1,661	61	..	61
Northumberland..	2,411	45,896	40,705	86,661	35·9	45,873	40,745	86,618	448	30	478
Oxley	1,327	1,815	1,195	3,010	2·3	1,795	1,185	2,980	76	..	76
Parry	1,356	2,065	1,465	3,530	2·6	2,055	1,455	3,510	82	5	87
Perry	3,027	175	63	238	·08	172	63	235	6	..	6
Phillip	1,688	3,089	2,620	5,709	3·4	3,081	2,609	5,690	108	12	120
Poole	2,013	35	7	42	·02	33	7	40	....	..	....
Pottinger	2,818	2,771	2,010	4,781	1·7	2,726	1,971	4,697	55	11	66
Raleigh	974	2,226	1,686	3,912	4·0	2,074	1,564	3,638	7	..	7
Rankin	2,608	213	73	286	·1	198	53	251	2	..	2
Richmond.. ..	1,101	2,242	1,726	3,968	3·6	2,183	1,692	3,875	12	..	12
Robinson	2,452	1,138	646	1,784	·7	1,136	645	1,781	42	4	46
Ross	2,313	10,671	7,554	18,225	7·9	10,474	7,362	17,836	52	1	53
Roxburgh.. ..	1,631	5,390	4,106	9,496	5·8	5,380	4,095	9,475	270	3	273
Sandon	1,265	6,982	5,980	12,962	10·2	6,959	5,961	12,920	136	5	141
Selwyn	1,966	1,125	868	1,993	1·0	1,125	868	1,993	10	..	10
Stapylton	2,448	731	406	1,137	·5	669	352	1,021	61	..	61
Sturt	1,512	534	227	761	·5	533	227	760	85	..	85
St. Vincent ..	2,551	7,434	6,402	13,836	5·4	7,358	6,343	13,701	169	18	187
Taila	2,354	226	141	367	·2	218	138	356	....	..	....
Tandora	2,395	142	41	183	·08	142	41	183	2	..	2
Tara	3,196	209	134	343	·1	209	134	343	2	..	2
Thoulcanna ..	1,623	49	5	54	·03	48	5	53	1	..	1
Tongowoko ..	2,362	459	202	661	·3	404	155	559	23	..	23
Townsend.. ..	3,647	2,211	1,676	3,887	1·1	2,194	1,669	3,863	113	3	116
Ularara	2,929	377	84	461	·2	363	77	440	16	..	16
Urana	3,122	1,974	1,169	3,143	1·0	1,956	1,165	3,121	86	8	94
Vernon	1,680	1,442	1,188	2,630	1·6	1,417	1,170	2,587	5	..	5
Wakool	2,970	726	360	1,086	·4	675	316	991	53	..	53
Waljeers	2,686	466	259	725	·3	461	244	705	25	..	25
Wallace	2,156	1,887	1,555	3,442	1·6	1,882	1,554	3,436	50	12	62
Waradgery ..	2,789	2,501	1,866	4,367	1·5	2,498	1,806	4,304	151	9	160
Wellesley	1,512	2,535	2,219	4,754	3·1	2,520	2,212	4,732	122	16	138
Wellington ..	1,894	8,904	7,581	16,485	8·7	8,870	7,558	16,428	514	22	536
Wentworth ..	3,368	776	588	1,364	·4	774	588	1,362	35	14	49
Werunda	2,395	99	25	124	·05	97	25	122	2	..	2
Westmoreland ..	1,627	2,161	1,813	3,974	2·4	2,155	1,809	3,964	25	..	25
White	1,889	712	530	1,242	·7	637	468	1,105	9	..	9
Windeyer	3,425	387	151	538	·2	356	128	484	4	..	4
Woore	2,505	79	36	115	·05	72	29	101	....	..	....
Wynyard	1,705	6,741	5,789	12,530	7·3	6,738	5,788	12,526	506	40	546
Yancowinna ..	2,641	14,961	9,502	24,463	9·3	14,945	9,493	24,438	47	1	48
Yanda	2,974	416	141	557	·2	396	120	516	4	..	4
Yantara	2,990	187	52	239	·08	156	25	181	8	..	8
Young	2,637	1,058	582	1,640	·6	1,051	580	1,631	56	1	57
Yungnulgra ..	2,908	331	65	396	·1	331	65	396	6	..	6
Total of Counties ..		607,223	519,307	1,126,530	..	602,664	515,586	1,118,250	13,456	600	14,056
Shipping		5,309	340	5,649	..	5,309	340	5,649	129	1	130
Lord Howe Island ..		30	25	55	..	30	25	55	....	..	....
Total Population ..		612,562	519,672	1,132,234	..	608,003	515,951	1,123,954	13,555	601	14,156

No. 8.—Population in Counties at the Census of 1891.

nties.	Area in square miles.	Population (inclusive of Chinese and Aborigines).				Population (exclusive of Aborigines).			Chinese (included in foregoing).			Total Aborigines.
		Males.	Females.	Total. Persons.	Total. Persons per square mile.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
.. ..	1,972	9,688	9,251	18,939	9·6	9,680	9,248	18,928	70	12	82	11
ta ..	2,313	1,006	783	1,789	·8	983	769	1,752	12	..	12	37
ham ..	2,136	7,623	6,535	14,158	6·6	7,555	6,474	14,029	108	10	118	129
d	1,885	5,333	4,368	9,701	5·2	5,328	4,367	9,695	114	1	115	6
e	2,415	1,021	698	1,719	·7	965	636	1,601	65	5	70	118
.. ..	2,612	134	49	183	·07	133	47	180	1	..	1	3
t	1,939	15,882	14,261	30,143	15·5	15,854	14,252	30,106	346	10	356	37
.. ..	3,150	699	351	1,050	·3	639	289	928	26	..	26	122
d	1,425	2,246	1,980	4,226	3·0	2,242	1,973	4,215	61	12	73	11
.. ..	2,419	2,735	1,836	4,571	1·9	2,735	1,836	4,571	71	..	71	..
l	4,354	857	427	1,284	·3	785	386	1,171	88	..	88	113
.. .	1,581	1,860	1,428	3,288	2·1	1,845	1,423	3,268	17	1	18	20
darra ..	2,066	237	92	329	·2	190	57	247	22	..	22	82
.. ..	2,300	2,132	1,330	3,462	1·5	2,126	1,325	3,451	100	3	103	11
.. ..	1,565	715	336	1,051	·7	630	260	890	52	..	52	161
.. ..	2,218	3,891	3,415	7,306	3·3	3,859	3,385	7,244	39	3	42	62
h ..	1,409	1,360	941	2,301	1·6	1,305	901	2,206	141	..	141	95
d	1,487	2,540	2,051	4,591	3·1	2,513	2,026	4,539	20	4	24	52
.. ..	1,458	1,050	592	1,642	1·1	983	541	1,524	145	..	145	118
.. ..	1,820	939	777	1,716	·9	930	772	1,702	7	..	7	14
.. ..	1,043	1,064	935	1,999	1·9	1,000	856	1,856	3	..	3	143
.. ..	2,649	839	585	1,424	·5	798	555	1,353	46	..	46	71
o	2,185	708	306	1,014	·5	707	306	1,013	2	..	2	1
.. ..	2,226	22,308	19,195	41,503	18·6	22,208	19,110	41,318	97	2	99	185
.. ..	1,356	8,348	7,490	15,838	11·7	8,223	7,390	15,613	66	2	68	225
n	1,158	3,635	2,817	6,452	5·6	3,633	2,815	6,448	93	4	97	4
.. ..	1,520	897	532	1,429	·9	859	508	1,367	41	2	43	62
.. ..	1,721	2,137	2,004	4,141	2·4	2,103	1,964	4,067	52	1	53	74
.. ..	2,945	916	481	1,397	·5	847	427	1,274	50	..	50	123
.. ..	1,696	8,041	6,832	14,873	8·8	7,991	6,791	14,782	47	..	47	91
.. ..	2,752	2,210	1,343	3,553	1·3	2,165	1,324	3,489	217	3	220	64
.. ..	1,926	1,520	1,046	2,566	1·3	1,480	1,023	2,503	69	..	69	63
.. ..	1,158	411	292	703	·6	402	281	683	1	..	1	20
.. ..	4,691	2,782	1,659	4,441	·9	2,740	1,622	4,362	131	6	137	79
.. ..	2,337	511	243	754	·3	437	185	622	14	..	14	132
and ..	1,573	228,296	218,883	447,179	284·3	228,205	218,809	447,014	4,074	160	4,234	165
ham ..	2,395	1,525	756	2,281	·9	1,514	750	2,264	179	..	179	17
.. ..	1,471	2,867	2,339	5,206	3·5	2,785	2,259	5,044	155	5	160	162
.. ..	1,553	1,609	1,275	2,884	1·8	1,552	1,221	2,773	6	1	7	111
.. ..	2,156	54	12	66	·03	54	12	66	2	..	2	..
.. ..	1,491	185	94	279	·2	183	91	274	3	..	3	5
.. ..	1,232	1,187	680	1,867	1·5	1,186	680	1,866	17	..	17	1
.. ..	1,840	551	343	894	·5	541	330	871	57	1	58	23
.. ..	1,314	784	621	1,405	1·1	697	548	1,245	6	...	6	160
.. ..	986	3,196	2,779	5,975	6·1	3,082	2,684	5,766	3	..	3	209
.. ..	2,095	8,006	7,319	15,325	7·3	7,982	7,294	15,276	36	3	39	49
.. ..	3,713	442	133	575	·2	407	109	516	24	..	24	59
r	2,054	1,238	797	2,035	1·0	1,220	777	1,997	29	..	29	38
.. ..	3,007	400	93	493	·2	392	89	481	3	..	3	12
.. ..	4,124	853	395	1,248	·3	742	317	1,059	31	..	31	189
ld	2,148	221	36	257	·1	221	35	256	2	...	2	1
.. ..	1,540	1,521	1,051	2,572	1·7	1,448	999	2,447	....	..	....	125
.. ..	2,415	526	147	673	·3	525	147	672	58	..	58	1
.. ..	1,413	1,823	1,439	3,262	2·3	1,792	1,416	3,208	3	..	3	54
.. ..	1,397	300	191	491	·4	267	152	419	14	..	14	72
a	1,922	3,386	2,729	6,115	3·2	3,380	2,722	6,102	98	14	112	13
.. ..	2,448	1,082	519	1,601	·7	1,073	517	1,590	50	1	51	11
er ..	3,101	7,396	6,236	13,632	4·4	7,320	6,172	13,492	14	..	14	140
.. ..	1,520	1,519	1,043	2,562	1·7	1,466	996	2,462	8	6	14	100
.. ..	1,779	7,323	5,729	13,052	7·3	7,293	5,704	12,997	810	24	834	55
n	1,384	4,917	4,325	9,242	6·7	4,912	4,324	9,236	116	4	120	6
.. ..	1,696	1,202	938	2,140	1·3	1,134	890	2,024	17	..	17	116
.. ..	3,088	838	423	1,261	·4	755	352	1,107	33	1	34	154
.. ..	1,109	391	161	552	·5	385	140	525	2	..	2	27
ooka ..	2,440	579	271	850	·3	572	263	835	15	1	16	15
.. ..	1,721	5,328	4,391	9,719	5·6	5,323	4,388	9,711	70	3	73	8
e	1,807	2,538	1,705	4,243	2·3	2,519	1,687	4,206	499	37	536	37
.. ..	1,643	190	85	275	·2	173	75	248	1	..	1	27
.. ..	1,664	2,992	2,140	5,132	3·1	2,989	2,139	5,128	77	1	78	4
.. ..	2,095	1,071	902	1,973	·9	1,064	899	1,963	5	1	6	10
.. ..	875	3,502	3,210	6,712	7·7	3,485	3,207	6,692	138	6	144	20
.. ..	4,263	420	120	540	·1	375	95	470	12	..	12	70
.. ..	2,317	856	492	1,348	·6	831	474	1,305	9	..	9	43
.. ..	2,292	1,331	549	1,880	·8	1,306	537	1,843	60	..	60	37

nty Boundaries.—Although the Electorates have been amended in accordance with the "Parliamentary es and Elections Act of 1893," the boundaries of the Counties remain practically unaltered.

No. 8.—Population in Counties at the Census of 1891—*continued.*

Counties.	Area in square miles.	Population (inclusive of Chinese and Aborigines).				Population (exclusive of Aborigines).			Chinese (included in foregoing).		
		Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
				Persons.	Persons per square mile.						
Kilfera	1,651	99	44	143	·09	97	44	141	....	..	....
Killara	2,834	104	31	135	·05	96	29	125	7	..	7
King	1,873	4,479	4,010	8,489	4·5	4,443	3,968	8,411	25	2	27
Landsborough ..	1,968	141	31	172	·09	136	25	161	3	..	3
Leichhardt .	3,697	1,781	1,118	2,899	·8	1,735	1,087	2,822	114	5	119
Lincoln	1,968	4,687	3,680	8,367	4·2	4,644	3,657	8,301	106	8	114
Livingstone ..	4,033	394	140	534	·1	348	110	458	6	..	6
Macquarie ..	2,555	6,627	5,717	12,344	4·8	6,445	5,528	11,973	5	..	5
Manara	4,005	208	39	247	·06	206	39	245	4	..	4
Menindee	2,473	226	107	333	·1	219	98	317	12	2	14
Mitchell	1,290	1,533	1,049	2,582	2·0	1,533	1,049	2,582	28	..	28
Monteagle ..	1,232	4,773	4,195	8,968	7·3	4,762	4,193	8,955	61	10	71
Mootwingee ..	3,545	242	24	266	·07	232	21	253	2	..	2
Mossgiel	4,194	508	245	753	·2	480	213	693	32	..	32
Mouramba ..	2,436	1,118	637	1,755	·7	1,117	634	1,751	73	2	75
Murchison ..	1,889	1,664	1,245	2,909	1·5	1,658	1,236	2,894	27	..	27
Murray	2,234	4,824	4,417	9,241	4·1	4,810	4,403	9,213	46	1	47
Nandewar.. ..	1,331	1,763	1,398	3,161	2·4	1,738	1,366	3,104	60	1	61
Napier	1,043	551	451	1,002	1·0	547	448	995	10	4	14
Narran	5,668	872	432	1,304	·4	687	279	966	31	..	31
Narromine ..	1,807	2,369	1,516	3,885	2·1	2,334	1,500	3,834	57	..	57
Nicholson	2,206	992	676	1,668	·8	985	676	1,661	61	..	61
Northumberland..	2,411	45,896	40,765	86,661	35·9	45,873	40,745	86,618	448	30	478
Oxley	1,327	1,815	1,195	3,010	2·3	1,795	1,185	2,980	76	..	76
Parry	1,356	2,065	1,465	3,530	2·6	2,055	1,455	3,510	82	5	87
Perry	3,027	175	63	238	·08	172	63	235	6	..	6
Phillip	1,688	3,089	2,620	5,709	3·4	3,081	2,609	5,690	108	12	120
Poole	2,013	35	7	42	·02	33	7	40	....	..	....
Pottinger	2,818	2,771	2,010	4,781	1·7	2,726	1,971	4,697	55	11	66
Raleigh	974	2,226	1,686	3,912	4·0	2,074	1,564	3,638	7	..	7
Rankin	2,698	213	73	286	·1	198	53	251	2	..	2
Richmond.. ..	1,101	2,242	1,726	3,968	3·6	2,183	1,692	3,875	12	..	12
Robinson	2,452	1,138	646	1,784	·7	1,136	645	1,781	42	4	46
Rous	2,313	10,671	7,554	18,225	7·9	10,474	7,362	17,836	52	1	53
Roxburgh.. ..	1,631	5,380	4,096	9,476	5·8	5,380	4,095	9,475	270	3	273
Sandon	1,295	6,982	5,980	12,962	10·2	6,959	5,961	12,920	136	7	143
Selwyn	1,906	1,125	868	1,993	1·0	1,125	868	1,993	10	..	10
Stapylton	2,448	731	406	1,137	·5	669	352	1,021	61	..	61
Sturt	1,512	534	227	761	·5	533	227	760	85	..	85
St. Vincent ..	2,551	7,434	6,402	13,836	5·4	7,358	6,343	13,701	169	18	187
Taila	2,354	226	141	367	·2	218	138	356	....	..	....
Tandora	2,395	142	41	183	·08	142	41	183	2	..	2
Tara	3,196	209	134	343	·1	209	134	343	2	..	2
Thoulcanna ..	1,673	49	5	54	·03	48	5	53	1	..	1
Tongowoko ..	2,362	459	202	661	·3	404	155	559	23	..	23
Towrendi.. ..	3,647	2,211	1,676	3,887	1·1	2,194	1,669	3,863	113	3	116
Ulorara	2,929	377	84	461	·2	364	77	410	16	..	16
Urana	3,122	1,974	1,169	3,143	1·0	1,956	1,165	3,121	36	2	38
Vernon	1,680	1,442	1,188	2,630	1·6	1,417	1,170	2,587	5	..	5
Wakool	2,970	726	360	1,086	·4	675	316	991	53	..	53
Walgeers	2,686	466	259	725	·3	461	244	705	25	..	25
Wallaye	2,156	1,887	1,555	3,442	1·6	1,882	1,554	3,436	50	12	62
Waradgery ..	2,789	2,501	1,896	4,397	1·5	2,498	1,896	4,394	151	9	160
Wellesley	1,512	2,355	2,219	4,574	3·1	2,520	2,212	4,732	122	16	138
Wellington ..	1,894	8,904	7,581	16,485	8·7	8,870	7,558	16,428	514	22	536
Wentworth ..	3,368	776	588	1,364	·4	774	588	1,362	55	14	69
Werunda	2,395	99	25	124	·05	97	25	122	2	..	2
Westmoreland ..	1,627	2,161	1,813	3,974	2·4	2,155	1,809	3,964	25	..	25
White	1,889	712	530	1,242	·7	637	468	1,105	9	..	9
Windeyer	3,425	387	151	538	·2	256	128	384	4	..	4
Woore	2,505	79	36	115	·05	72	29	101	....	..	....
Wynyard	1,705	6,741	5,789	12,530	7·3	6,758	5,788	12,546	586	40	626
Yanco-winna ..	2,641	14,961	9,502	24,463	9·3	14,945	9,493	24,438	47	1	48
Yanda	2,974	416	141	557	·2	396	120	516	4	..	4
Yantara	2,900	187	52	239	·08	156	25	181	8	..	8
Young	2,657	1,058	582	1,640	·6	1,051	580	1,631	76	1	77
Yungnulgra ..	2,908	331	65	396	·1	331	65	396	6	..	6
Total of Counties ..		607,223	519,507	1,126,730	..	603,634	515,556	1,118,190	13,426	600	14,026
Shipping		5,309	340	5,649	..	5,309	340	5,649	129	1	130
Lord Howe Island ..		30	25	55	..	30	25	55	....	..	....
Total Population ..		612,562	519,672	1,132,234	..	608,973	515,951	1,124,924	13,555	601	14,156

No. 9.—Birthplaces of the People, Census Periods 1861–91.

thplaces.	1861.			1871.			1881.			1891.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
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outh Wales ..	80,106	80,192	160,298	147,877	146,367	294,244	233,515	232,044	465,559	363,495	361,520	725,015
rigines (See note)	....	....	....	709	274	983	938	705	1,643	4,559	3,721	8,280
a	912	890	1,802	3,399	2,998	6,397	14,328	10,678	25,006	22,792	17,976	40,768
sland	173	152	325	1,088	1,030	2,118	2,781	2,712	5,493	4,987	5,186	10,173
Australia.. ..	261	236	497	885	752	1,637	1,824	1,436	3,260	9,850	7,866	17,716
n Australia ..	23	13	36	74	71	145	155	123	278	244	220	464
lia undefined ..	....	....	....	....	....	....	1,819	1,691	3,510	471	403	874
.. .. ..	708	655	1,363	1,156	936	2,092	2,223	1,831	4,054	3,075	2,776	5,851
land	365	306	671	546	511	1,057	1,535	1,378	2,913	4,883	4,132	9,015
.. .. ..	....	....	....	....	....	....	115	79	194	158	132	290
Australasia ..	82,548	82,444	164,992	155,734	152,939	308,673	259,233	252,677	511,910	414,514	403,932	818,446
gdom—												
.. .. ..	53,163	30,989	84,152	55,664	31,670	87,334	68,769	38,805	107,574	92,617	56,615	149,232
.. .. ..	912	466	1,378	1,235	635	1,870	2,018	1,082	3,100	3,232	1,765	4,997
.. .. ..	11,006	7,216	18,222	12,139	7,902	20,041	15,828	9,251	25,079	23,026	13,795	36,821
.. .. ..	27,611	27,218	54,829	31,925	31,018	62,943	36,494	32,698	69,192	39,449	35,602	75,051
sitish Possessions	2,258	1,211	3,469	1,404	575	1,979	2,559	1,008	3,567	3,436	1,203	4,639
l, British Empire	177,498	149,544	327,042	258,101	224,739	482,840	384,901	335,521	720,422	576,274	512,912	1,089,186
untries—												
Empire	3,590	1,877	5,467	4,576	2,047	6,623	5,367	2,154	7,521	6,976	2,589	9,565
nd Possessions ..	517	173	690	724	167	891	1,205	292	1,497	1,718	552	2,270
ates of America..	906	161	1,067	1,080	260	1,340	1,947	571	2,518	2,509	870	3,379
Empire	12,986	2	12,988	7,208	12	7,220	10,141	64	10,205	13,048	109	13,157
reign Countries..	2,465	277	2,742	2,775	402	3,177	6,038	740	6,778	9,953	1,463	11,416
'oreign Countries	20,464	2,490	22,954	16,363	2,888	19,251	24,698	3,821	28,519	34,204	5,583	39,787
mes .. }	....	....	....	759	665	1,424	947	744	1,691	1,067	863	1,930
ames .. }										20	10	30
—												
mes .. }	526	338	864	328	138	466	603	233	836	913	293	1,206
ames .. }										84	11	95
Population ..	198,488	152,372	350,860	275,551	228,430	503,981	411,149	340,319	751,468	612,562	519,672	1,132,234

rines.—The Aboriginal population was not included in the Census of 1861, while in 1871 and 1881 the tribes were passed over, and only those who were civilized or in contact with Europeans were enumerated. ble that the total numbers for these years were, approximately—in 1861, 15,000; in 1871, 12,000; and in t.

No. 10.—Birthplaces of the People at the Census of 1891.

Birthplaces.	Males.	Females.	Total.
BRITISH EMPIRE.			
AUSTRALASIA—			
New South Wales	363,495	361,520	725,015
Aborigines	4,559	3,721	8,280
Victoria	22,792	17,976	40,768
Queensland	4,987	5,186	10,173
South Australia (including Northern Territory)	9,850	7,866	17,716
Western Australia	244	220	464
Australia (Colony not defined).	471	403	874
Tasmania	3,075	2,776	5,851
New Zealand	4,883	4,132	9,015
Fiji	158	132	290
UNITED KINGDOM—			
England	92,617	56,615	149,232
Wales	3,232	1,765	4,997
Scotland	23,026	13,795	36,821
Ireland	39,449	35,602	75,051
MEDITERRANEAN—			
Gibraltar	36	22	58
Malta	90	28	118
Cyprus	1	.....	1
ASIA—			
India (including Burmah)	1,309	491	1,800
Ceylon	141	40	181
Straits Settlements	44	6	50
Hongkong	54	10	64
Aden	8	.....	8
British Borneo	1	1	2
British New Guinea	2	1	3
AFRICA—			
Cape Colony	147	103	250
Natal	7	13	20
British South Africa (so described).	85	75	160
Mauritius and Dependencies (Seychelles Is., &c.)	166	97	263
St. Helena	33	11	44
Ascension Island	.....	1	1
AMERICA—			
Dominion of Canada	885	189	1,074
Newfoundland	42	8	50
Bermudas	12	3	15
British Guiana	14	7	21
Honduras	4	.....	4
Falkland Islands	1	2	3
WEST INDIES—			
Jamaica	114	28	142
Grand Cayman	1	.....	1
Barbadoes	39	5	44
Trinidad	.....	2	2
Windward Islands	4	2	6
Leeward Islands	10	1	11
Bahamas	5	.....	5
Tobago	1	1	2
British West Indies (Island not stated).	176	55	231
POLYNESIA—			
Louisiade Islands	1	.....	1
Hervey Islands	3	.....	3
Gilbert Islands	.....	1	1
Total, British Empire	576,274	512,912	1,089,186
FOREIGN COUNTRIES.			
EUROPEAN COUNTRIES (*including Possessions out of Europe*)—			
German Empire (including Heligoland)	6,976	2,589	9,565
France (including Corsica)	1,585	445	2,030
New Caledonia	76	72	148
Reunion Island	34	13	47
Society Islands	14	15	29
Other Possessions	9	7	16
Russia (including Poland and Siberia)	987	189	1,176
Austria, Austro-Hungary	534	54	588
Spain	76	35	111
Philippine Islands	12	5	17
Other Possessions	7	3	10
Portugal	159	14	173
Goa	30	1	31
Other Possessions	44	1	45

Birthplaces.	Males.	Females.	Total
FOREIGN COUNTRIES—*continued.*			
EUROPEAN COUNTRIES—*continued*—			
Switzerland	494	100	5[illegible]
Holland	228	27	2[illegible]
Java	13	7	[illegible]
Other Possessions	8	1	
Belgium	143	38	1[illegible]
Denmark	1,268	212	1,4[illegible]
Iceland	5	.....	
Danish West Indies	3	.....	
Balkan States—			
Roumania	13	1	1
Bulgaria	1	.....	
Servia	1	.....	
Turkey	169	73	2[illegible]
Turkey in Asia—			
Syria	99	17	1[illegible]
Armenia	1	1	[illegible]
Asia Minor	11	7	1[illegible]
Greece and Ionian Isles	241	14	2[illegible]
Sweden and Norway	3,237	160	3,3[illegible]
Italy (including Sardinia)	1,229	248	1,4[illegible]
Montenegro	3	.....	[illegible]
Europe (Country not stated)	2	2	[illegible]
ASIATIC COUNTRIES—			
Chinese Empire (including Tartary)	13,048	109	13,15[illegible]
Afghanistan	20	.....	[illegible]
Siam	2	1	[illegible]
Japan	69	11	[illegible]
Persia	2	.....	[illegible]
Arabia	144	7	151
Asia (Country not stated)	5	3	[illegible]
AFRICAN COUNTRIES—			
Egypt	20	9	[illegible]
Madagascar	.....	1	1
Abyssinia	3	.....	[illegible]
Zanzibar	26	.....	[illegible]
Transvaal	.....	1	1
West Coast	2	1	[illegible]
Morocco	.....	2	[illegible]
Central Africa	.....	1	1
Africa (Country not stated)	87	42	12[illegible]
AMERICAN COUNTRIES—			
United States	2,509	870	[illegible]
Mexico	13	3	1[illegible]
Hayti and Santo Domingo	1	2	[illegible]
West Indies (not British)	16	.....	1[illegible]
Brazil	42	3	[illegible]
Chili	41	12	[illegible]
Peru	8	3	[illegible]
Argentine Republic	8	6	[illegible]
Ecuador	1	.....	[illegible]
Uruguay	1	3	[illegible]
United States of Colombia	1	.....	[illegible]
South America (Country not stated)	51	25	[illegible]
Central America (Country not stated)	3	.....	[illegible]
POLYNESIA—			
Sandwich Islands	16	13	[illegible]
New Hebrides	52	18	[illegible]
Tonga	27	25	[illegible]
Samoa	33	26	[illegible]
Solomon Islands	26	.....	[illegible]
Other Islands	215	35	[illegible]
Total, Foreign Countries	34,204	5,583	[illegible]
AT SEA—			
British names	1,067	863	1,[illegible]
Foreign names	20	10	[illegible]
UNSPECIFIED—			
British names	913	293	1,[illegible]
Foreign names	84	11	[illegible]
SUMMARY—			
British Empire	576,274	512,912	1,089,[illegible]
Foreign Countries	34,204	5,583	[illegible]
At Sea	1,087	873	1,[illegible]
Unspecified	997	304	1,[illegible]
Total Population	612,562	519,672	1,132,[illegible]

No. 11.—Ages of the People, Census Periods 1871–91.

Ages.	Males.			Females.			Total.		
	1871.	1881.	1891.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1871.	1881.	1891.
ıder 5 years	41,650	56,169	84,014	40,334	54,954	81,736	81,984	111,123	165,750
years and under 10...	35,835	49,877	72,895	34,692	49,141	71,359	70,527	99,018	144,254
" " 15...	29,130	45,071	62,230	28,542	43,408	61,186	57,672	88,479	123,416
" " 20...	21,082	38,169	54,267	21,554	37,565	54,476	42,636	75,734	108,743
" " 21...	4,124	7,567	11,224	4,290	7,399	10,857	8,414	14,966	22,081
" " 25...	17,137	32,489	46,739	16,723	27,082	42,584	33,860	59,571	89,323
" " 30...	23,919	35,050	59,895	19,698	25,488	46,950	43,617	60,538	106,845
" " 35...	22,761	29,361	52,115	15,228	21,278	36,690	37,989	50,639	88,805
" " 40...	20,086	27,338	40,380	12,881	19,067	27,303	32,967	46,405	67,683
" " 45...	16,409	24,242	31,446	9,490	15,293	22,237	25,899	39,535	53,683
" " 50...	11,098	19,426	27,054	7,064	11,896	18,658	18,162	31,322	45,712
" " 55...	10,984	15,649	22,753	6,833	8,835	14,853	17,817	24,484	37,606
" " 60...	7,227	9,086	16,716	4,124	5,923	10,812	11,351	15,009	27,528
" " 65...	6,056	8,350	12,690	3,246	5,528	7,762	9,302	13,878	20,452
" " 70...	3,255	5,134	7,030	1,595	3,148	4,905	4,850	8,282	11,935
" " 75...	2,495	3,461	5,048	1,114	2,057	3,692	3,609	5,518	8,740
" " 80...	892	1,645	2,842	383	992	1,903	1,275	2,637	4,745
" " 100...	627	1,260	1,879	332	628	1,267	959	1,888	3,146
" and over ...	13	17	12	5	9	7	18	26	19
ıspecified	771	1,788	1,333	302	628	435	1,073	2,416	1,768
Total Population ...	275,551	411,149	612,562	228,430	340,319	519,672	503,981	751,468	1,132,234

No. 12.—Ages of the People at the Census of 1891.

Ages.	Population (including Chinese and Aborigines).			Population (exclusive of Aborigines).			Chinese and Chinese Half-castes.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Under 1	17,573	17,226	34,799	17,488	17,141	34,629	22	50	72
1	16,438	15,791	32,229	16,380	15,724	32,104	32	35	67
2	17,136	16,502	33,638	17,055	16,423	33,478	35	34	69
3	16,599	16,408	33,007	16,520	16,321	32,841	42	33	75
4	16,284	15,824	32,108	16,197	15,745	31,942	28	32	60
5	15,816	15,317	31,133	15,734	15,250	30,984	37	26	63
6	15,568	14,847	29,915	14,988	14,759	29,747	28	35	63
7	14,647	14,308	28,955	14,564	14,247	28,811	28	22	50
8	13,751	13,789	27,540	13,679	13,685	27,364	23	26	49
9	13,627	13,113	26,740	13,546	13,036	26,582	21	20	41
10	13,695	13,521	27,216	13,591	13,450	27,041	24	23	47
11	12,704	12,447	25,151	12,648	12,383	25,031	15	22	37
12	12,558	12,344	24,902	12,464	12,267	24,731	17	18	35
13	11,435	11,264	22,699	11,371	11,202	22,573	13	21	34
14	11,846	11,620	23,466	11,766	11,565	23,331	21	10	31
15	11,024	11,135	22,159	10,972	11,062	22,034	16	5	21
16	11,063	11,088	22,151	10,990	11,020	22,010	21	19	40
17	10,490	10,544	21,034	10,428	10,486	20,914	23	21	44
18	10,733	10,884	21,617	10,646	10,817	21,463	59	8	67
19	10,962	10,835	21,797	10,895	10,775	21,670	75	15	90
20	11,225	10,859	22,084	11,122	10,784	21,906	155	16	171
21	11,685	10,798	22,483	11,590	10,724	22,314	132	9	141
22	11,902	10,828	22,730	11,792	10,746	22,538	233	12	245
23	11,761	10,718	22,479	11,665	10,643	22,308	188	14	202
24	11,583	10,306	21,889	11,497	10,236	21,733	336	4	340
25	12,123	9,969	22,092	11,989	9,864	21,853	443	12	455
26	12,309	9,978	22,287	12,227	9,909	22,136	388	8	396
27	11,888	9,197	21,085	11,823	9,141	20,964	300	6	306
28	12,838	9,763	22,601	12,768	9,675	22,443	537	4	541
29	10,982	8,119	19,101	10,945	8,084	19,029	294	7	301
30	13,869	9,872	23,741	13,686	9,697	23,383	794	13	807
31	9,368	6,312	15,680	9,329	6,285	15,614	309	2	311
32	10,442	7,300	17,742	10,381	7,258	17,639	494	1	495
33	9,336	6,728	16,064	9,284	6,689	15,973	282	1	283
34	9,312	6,537	15,849	9,253	6,495	15,748	327	1	328
35	9,785	6,168	15,953	9,655	6,070	15,725	455	5	460
36	8,904	6,039	14,943	8,847	5,994	14,841	399	1	400
37	7,129	4,946	12,075	7,096	4,921	12,017	236	...	236
38	7,888	5,388	13,276	7,834	5,340	13,174	352	1	353
39	6,836	4,806	11,642	6,806	4,785	11,591	179	1	180
40	9,678	6,480	16,158	9,471	6,308	15,779	722	1	723
41	5,291	3,511	8,802	5,269	3,491	8,760	208	...	208
42	6,588	4,447	11,035	6,539	4,414	10,953	389	1	390
43	5,264	3,928	9,192	5,231	3,909	9,140	175	1	176
44	4,752	3,906	8,658	4,717	3,881	8,598	182	3	185
45	6,814	4,364	11,178	6,657	4,289	10,946	397	...	397
46	5,585	3,972	9,557	5,543	3,936	9,479	227	...	227
47	4,754	3,448	8,202	4,719	3,427	8,146	176	...	176
48	5,448	3,847	9,295	5,411	3,810	9,221	310	...	310
49	4,563	3,056	7,619	4,535	3,029	7,564	130	...	130
50	7,301	4,853	12,154	7,151	4,725	11,876	571	1	572
51	3,637	2,212	5,849	3,612	2,197	5,809	182	...	182
52	4,432	2,776	7,208	4,402	2,741	7,143	321	...	321
53	3,623	2,414	6,037	3,592	2,396	5,988	145	...	145
54	3,852	2,624	6,476	3,829	2,603	6,432	215	...	215

No. 12.—Ages of the People at the Census of 1891.—*continued.*

	Population ncluding Chinese and Aborigines).			Population (exclusive of Aborigines).			Chinese and Chinese Half-castes.			Ages.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
	3,902	2,504	6,406	3,861	2,462	6,323	215	1	216	55
	4,022	2,686	6,708	3,983	2,666	6,649	191	...	191	56
	3,078	2,024	5,102	3,062	2,006	5,068	132	...	132	57
	3,254	2,109	5,363	3,231	2,091	5,322	149	...	149	58
	2,528	1,510	4,038	2,507	1,496	4,003	77	...	77	59
	4,435	2,744	7,179	4,280	2,684	6,964	254	...	254	60
	2,102	1,148	3,250	2,070	1,148	3,218	86	...	86	61
	2,359	1,365	3,724	2,345	1,351	3,696	118	...	118	62
	1,967	1,284	3,251	1,943	1,270	3,213	78	...	78	63
	1,878	1,238	3,116	1,866	1,224	3,090	86	...	86	64
	2,017	1,257	3,274	1,983	1,232	3,215	84	...	84	65
	1,455	1,055	2,510	1,438	1,043	2,481	56	...	56	66
	1,346	940	2,286	1,322	940	2,262	41	...	41	67
	1,194	923	2,117	1,177	910	2,087	50	...	50	68
	1,048	740	1,788	1,025	740	1,765	21	...	21	69
	1,601	1,198	2,799	1,550	1,164	2,714	46	...	46	70
	952	637	1,589	952	637	1,589	11	...	11	71
	1,015	758	1,773	1,015	758	1,773	26	...	26	72
	790	557	1,347	790	557	1,347	11	...	11	73
	690	542	1,232	690	542	1,232	9	...	9	74
	810	557	1,367	807	557	1,364	10	...	10	75
	703	449	1,152	703	449	1,152	7	...	7	76
	507	344	851	507	344	851	5	...	5	77
	467	307	774	466	307	773	8	...	8	78
	355	246	601	354	246	600	4	...	4	79
	477	312	789	474	311	785	6	...	6	80
	274	167	441	274	167	441	2	...	2	81
	227	159	386	227	159	386	1	...	1	82
	163	118	281	163	118	281	...	...	...	83
	153	121	274	153	121	274	...	...	...	84
	135	89	224	134	89	223	1	...	1	85
	107	73	180	107	73	180	2	...	2	86
	77	59	136	77	59	136	...	...	...	87
	60	40	100	60	40	100	...	...	...	88
	43	23	66	43	23	66	...	...	...	89
	59	43	102	59	43	102	3	...	3	90
	37	14	51	37	14	51	1	...	1	91
	24	9	33	24	9	33	1	...	1	92
	8	10	18	8	10	18	...	...	...	93
	14	3	17	14	3	17	...	...	...	94
	8	9	17	8	9	17	...	...	...	95
	3	9	12	3	9	12	...	...	...	96
	4	4	8	4	4	8	...	...	...	97
	5	1	6	5	1	6	...	...	...	98
	1	4	5	1	4	5	...	...	...	99
	5	2	7	5	2	7	...	...	...	100
	2	2	4	2	2	4	...	...	...	101
	1	1	2	1	1	2	...	...	...	102
	2	2	4	2	2	4	...	...	...	103
	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	...	...	...	104
	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	...	...	...	107
l...	612,562	519,672	1,132,234	608,003	515,951	1,123,954	13,555	601	14,156	Total.

Ages.—The ages of 1,768 persons, concerning whom the Householders' Schedules merely disclosed that 96 were of 21, and 1,672 adults, have been distributed by a process of gradation among the ages under 70.

No. 13.—Religions of the People, Census Periods 1861–91.

Religions.	1861. Number.	1861. Proportion per cent.	1871. Number.	1871. Proportion per cent.	1881. Number.	1881. Proportion per cent.	1891. Number.	1891. Pr ti- e
Protestants—								
Church of England	159,958	45·59	229,243	45·49	342,359	45·56	502,280	4
Presbyterian	34,692	9·89	49,122	9·75	72,545	9·65	109,390	
Wesleyan Methodist	23,652	6·75	36,275	7·20	57,049	7·59	87,516	
Other Methodists			3,291	0·65	7,303	0·97	22,598	
Congregationalists	5,411	1·54	9,253	1·83	14,328	1·91	24,112	
Baptist			4,151	0·82	7,307	0·97	13,112	
Lutheran			.....	.....	4,836	0·64	7,950	
Unitarian	9,863	2·81	849	0·17	828	0·11	1,329	
Salvation Army			.....	.....	.....	....	10,315	
Other Protestants			7,208	1·43	9,967	1·33	12,046	
Total Protestants ..	233,606	66·58	339,392	67·34	516,512	68·73	791,346	7
Catholics—								
Roman Catholic	99,193	28·27	147,627	29·29	207,606	27·63	286,911	2
Greek Church	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	253	
Total Catholics	99,193	28·27	147,627	29·29	207,606	27·63	287,164	2
Others—								
Jew, Hebrew	1,759	0·50	2,395	0·48	3,266	0·44	5,484	
Buddhist, Confucian, Mahometan, &c.	12,909	3·68	7,455	1·48	9,345	1·24	10,950	
Other Persuasions	3,393	0·97	1,166	0·23	1,042	0·14	14,982	
Unspecified and ill-defined ..			5,946	1·18	13,697	1·82	14,028	
Total	350,860	100·00	503,981	100·00	751,468	100·00	*1,132,234	10

* Aborigines.—Includes 8,250 Aborigines, who have not been classified.

No. 14.—Religions of the People at the Census of 1891.

Religions.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Episcopalians—			
Church of England, Episcopalian, Anglican	269,605	233,370	502,975
Free Church of England ..	41	35	76
English Catholic	1	1	2
Episcopal Church of Scotland ..	2	1	3
Protestant Episcopal Church of United States of America ..	9	10	19
Catholics—			
Roman Catholic	149,371	137,524	286,895
Greek, Russian, Orthodox Church	242	11	253
Catholic, not otherwise defined ..	13	3	16
Presbyterians—			
Presbyterian Church of New South Wales	57,855	48,609	106,464
Presbyterian Church of Eastern Australia	1,092	1,062	2,154
Free Presbyterian Church ..	215	99	314
Covenanter	1	....	1
Church of Scotland	216	120	336
United Presbyterian Church ..	63	58	121
Methodists—			
Wesleyan, Wesleyan Methodist ..	44,713	42,803	87,516
Primitive Methodist	10,448	9,904	20,352
Bryanite	2	....	2
United Methodist Free Church ..	516	489	1,005
Methodist New Connexion	14	5	19
Lay Methodist	288	296	584
Protestant Methodist	3	10	13
Independent Methodist	5	4	9
Methodist Episcopal Church of the United States	8	....	8
French Evangelistic Methodist ..	....	1	1
Free Church of Tonga	....	1	1
Methodist, not otherwise defined	360	242	602
Baptists—			
General Baptist, Baptist Union of New South Wales	6,282	6,039	1
Welsh Baptist	9	[illegible]	
Scotch Baptist	....	1	
Campbellite	1	....	
Mennonite	2	2	
Particular, Close Communion Baptist	347	337	
Hard-shell Baptist	1	...	
Seventh-day Baptists, Adventist	43	40	
Independents—			
Congregationalist, Independent	12,090	11,999	2
Nonconformist	15	5	
Lutherans—			
German Evangelical	3,377	1,526	
Norwegian Evangelical	1,356	79	
Danish Church	1	....	
Lutheran, not otherwise defined	1,296	406	
Bible Christian	1,273	1,063	
Christians—			
Christian, Disciple of Christ, Church of Christ	1,002	1,040	
Christian Brethren, Plymouth Brethren	477	559	
Christian Israelite, First Day Christian	77	76	
Other Christian Sects—			
Moravian, United Brethren	12	4	
New Church, New Jerusalem Church, Swedenborgian ..	194	176	
Catholic Apostolic Church, Irvingite	175	170	

No. 14.—Religions of the People at the Census of 1891.—*continued.*

Religions.	Males.	Females.	Total.
ristian Sects—*continued.*			
y of Friends, Quaker ..	159	88	247
ian, Unitarian Christian..	885	444	1,329
Church	38	24	62
ist	25	13	38
istic Methodist	20	12	32
ned Church..	2	....	2
ned Church of Germany..	2	1	3
Reformed Church	20	3	23
Reformed Church ..	1	....	1
dian Church	15	12	27
adelphian	273	275	548
-day Saint	148	159	307
ion Army	5,264	5,051	10,315
elical Church	5	8	13
elical Union	5	....	5
ian	....	1	1
ndent, unconnected .	1	....	1
urch	2	2	4
hurch	13	10	23
of God	27	33	60
of The Living God ..	3	2	5
ission	6	19	25
e Mission	14	....	14
. .. .	1	....	1
. .. .	3	1	4
ter	16	5	21
ibbon Army	....	4	4
an Army	9	2	11
ar People	9	15	24
alist	13	2	15
tist	1	1	2
ian	1	....	1
mian	1	....	1
e	2	....	2
an Pythagorean	1	....	1
onian	....	1	1
lite	1	....	1
an Socialist	23	4	27
an Association	2	2	4
Protestant	2	1	3
, Unsectarian—			
al Christian	1	....	1
an Saint	....	1	1
Churchman	1	....	1
elist	9	2	11
an Spiritualist	1	....	1
teligion	1	....	1
ional Immortality ..	2	....	2
Temperance	1	....	1
ralist	1	....	1
er in God	2	....	2
er of the Body of Christ ..	5	7	12
of God	1	2	3
er in Christ..	10	9	19
er in the Lord	4	3	7
er in the Bible	1	....	1
n Christ	9	2	11
eliever	2	....	2
ured in the Admonition of Lord"	1	3	4
ible Study	1	1	2
of Truth	1	....	1
Only," Ephesians II. 8 ..	3	3	6
Religion	2	5	7
ered unto Me" . ..	1	....	1
by Grace	1	1	2
.. ..	5	3	8
astes VI. Only	....	1	1
ans Unsectarian	108	85	193
ant, not otherwise defined	2,347	1,440	3,787
tian Sects—			
ebrew	3,034	2,442	5,476
Israelite	3	4	7
ed Hebrew	1	....	1
etan	524	4	528
n	14	10	24
phist	15	13	28
ddhist	4	4	8
e Buddhist..	4	1	5

Religions.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Non-Christian Sects—*continued.*			
Spiritualist	147	140	287
Buddhist	9,287	69	9,356
Confucian	622	10	632
Chinese Church	88	....	88
Joss House	31	....	31
Japanese Church	3	....	3
Hindoo	34	9	43
Brahmin	9	3	12
Pagan	242	.. .	242
Sun Worshipper	12	....	12
Parsee	2	....	2
Zoroastrian..	1	....	1
Deist..	87	13	100
Theist	17	1	18
Sceptics—			
Freethinker	4,444	1,020	5,464
Sceptic	5	....	5
Agnostic	294	53	347
Infidel	13	....	13
Atheist	224	69	293
Materialistic Atheist	1	....	1
Pantheist	7	1	8
Socialist	38	15	53
Fatalist	1	....	1
Eclectic	1	....	1
Materialist	8	1	9
Ethical	1	....	1
Indefinite Religions—			
Exclusive Brethren	2	1	3
Open Brethren	1	....	1
"Do Good"	1	....	1
Rationalist	15	....	15
Secularist	111	50	161
National Religion..	1	....	1
Experience	1	....	1
Seeker	1	....	1
Bellamyite	1	....	1
Positivist	3	....	3
Iconoclast	2	....	2
Believer in Facts	1	....	1
Radical	1	....	1
Free Option	4	2	6
Moralist	1	....	1
Philosopher	1	....	1
Cosmopolitan	10	....	10
Reformer	1	....	1
Nihilist	1	....	1
Evolutionist	1	....	1
Brotherhood of Man	1	....	1
Non-intrusionist	1	....	1
Natist	1	....	1
Admirer of Nature	1	....	1
Calathumpian	4	....	4
Pessimist	1	....	1
Tolerationist	2	2	4
Pantheistic Presbyterian ..	1	....	1
Neutral	....	2	2
Unprejudiced	3	....	3
Non-sectarian	....	3	3
Humanitarian	14	2	16
Liberal	1	1	2
No Denomination	3,816	1,111	4,927
No Religion	2,477	658	3,135
No Christian	1	....	1
Object to state religion	7,655	3,582	11,237
Not stated or ill-defined	2,086	705	2,791
Total	608,003	515,951	1,123,954
Aborigines—not tabulated	4,559	3,721	8,280
Total Population	612,562	519,672	1,132,234

No. 15.—Education of the People, Census Periods 1861–91.

Census Periods.	Under 10.			10 and under 20.			20 and over.			Total, all Ages.		
	Read and Write.	Read only.	Cannot Read.	Read and Write.	Read only.	Cannot Read.	Read and Write.	Read only.	Cannot Read.	Read and Write.	Read only.	Ca R
1861.												
Males	4,968	6,685	39,121	24,416	5,103	6,044	81,179	10,026	20,946	110,563	21,814	6
Females ..	4,858	7,032	36,703	26,257	5,164	3,464	46,865	12,014	10,015	77,980	24,210	5
1871.												
Males	12,412	10,916	54,330	38,986	5,685	5,680	114,061	10,764	22,717	165,459	27,365	8
Females ..	12,387	10,376	52,360	41,406	4,896	3,852	77,487	13,754	11,910	131,282	29,026	6
1881.												
Males	21,749	10,006	74,816	73,504	4,394	5,620	185,578	9,790	25,092	280,831	24,190	10
Females ..	22,062	9,649	72,718	74,266	3,358	3,440	129,968	12,175	12,743	226,236	25,182	8
1891.												
Males	38,463	10,973	105,715	112,220	1,417	2,134	307,860	9,039	19,182	458,543	21,529	12
Females ..	38,687	10,120	103,524	112,825	988	1,214	225,515	10,999	12,079	377,027	22,107	11

Aborigines.—The 1861 and 1881 returns are exclusive of Aborigines; the 1871 and 1881 figures, however, incl those who were enumerated. See explanatory note, Table No. 9.

No. 16.—Education of the People at the Census of 1891.

Ages.	English Language.				Foreign Language only.				Cannot Read.		Total.		
	Read and write.		Read only.		Read and write.		Read only.						
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	To
Under 1	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	17,488	17,141	17,488	17,141	3
1	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	16,380	15,724	16,380	15,724	3
2	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	17,055	16,423	17,055	16,423	3
3	....	....	24	34	..	..	..	..	16,496	16,287	16,520	16,321	3
4	....	....	693	714	..	..	..	..	15,504	15,031	16,197	15,745	3
5	1,532	1,525	1,935	1,852	..	..	..	..	12,267	11,873	15,734	15,250	3
6	4,862	4,940	3,291	3,077	..	..	..	..	6,895	6,742	14,988	14,759	2
7	8,971	9,078	2,802	2,487	1	..	1	..	2,789	2,682	14,564	14,247	2
8	11,026	11,218	1,444	1,320	..	2	..	..	1,200	1,145	13,670	13,685	2
9	12,131	11,920	783	635	..	4	..	1	632	476	13,546	13,036	2
10	12,856	12,846	377	335	..	..	..	..	358	269	13,591	13,450	2
11	12,171	12,032	228	189	2	1	..	..	247	164	12,648	12,386	2
12	12,098	12,004	167	118	3	1	..	..	196	144	12,464	12,267	2
13	11,118	11,033	109	75	4	..	..	..	140	94	11,371	11,202	2
14	11,506	11,411	83	66	4	..	..	..	173	88	11,766	11,565	2
15	10,706	10,939	80	41	13	2	1	..	172	80	10,972	11,062	2
16	10,695	10,885	91	35	25	3	..	..	179	97	10,990	11,020	2
17	10,139	10,357	85	42	30	5	..	..	184	82	10,438	10,486	2
18	10,271	10,673	83	41	48	7	5	..	239	96	10,640	10,817	2
19	10,460	10,620	105	46	81	6	3	..	246	103	10,895	10,775	2
20	10,516	10,606	96	54	193	7	2	..	315	117	11,122	10,784	2
21 A[illegible] 25	43,554	41,357	526	272	998	38	15	..	1,451	682	46,544	42,349	8
25 ,, 30	54,902	44,972	751	547	1,782	63	57	5	2,210	1,086	59,752	46,673	1
30 ,, 35	46,877	34,352	794	768	1,948	63	71	3	2,243	1,228	51,925	36,424	8
35 ,, 40	35,064	24,906	886	969	1,496	65	56	3	2,136	1,227	40,238	27,11[illegible]	6
40 ,, 45	26,797	19,539	894	1,169	1,448	45	74	7	2,014	1,243	31,227	22,0[illegible]	
45 ,, 50	22,952	15,798	968	1,503	1,033	46	47	3	1,805	1,341	26,8[illegible]	18,491	4
50 ,, 55	18,688	11,738	916	1,484	1,117	31	59	5	1,886	1,284	22,5[illegible]	14,92[illegible]	3
55 ,, 60	13,864	8,175	779	1,375	595	41	50	5	1,356	1,125	16,644	10,7[illegible]	2
60 ,, 65	10,096	5,697	659	1,050	511	41	29	7	1,229	882	12,504	7,[illegible]	2
65 ,, 70	5,530	3,418	431	776	201	50	7	4	776	617	6,945	4,8[illegible]	1
70 ,, 75	3,753	2,411	417	644	114	32	9	7	714	564	4,997	3,[illegible]	
75 ,, 80	2,014	1,211	287	368	41	23	3	1	492	360	2,857	1,[illegible]	
80 ,, 85	877	542	134	163	17	6	..	..	263	165	1,291	876	
85 ,, 90	258	167	46	51	3	1	..	..	114	65	421	284	
90 ,, 95	82	45	11	13	2	..	..	..	47	21	142	79	
95 ,, 100	10	8	3	3	1	..	..	..	7	16	21	27	
100	3	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	5	2	
101	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	2	2	
102	....	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	....	1	1	1	
103	1	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	....	2	2	2	
104	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	1	....	
107	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	1	....	
Total	446,960	376,515	20,921	22,[illegible]	11,789	785	489	51	127,844	116,722	6[illegible]	515,971	1,12
Aborigines, not tabulated	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	4,759	3,721	
Total Population, Census 1891											612,562	519,672	1,13

Ages.—The ages of 1,768 persons, concerning whom the Householders' Schedules merely disclosed that 96 were the age of 21, and 1,672 adults, have been distributed by a process of gradation among the ages under 70.

Education—Read and Write and Read only in a Foreign Language.—Under the headings of Read and and Read only, the return includes those who have been educated in a foreign language only. In previous census information was not obtained.

No. 17.—Occupations of the People, Census Periods 1861-91.

Occupations.	1861.		1871.		1881.		1891.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Divisions.								
Breadwinners	132,408	28,806	171,320	36,373	262,691	54,963	382,385	89,502
Dependents	63,509	122,245	99,820	190,854	145,410	282,510	223,285	425,918
Classes.								
Professional	5,003	1,158	6,817	2,075	11,546	4,288	21,089	10,402
Domestic	6,178	13,919	8,721	16,507	12,689	25,000	17,659	38,208
Commercial	15,536	2,043	23,119	2,473	41,441	4,194	81,291	5,338
Industrial	36,181	3,983	49,316	6,126	97,293	10,326	122,650	17,801
Primary producers—								
Agriculture	33,640	5,755	45,733	6,361	60,365	6,520	67,576	7,022
Pastoral pursuits	13,276	1,231	17,169	1,666	17,333	2,385	31,172	5,092
Mining	21,382	.....	18,529	.....	18,393	.....	30,936	1
Other primary producers ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,224	3
Indefinite	1,212	717	1,916	1,165	3,631	2,250	4,788	5,635
Dependents	63,509	122,245	99,820	190,854	145,410	282,510	223,285	425,918
Occupation not stated	2,571	1,321	4,411	1,203	3,048	2,846	2,333	531
Total, exclusive of Aborigines	198,488	152,372	275,551	228,430	411,149	340,319	608,003	515,951
	350,860		503,981		751,468		1,123,954	

No. 18.—Occupations of the People at the Census of 1891.

Occupations.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Classes.			
Professional	21,089	10,402	31,491
Domestic	17,659	38,208	55,867
Commercial	81,291	5,338	86,629
Industrial	122,650	17,801	140,451
Agricultural, pastoral, mineral, and other primary producers ...	134,908	12,118	147,026
Indefinite	4,788	5,635	10,423
Dependents	223,285	425,918	649,203
Occupation not stated	2,333	531	2,864
Orders.			
Ministering to—			
Government, defence, law, &c.	7,263	99	7,362
Religion, charity, health, education, &c....	13,826	10,303	24,129
Board, lodging, and attendance	17,659	38,208	55,867
Dealing in—			
Finance and real property...	7,267	652	7,919
Art and mechanic productions	3,304	247	3,551
Textile fabrics, dress, and fibrous materials	4,965	857	5,822
Food, drinks, and stimulants	12,736	1,066	13,802
Animals, animal and vegetable matters	2,692	59	2,751
Fuel and light	1,339	10	1,349
Minerals and metals	1,503	26	1,529
General and undefined dealers, and speculators on chance events...	16,819	1,920	18,739
Engaged in—			
Storage	313	1	314
Railway, road, and marine traffic, post and telegraph service, &c.	30,353	500	30,853
Working in—			
Art and mechanic productions	18,496	621	19,117
Textile fabrics, dress and fibrous materials	7,709	16,892	24,601
Food, drinks, and stimulants	7,683	240	7,923
Animal and vegetable substances...	9,181	12	9,193
Minerals and metals	13,717	8	13,725
Construction of buildings, railways, roads, bridges, and earthworks	38,507	4	38,511
Imperfectly defined industrial pursuits	27,357	24	27,381
Engaged in cultivation of land, rearing of animals, &c.	134,908	12,118	147,026
Of independent means, and indefinite..	4,788	5,635	10,423
Dependent relatives and others, including scholars...	214,692	421,960	636,652
Dependents on charity and public support	8,593	3,958	12,551
Occupation not stated	2,333	531	2,864

No. 18.—Occupations of the People at the Census of 1891—*continued.*

Occupations.	Males.	Females.	Total.
SUB-ORDERS.			
Ministering to—			
General government	1,192	8	1,2
Local government	270	7	2
Defence	1,237	.....	1,2
Law and order	4,564	84	4,6
Religion	1,374	164	1,5
Charity, exclusive of hospitals	64	289	3
Health	2,579	2,574	5,1
Literature	694	36	7
Science	230	.....	2
Civil engineering, architecture, and surveying	2,876	.....	2,8
Education	3,035	5,727	8,7
Fine arts	751	235	9
Music	629	1,088	1,7
Amusements	1,594	190	1,7
Engaged in—			
Board and lodging	7,777	10,132	17,6
Attendance	9,882	28,076	37,9
Banking and finance	3,225	48	3,2
Insurance and valuation	1,926	14	1,9
Land and household property	2,069	590	2,6
Property rights not elsewhere classed	47	.....	
Books, publications, and advertising	877	77	9
Dealing in—			
Musical instruments	68	6	
Prints, pictures, and art materials	24	2	
Ornaments, minor art products, and small wares	227	79	
Requisites for sports and games	.....	.....	
Designs, medals, type, and dies	2	.....	
Watches, clocks, and scientific instruments	384	7	
Surgical instruments and appliances	2	.....	
Arms and explosives	3	.....	
Machines, tools, and implements	186	9	
Carriages and vehicles	11	.....	
Harness, saddlery, and leatherware	35	.....	
Ships, boats, and ship-chandlery	59	.....	
Building materials and house fittings (not elsewhere classed)...	703	1	
Furniture	301	23	
Chemicals and by-products	73	.....	
Paper, paper-makers' materials	349	43	
Textile fabrics	4,343	744	5,
Dress	607	113	
Fibrous materials	15	.....	
Animal food	6,289	110	6,
Vegetable food	2,174	474	2,
Groceries, drinks, narcotics, and stimulants	4,273	482	4,
Living animals	1,232	3	1,
Manures, and animal waste products	.....	.....	
Hides, skins, and raw materials	60	1	
Wool and other animal matters	390	.....	
Seeds, plants, flowers, vegetable products for fodder and gardening purposes	990	55	1,
Other vegetable matters not included elsewhere	20	.....	
Coal and other substances mainly used for fuel and light ...	1,339	10	1,
Stone, clay, earthenware, glassware, and minerals not otherwise classed	159	16	
Gold, silver, and precious stones	5	.....	
Metals other than gold and silver	1,339	10	1,
General and undefined dealers	9,412	1,323	10,
Speculators on chance events	234	9	
Other mercantile persons, undefined...	7,173	588	7,

). 18.—Occupations of the People at the Census of 1891—*continued.*

Occupations.	Males.	Females.	Total.
SUB-ORDERS—*continued.*			
in—			
e	313	1	314
ay and tramway traffic	7,778	143	7,921
traffic...	7,672	24	7,696
d river traffic	10,498	57	10,555
service	1,875	253	2,128
aph and telephone service	1,598	22	1,620
ry of documents, parcels, and messages	932	1	933
in—			
and publications	4,045	314	4,359
al instruments	145	.....	145
, pictures, and art materials	277	13	290
ients, minor art products, and small wares	317	114	431
sites for sports and games	13	.....	13
s, medals, type, and dies	150	.....	150
ies, clocks, and scientific instruments	712	4	716
al instruments and appliances	16	1	17
ammunition, and explosives	80	.....	80
es, machines, tools, and implements	3,716	.....	3,716
ges and vehicles	2,912	1	2,913
ss, saddlery, leather, and leatherware	2,861	10	2,871
boats, and their equipment	1,181	.....	1,181
ure	1,979	120	2,099
cals and by-products	92	44	136
e fabrics	143	74	217
... ...	7,361	16,803	24,164
in—			
s materials	205	15	220
l food	492	5	497
able food	5,003	157	5,160
ries, drinks, narcotics, and stimulants	2,188	78	2,266
l matters (not otherwise classed)	1,082	3	1,085
(not otherwise classed)	8,038	5	8,043
able produce for fodder	36	.....	36
manufacture	25	4	29
onversion of coal and other substances to purposes of eat, light, &c...	1,634	.....	1,634
factures and processes relating to stone, earthenware, ay, glass, &c....	2,955	4	2,959
us metals and precious stones	202	1	203
metals	8,926	3	8,929
s and buildings	24,378	1	24,379
, railways, earthworks, &c., or undefined	13,333	1	13,334
al of dead matter or refuse	796	2	798
fectly defined industrial pursuits	27,357	24	27,381
in—			
ultural pursuits	67,576	7,022	74,598
al pursuits, including dairy farming	31,172	5,092	36,264
ies, the capture, preservation, or destruction of wild imals, &c.	1,666	2	1,668
ry, or the acquisition of raw products yielded by natural egetation	1,653	.....	1,653
rvation of water, and water supply	1,905	1	1,906
, quarries, or the acquisition of mineral products ...	30,936	1	30,937
f independent means, having no specific occupation, or ndefined	4,606	5,617	10,223
defined, both as regards means and particular occupation	182	18	200
ts—			
ming domestic duties	98	210,701	210,799
rs and students	118,454	117,136	235,590
ves not stated to be performing domestic duties	96,140	94,123	190,263
rted by the State and voluntary contributions	6,059	3,450	9,509
al class	2,534	508	3,042
n not stated	2,333	531	2,864

No. 19—Conjugal Condition of the People, Census Periods 1861–91.

Conjugal Condition.	1861.			1871.			1881.			1891.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	T
Never married..	137,638	93,079	230,717	192,776	143,671	336,447	299,440	216,158	515,59[illegible]	424,286	324,378	7[illegible]
Married	56,092	53,550	109,588	76,028	74,960	150,988	110,732	102,066	212,79[illegible]	166,634	165,648	3[illegible]
Widowed	4,512	5,743	10,555	6,749	9,799	16,548	9,994	16,068	26,062	16,905	25,799	[illegible]
Divorced	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	178	126	[illegible]
Total Population (exclusive of Aborigines)	198,488	152,372	350,860	275,551	228,430	503,981	411,146	340,219	751,46[illegible]	608,003	515,951	1,1[illegible]

Aborigines.—The Aborigines are not included for the years 1861 and 1891; but for 1871 and 1881, while the wan Aborigines were passed over, those who were civilized or in communication with Europeans were enumerated, so th totals for 1871 and 1881 include 983 and 1,643 Aborigines respectively. In the above table also those unspecified conjugal condition have been distributed by proportion amongst the other numbers.

No. 20.—Conjugal Condition, according to Age, of the People at the Cens of 1891.

Ages.	Never married.		Married.		Widowed.		Divorced.		Total.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	P
Under 16	228,963	224,243	....	17	....	....	....	....	228,963	224,260	4[illegible]
16	10,988	10,910	2	110	....	....	....	....	10,990	11,020	[illegible]
17	10,419	10,160	9	325	....	1	....	....	10,428	10,486	[illegible]
18	10,623	9,936	21	880	2	1	....	....	10,646	10,817	[illegible]
19	10,804	9,225	90	1,543	1	6	....	1	10,895	10,775	[illegible]
20	10,847	8,407	271	2,358	4	17	....	2	11,122	10,784	[illegible]
21 and under 25	39,932	24,403	6,519	17,685	86	255	7	6	46,544	42,349	[illegible]
25 „ 30	35,894	13,719	23,324	32,041	514	881	20	32	59,752	46,673	1[illegible]
30 „ 35	21,160	5,541	29,818	29,505	929	1,352	26	26	51,933	36,424	[illegible]
35 „ 40	12,598	2,883	26,396	22,584	1,201	1,618	43	25	40,238	27,110	[illegible]
40 „ 45	8,963	1,834	20,673	18,018	1,547	2,135	24	16	31,227	22,003	[illegible]
45 „ 50	6,610	1,188	18,504	14,549	1,730	2,744	21	10	26,865	18,491	[illegible]
50 „ 55	6,048	790	14,506	10,530	2,020	3,337	12	5	22,586	14,662	[illegible]
55 „ 60	3,908	439	10,761	7,061	1,965	3,219	10	2	16,644	10,721	[illegible]
60 „ 65	3,112	323	7,354	4,289	2,029	3,065	9	....	12,504	7,677	[illegible]
65 „ 70	1,489	158	3,936	2,183	1,516	2,524	4	....	6,945	4,865	[illegible]
70 „ 75	1,063	127	2,501	1,263	1,431	2,267	2	1	4,997	3,658	
75 „ 80	499	51	1,291	508	1,047	1,344	....	....	2,837	1,903	
80 „ 5	228	29	498	151	565	696	....	....	1,291	876	
85 and over	118	12	160	48	318	337	....	....	596	397	
Total	424,286	324,378	166,634	165,648	16,905	25,799	178	126	608,003	515,951	1,[illegible]
Aborigines not tabulated	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4,559	3,721	
Total Population, inclusive of Aborigines—Census, 1891									612,562	519,672	1,1[illegible]

No. 21.—Sickness and Infirmity at the Census of 1891.

Nature of Infirmity.		Under 1 year.	1 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 20.	20 and under 30.	30 and under 40.	40 and under 50.	50 and under 60.	60 and over.	Age not stated	To all.
Sick	Males ..	67	190	440	222	768	750	732	876	1,682	5	[illegible]
	Females	48	195	435	272	872	719	562	519	760	3	[illegible]
Accident	Males ..	....	14	90	128	248	254	202	163	146	3	[illegible]
	Females	....	7	33	17	28	21	25	26	54	..	
Deaf and Dumb	Males ..	....	9	74	41	39	24	13	7	3	..	
	Females	....	4	54	32	28	24	17	7	7	..	
Deaf only	Males ..	....	2	31	24	63	105	123	133	298	1	
	Females	....	5	38	22	55	72	101	96	179	..	
Dumb only..	Males ..	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	
	Females	....	....	2	1	2	1	....	....	....	..	
Blind	Males ..	1	1	21	15	33	37	49	65	194	..	
	Females	1	3	26	13	25	23	33	40	161	..	
Insane	Males ..	....	....	25	32	234	447	442	407	332	7	[illegible]
	Females	....	....	21	35	155	233	316	231	202	10	[illegible]
Idiotic	Males ..	....	....	38	15	47	23	12	14	13	2	
	Females	....	....	29	22	25	7	11	7	20	1	
Epileptic	Males ..	....	5	36	22	56	45	15	16	13	1	
	Females	....	2	32	24	31	19	9	7	6	..	
Paralytic	Males ..	....	7	56	27	40	41	61	100	198	..	
	Females	....	7	49	18	22	35	25	42	123	..	
Leprous (see note)	Males .	....	....	1	2	5	6	1	....	....	..	
	Females	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	
Crippled	Males ..	2	30	197	99	154	123	123	145	308	1	[illegible]
	Females	....	17	142	71	70	49	43	49	152	..	
Lost a Limb	Males ..	....	1	36	33	112	112	94	90	88	..	
	Females	....	....	10	7	8	11	13	11	9	..	
Lost Sight of an Eye ..	Males ..	....	10	70	47	112	183	152	173	198	..	
	Females	....	4	30	27	29	32	26	30	40	..	
Total (exclusive of Aborigines) ..	Males ..	70	269	1,118	707	1,911	2,150	2,019	2,189	3,473		
	Females	49	244	901	561	1,350	1,246	1,181	1,065	1,713		
Total		119	513	2,019	1,268	3,261	3,396	3,200	3,254	5,186		

Lepers.—The 5 lepers, 10 of whom were Chinese, were all inmates of the Government Leper Lazaret, [illegible]

No. 22.—Habitations at the Census of 1891.

See also "Census of 1891, Part 7, Habitations."

Houses.

Houses, &c.	Within Boroughs and Municipal Districts.		Outside Boroughs and Municipal Districts.		New South Wales.	
	Number.	Per-centage.	Number.	Per-centage.	Number.	Per-centage.
ted houses	124,182	85·21	72,668	75·50	196,850	81·34
stores, offices, &c.	296	0·20	.....	.....	296	0·12
tents	4,368	3·00	14,426	14·99	18,794	7·77
public institutions	221	0·15	41	0·04	262	0·11
t houses	9,080	6·23	7,086	7·36	16,166	6·68
s being built	876	0·60	379	0·39	1,255	0·52
offices, &c., used as places of business y—not residences	6,711	4·61	1,657	1·72	8,368	3·46
Total...	145,734	100·00	96,257	100·00	241,991	100·00

Materials of which Built.

Materials of which Built.	Within Boroughs and Municipal Districts.		Outside Boroughs and Municipal Districts.		New South Wales.	
	Number.	Per-centage.	Number.	Per-centage.	Number.	Per-centage.
... ...	6,819	4·68	1,801	1·87	8,620	3·56
... ...	76,166	52·26	4,756	4·95	80,922	33·44
ete, adobe, pisé	236	0·16	678	0·70	914	0·38
... ...	1,899	1·30	1,556	1·62	3,455	1·43
slabs	54,644	37·50	67,432	70·05	122,076	50·44
nd plaster, wattle and dab, mud, bark ...	514	0·35	4,318	4·49	4,832	2·00
s, calico	4,368	3·00	14,426	14·98	18,794	7·77
cified	1,088	0·75	1,290	1·34	2,378	0·98
Total...	145,734	100·00	96,257	100·00	241,991	100·00

Rooms and average number of Persons to a Dwelling.

Dwellings of—	Within Boroughs and Municipal Districts.			Outside Boroughs and Municipal Districts.			New South Wales.		
	Habitations.	Persons.	Persons to a Dwelling.	Habitations.	Persons.	Persons to a Dwelling.	Habitations.	Persons.	Persons to a Dwelling.
om (principally tents) ...	6,110	9,898	1·62	18,766	31,070	1·66	24,876	40,968	1·65
ooms	5,982	18,348	3·07	10,155	32,793	3·23	16,137	51,141	3·17
and four rooms	42,576	188,607	4·43	23,344	117,081	5·01	65,920	305,688	4·64
nd six rooms	45,613	248,751	5·45	18,729	115,412	6·16	64,342	364,163	5·66
to ten rooms	21,099	139,462	6·61	11,176	82,284	7·36	32,275	221,746	6·87
to fifteen rooms ...	4,554	38,646	8·49	2,817	26,034	9·24	7,371	64,680	8·77
n to twenty rooms ...	1,169	13,880	11·87	743	8,759	11·79	1,912	22,639	11·84
wenty rooms	830	16,558	19·95	330	5,070	15·36	1,160	21,628	18·64
s not stated	913	4,578	5·01	1,034	4,756	4·60	1,947	9,334	4·80
tory population and rs camping out, not including those in tents ...	.....	1,018	...	.....	2,124	...	.....	3,142	..
Institutions	221	12,210	55·25	41	966	23·56	262	13,176	50·29
ing	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	5,649	...
otal Population (exclusive of Aborigines)	129,067	691,956	5·36	87,135	426,349	4·89	216,202	1,123,954	5·2

No. 23.—Estimated Population of New South Wales, on 31st December, 1

	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	To
Births during the year 1896	18,691	17,815	36,506			
Deaths during the year 1896	9,256	6,583	15,839			
Excess of Births over Deaths... ...	...	...	...	9,435	11,232	20
Arrivals by sea	40,683	21,950	62,633			
Departures by sea*	41,924	22,776	64,700			
Excess of Departures by sea	...	...	...	(-)1,241	(-)826	(-)2
Arrivals overland from Victoria, South Australia, and Queensland	37,536	21,324	58,860			
Departures overland to Victoria, South Australia, and Queensland	35,740	21,950	57,690			
Excess of Arrivals overland				1,796	(-)626	1
Total increase during the year 1896				9,990	9,780	19
Estimated Population on 31st December, 1895				685,160	592,710	1,277
Estimated Population on 31st December, 1896				695,150	602,490	1,297

* Allowance has been made for those unrecorded.

No. 24.—Population of Metropolitan and Country Districts, 31st Decembe 1887-96.

Year.	Metropolitan.			Country.	New South Wales.		
	Sydney.	Suburbs.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Tot
1887	121,160	203,670	324,830	695,500	558,350	461,980	1,020
1888	118,020	224,260	342,280	708,800	573,190	477,890	1,051
1889	114,960	245,710	360,670	721,150	589,010	492,810	1,081
1890	111,980	268,060	380,040	741,820	609,650	512,210	1,121
1891	109,090	290,180	399,270	766,030	630,870	534,430	1,165
1892	106,380	305,330	411,710	785,940	646,540	551,110	1,197
1893	105,890	315,140	421,030	802,340	658,990	564,380	1,223
1894	103,870	319,730	423,600	827,850	672,950	578,500	1,251
1895	100,000	308,500	408,500	869,370	685,160	592,710	1,277
1896	96,330	313,670	410,000	887,640	695,150	602,490	1,297

Population (estimated) 30th June, 1897.—Males, 702,395; Females, 609,045; Total, 1,311,440.

No. 25.—Mean Population of Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1887-9

Year.	Metropolitan.			Country.	New South Wales.		
	Sydney.	Suburbs.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Tot
1887	122,770	193,780	316,550	688,285	550,805	454,030	1,004
1888	119,590	213,965	333,555	702,150	565,770	469,935	1,035
1889	116,490	234,985	351,475	714,975	581,100	485,350	1,066
1890	113,470	256,885	370,355	731,485	599,330	502,510	1,101
1891	110,535	279,120	389,655	753,925	620,260	523,320	1,143
1892	107,735	297,755	405,490	775,985	638,705	542,770	1,181
1893	106,135	310,235	416,370	794,140	652,765	557,745	1,210
1894	104,880	317,435	422,315	815,095	665,970	571,440	[illegible]
1895	101,935	314,115	416,050	848,610	679,055	585,605	[illegible]
1896	97,925	311,325	409,250	878,505	690,155	597,600	[illegible]

. 26.—Excess of Births over Deaths in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1887–96.

Year.	Metropolitan.			Country.			New South Wales.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1887	3,638	4,236	7,874	7,487	8,427	15,914	11,125	12,663	23,788
1888	3,528	3,921	7,449	7,635	9,033	16,668	11,163	12,954	24,117
1889	3,457	3,549	7,006	7,204	8,289	15,493	10,661	11,838	22,499
1890	3,847	4,091	7,938	7,758	9,046	16,804	11,605	13,137	24,742
1891	3,685	3,903	7,588	7,143	8,441	15,584	10,828	12,344	23,172
1892	4,161	4,397	8,558	7,827	9,246	17,073	11,988	13,643	25,631
1893	3,759	3,713	7,472	7,774	9,074	16,848	11,533	12,787	24,320
1894	3,739	3,564	7,303	7,540	8,938	16,478	11,279	12,502	23,781
1895	3,538	3,738	7,276	7,669	8,916	16,585	11,207	12,654	23,861
1896	3,288	3,425	6,713	6,147	7,807	13,954	9,435	11,232	20,667

. 27.—Excess of Immigration over Emigration by Sea (as recorded), 1887–96.

Year.	Adults.			Children (sexes not stated).	Total Excess.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.		All Nationalities except Chinese.	Chinese (see note below).	Excess of Immigration (see note below).
1887	5,607	2,797	8,404	794	7,535	1,663	9,198
1888	4,017	893	4,910	365	4,989	286	5,275
1889	6,673	2,689	9,362	1,102	11,398	(—)934	10,464
1890	8,822	3,572	12,394	1,242	14,258	(—)622	13,636
1891	10,642	4,806	15,448	2,398	18,410	(—)564	17,846
1892	5,699	2,929	8,628	882	10,244	(—)734	9,510
1893	4,613	2,224	6,837	1,222	8,583	(—)524	8,059
1894	5,857	2,531	8,388	1,224	10,163	(—)551	9,612
1895	5,591	3,170	8,761	956	10,036	(—)319	9,717
1896	1,223	(—)424	799	(—)682	468	(—)351	117

Excess of Immigration.—It is believed that not a few persons leave New South Wales without their departure being ...ded; the figures given, therefore, are somewhat in excess of the truth.

Chinese Immigration.—Under Act. 52 Vic., No. 4, passed in the year 1888, no Chinese, unless exempted by the Act, ...llowed to enter New South Wales either by sea or land without the payment of a tax of £100 each. The exemptions ...Chinese who are British subjects by birth, who have been naturalised in New South Wales, or those who arrive on a ...al mission under the authority of the British or Chinese Governments, and members of crews of vessels who land in the ...nsance of their duties. Naturalisation of Chinese in New South Wales is now prohibited by the Act. Chinese natura...l in other Colonies are not entitled to the right of British citizenship in New South Wales.

(—) Denotes excess of Emigration.

No. 28.—Arrivals by Sea (as recorded), 1887–96.

Year.	Adults.			Children (sexes not stated).	Total.			
						Chinese. (See Note, to Table No. 27.)		
	Males.	Females.	Total.		All Nationalities except Chinese.	British Subjects, or those who have been naturalised in N.S.W.	Not Naturalised.	Tot
1887	43,769	15,236	59,005	4,413	58,982	2,638	1,798	4,4
1888	40,295	15,446	55,741	4,435	58,328	1,386	462	1,8
1889	39,208	16,719	55,927	4,855	60,775	6	1	
1890	43,124	19,107	62,231	5,285	67,501	12	3	
1891	44,519	19,318	63,837	6,082	69,902	16	1	
1892	39,538	17,757	57,295	4,902	62,176	19	2	
1893	42,536	18,603	61,139	5,770	66,875	27	7	
1894	46,917	21,823	68,740	6,848	75,512	73	3	
1895	46,338	22,719	69,057	6,994	75,957	92	2	
1896	38,164	18,342	56,506	6,127	62,534	97	2	

The figures given in the above table are exclusive of arrivals in respect of the crews of vessel

No. 29.—Departures by Sea (as recorded), 1887–96.

Year.	Adults.			Children (sexes not stated).	Total.	
	Males.	Females.	Total.		All Nationalities except Chinese.	Chinese. (See Note, to Table No. 27.)
1887	38,162	12,439	50,601	3,619	51,447	2,773
1888	36,278	14,553	50,831	4,070	53,339	1,562
1889	32,535	14,030	46,565	3,753	49,377	941
1890	34,302	15,535	49,837	4,043	53,243	637
1891	33,877	14,512	48,389	3,684	51,492	581
1892	33,839	14,828	48,667	4,020	51,932	755
1893	37,923	16,379	54,302	4,548	58,292	558
1894	41,060	19,292	60,352	5,624	65,349	627
1895	40,747	19,549	60,296	6,038	65,921	413
1896	36,941	18,766	55,707	6,809	62,066	450

The figures given in the re exclusive of the departures in respect of the crews of ves

No. 30.—State-Assisted Immigrants, 1832–96.

Adults and Children.

Year.	Adults.			Children under 12 years.			Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
1832–86	76,458	80,487	156,945	26,456	25,215	51,671	208,616
1887	131	687	818	286	258	544	1,362
1888	58	190	248	149	131	280	528
1889	44	168	212	104	115	219	431
1890	55	132	187	110	79	189	376
1891	26	81	107	45	38	83	190
1892	25	73	98	40	41	81	179
1893	19	47	66	23	31	54	120
1894	13	28	41	18	8	26	67
1895	2	16	18	12	7	19	37
1896	8	3	11	3	3	6	17
Total ...	76,839	81,912	158,751	27,246	25,926	53,172	211,923

Birthplaces and Religions.

Year.	Birthplaces.				Religions.		
	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Other Countries.	Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	Other Religions.
1832–86	942,52	23,582	88,385	2,397	134,943	72,738	935
1887	777	233	289	63	1,030	283	49
1888	409	88	20	11	481	17	30
1889	297	105	23	6	395	31	5
1890	255	88	19	14	339	26	11
1891	143	30	6	11	163	17	10
1892	95	39	26	19	134	26	19
1893	72	25	18	5	92	19	9
1894	48	9	8	2	57	8	2
1895	13	10	10	4	24	4	9
1896	11	.....	6	.....	11	6	.....
Total ...	96,372	24,209	88,810	2,532	137,669	73,175	1,079

State-Assisted Immigration.—General State-assisted immigration ceased in the year 1887, but those who arrived under that system, and are still residing in New South Wales, may, under special regulations, send for their wives and families. The immigrants who arrived during 1896 were nominated in the Colony. The amount of passage money required to be paid by each person is graduated according to age, and ranges from £1 for children 3 years and under 14 to £15 for married men over 40 years of age, and unmarried persons over 35 years of age. Reference may be made to records relating to the arrival of immigrants since 1832, and copies of certificates of birth, &c., may be obtained by immigrants at the Chief Secretary's Department, Sydney.

Section II.—VITAL STATISTICS.

:AL STATISTICS.—For fuller information regarding Vital Statistics, see "Vital Statistics," published by the Registrar-General's Department.

No. 33.—Births in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1887–96.

ar.	Metropolitan.						Country.			New South Wales.		
	Sydney.			Suburbs.								
	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
87	1,881	1,896	3,777	4,820	4,823	9,643	12,200	11,616	23,816	18,901	18,335	37,236
88	1,930	1,832	3,762	5,012	4,933	9,945	12,674	12,144	24,818	19,616	18,909	38,525
89	1,819	1,731	3,550	5,119	4,675	9,794	12,397	11,554	23,951	19,335	17,960	37,295
90	1,795	1,720	3,515	5,125	4,889	10,014	12,967	12,464	25,431	19,887	19,073	38,960
91	1,866	1,668	3,534	5,377	5,097	10,474	13,143	12,307	25,450	20,386	19,072	39,458
92	1,783	1,597	3,380	5,411	5,279	10,690	13,338	12,633	25,971	20,532	19,509	40,041
93	1,748	1,586	3,334	5,540	5,082	10,622	13,534	12,852	26,386	20,822	19,520	40,342
94	1,671	1,562	3,233	5,203	4,755	9,958	13,119	12,641	25,760	19,993	18,958	38,951
95	1,585	1,445	3,030	4,935	4,796	9,731	13,357	12,656	26,013	19,877	18,897	38,774
96	1,486	1,468	2,954	4,853	4,495	9,348	12,352	11,852	24,204	18,691	17,815	36,506

'o. 34.—Illegitimate Births in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1887–96.

ar.	Metropolitan.						Country.			New South Wales.		
	Sydney.			Suburbs.								
	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
87	245	251	496	197	180	377	393	445	838	835	876	1,711
88	298	269	567	230	252	482	432	477	909	960	998	1,958
89	325	293	618	226	222	448	446	475	921	997	990	1,987
90	287	303	590	256	210	466	506	489	995	1,049	1,002	2,051
91	342	303	645	265	239	504	480	486	966	1,087	1,028	2,115
92	366	337	703	274	265	539	526	521	1,047	1,166	1,123	2,289
93	317	332	649	302	306	608	671	582	1,253	1,290	1,220	2,510
94	331	328	659	295	250	545	634	599	1,233	1,260	1,177	2,437
95	355	285	640	303	276	579	687	618	1,305	1,345	1,179	2,524
96	297	347	644	269	276	545	628	628	1,256	1,194	1,251	2,445

Sydney.—The Benevolent Asylum situated at Sydney is used as a Maternity Hospital.
The figures in the foregoing table are included in those shown in Table No. 33.

No. 35.—Birth-rates in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1887–96.

Year.	Births per Thousand of Mean Population.				Proportion per cent. of Illegitimate to Total Births.			Total Male Births to every 100 Female Births.
	Metropolitan.		Country.	New South Wales.	Metro-politan.	Country.	New South Wales.	
	Sydney.	Suburbs.						
1887	30·76	49·76	34·60	37·06	6·50	3·52	4·60	103·09
1888	31·46	46·48	35·35	37·20	7·65	3·66	5·08	103·74
1889	30·47	41·68	33·50	34·97	7·99	3·85	5·33	107·65
1890	30·98	38·98	34·77	35·36	7·81	3·91	5·26	104·27
1891	31·97	37·53	33·76	34·50	8·20	3·80	5·36	106·89
1892	31·37	35·90	33·47	33·89	8·83	4·03	5·72	105·24
1893	31·41	34·24	33·23	33·33	9·01	4·75	6·22	106·67
1894	30·83	31·37	31·60	31·48	9·13	4·79	6·26	105·46
1895	29·72	30·98	30·65	30·66	9·55	5·02	6·51	105·19
1896	30·17	30·03	27·55	28·35	9·66	5·19	6·70	104·92
lean Birth-rate for last 10 years	30·93	36·72	32·69	33·47	8·42	4·26	5·71	105·31

No. 36.—Marriages Solemnized by Ministers of Religion and Dis Registrars, 1887–96.

Religion.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	18
Church of England	3,056	3,134	2,885	3,126	3,323	3,216	3,022	2,895	2,8
Roman Catholic...	1,221	1,350	1,288	1,373	1,510	1,469	1,462	1,361	1,4
Presbyterian	1,030	977	979	965	1,142	1,055	983	1,042	9
Wesleyan Methodist	770	815	753	798	885	816	862	821	8
Primitive Methodist	227	256	271	256	282	241	218	187	2
United Methodist Free Church ..	...	...	...	12	36	29	30	20	
Methodist Episcopal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Independent Methodist...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Lay Methodist	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	14	
Baptist	120	133	167	118	118	119	121	120	2
Independent Baptist	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.
Congregationalist	562	543	546	540	500	456	386	351	3
German Evangelical, Lutheran ...	20	28	28	23	17	19	17	23	
Bible Christian	...	...	...	...	18	13	11	17	
Christian, Church of Christ	34	35	28	33	15	17	14	154	
Catholic Apostolic Church	...	...	4	5	...	2	2	...	..
Society of Friends (Quakers)	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	..
Swedenborgian, New Church	1	3	4	1	...	1	...	...	..
Bethel Union	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	45	
Gospel Temperance Church	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Salvation Army	10	22	26	41	37	44	29	29	
Unitarian	1	4	6	10	11	9	6	114	2
Hebrew	27	32	35	23	23	14	21	20	.
Other Sects	2	1	...	1	2	35	4	11	
District Registrars	508	511	509	551	537	466	543	442	3.
Total Marriages	7,590	7,844	7,530	7,876	8,457	8,022	7,749	7,666	8,0

No. 37.—Marriage Rate per 1,000 of Mean Population, 1887–96.

Year.	Marriages Registered.				*Marriages per 1,000 of Mean Po		
	Sydney.	Suburbs.	Country.	New South Wales.	Sydney.	Suburbs.	Country.
1887	1,931	1,582	4,077	7,590	15·73	8·16	5·92
1888	1,925	1,602	4,317	7,844	16·10	7·49	6·15
1889	1,830	1,574	4,126	7,530	15·71	6·70	5·77
1890	1,836	1,667	4,373	7,876	16·18	6·49	5·98
1891	1,956	1,879	4,622	8,457	17·70	6·73	6·13
1892	1,844	1,732	4,446	8,022	17·18	5·82	5·73
1893	1,636	1,733	4,380	7,749	15·41	5·59	5·52
1894	1,868	1,573	4,225	7,666	17·81	4·96	5·18
1895	2,177	1,443	4,410	8,030	21·36	4·59	5·20
1896	2,076	1,672	4,747	8,495	21·20	5·37	5·40
Mean Marriage-rate for last 10 years					17·32	6·03	5·68

* By doubling the numbers, the *persons* married per 1,000 of the mean population may be obtained.

No. 38—Solemnization of Marriages by Ministers of Religion and Di Registrars, 1887–96—Percentages.

Year.	Marriages Performed—					Year.	Marriages Performed—			
	Total.	By Ministers of Religion.		By District Registrars.			Total.	By Ministers of Religion.		By D Regi
		Number.	Per cent	Number.	Per cent.			Number.	Per cent.	Number.
1887	7,590	7,082	93·31	508	6·69	1892	8,022	7,556	94·19	466
1888	7,844	7,333	93·49	511	6·51	1893	7,749	7,206	92·99	543
1889	7,530	7,021	93·24	509	6·76	1894	7,666	7,224	94·23	442
1890	7,876	7,325	93·00	551	7·00	1895	8,030	7,694	95·82	336
1891	8,457	7,920	93·65	537	6·35	1896	8,495	8,136	95·77	359

Marriages by Ministers of Religion.—In January, 1897 there were 1,143 Ministers of Religion regist Act 19 Vic. No. 34 for the celebration of marriages.

Marriages by District Registrars.—In addition to the Ministers of Religion who have been registered ance with the Act, District Registrars appointed by the Government for the registration of Births, Marriages, a may perform the marriage ceremony, conditionally that the persons about to be married declare that they cons object to be married by a Minister of Religion.

No. 39.—Persons signing Marriage Register with Marks, 1887–96.

ear.	Metropolitan.				Country.		New South Wales.		
	Sydney.		Suburbs.						
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females	Total.
887	40	70	10	29	181	201	231	300	531
888	66	69	26	33	215	178	307	280	587
889	48	65	18	32	195	146	261	243	504
890	30	33	27	24	161	151	218	208	426
891	40	54	46	32	187	162	273	248	521
892	35	53	39	41	189	134	263	228	491
893	18	27	29	27	132	102	179	156	335
894	22	33	10	22	110	95	142	150	292
895	33	46	19	19	125	94	177	159	336
896	39	41	19	26	140	106	198	173	371

RTION OF PERSONS SIGNING MARRIAGE REGISTER WITH MARKS TO TOTAL PERSONS MARRIED.

r.	Metropolitan.		Country.	N. S. Wales	Year.	Metropolitan.		Country.	N. S. Wales
	Sydney.	Suburbs.				Sydney.	Suburbs.		
	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.		per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.
7	2·85	1·23	4·68	3·50	1892	2·39	2·31	3·63	3·06
8	3·51	1·84	4·55	3·74	1893	1·38	1·62	2·67	2·16
9	3·09	1·59	4·13	3·35	1894	1·47	1·02	2·43	1·90
0	1·71	1·52	3·56	2·70	1895	1·81	1·30	2·49	2·09
1	2·40	2·08	3·78	3·08	1896	1·93	1·35	2·59	2·18

No. 40.—Divorced Persons Re-married during each year, 1887–96.

r.	Marriages Dissolved. (Decree Nisi made absolute.)	Divorced Persons who were Re-married.			Year.	Marriages Dissolved. (Decree Nisi made absolute.)	Divorced Persons who were Re-married.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.			Males.	Females.	Total.
7	25	4	11	15	1892	56	22	17	39
8	28	8	7	15	1893	247	19	47	66
9	38	11	6	17	1894	290	31	73	104
0	50	10	13	23	1895	289	47	86	133
1	53	15	15	30	1896	271	54	70	124

vorce.—Under Act 55 Vic., No. 37, assented to 9th May, 1892, and 56 Vic., No. 36 (13th June, 1893), the grounds on vorce may be granted have been largely extended. This explanation accounts for the large yearly increase in the of marriages dissolved in 1893 and each subsequent year. For full particulars of Divorce see Part "Law ne," and statistics in reference to Divorced persons published in the Report of the Registrar-General, "Vital ."

-marriages.—The number of those persons who were divorced in New South Wales, and again married in the annot be separated in the above table, which shows the Re-marriages of persons who had been divorced either outh Wales or elsewhere.

No. 41.—Deaths in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1887–96.

Year.	Metropolitan.						Country.			New South W	
	Sydney.			Suburbs.							
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.
1887	1,100	842	1,942	1,963	1,641	3,604	4,713	3,189	7,902	7,776	5,672
1888	1,266	897	2,163	2,148	1,947	4,095	5,039	3,111	8,150	8,453	5,955
1889	1,200	919	2,119	2,281	1,938	4,219	5,193	3,265	8,458	8,674	6,122
1890	1,114	786	1,900	1,959	1,732	3,691	5,209	3,418	8,627	8,282	5,936
1891	1,292	899	2,191	2,266	1,963	4,229	6,000	3,866	9,866	9,558	6,728
1892	1,037	745	1,782	1,996	1,734	3,730	5,511	3,387	8,898	8,544	5,866
1893	1,177	878	2,055	2,352	2,077	4,429	5,760	3,778	9,538	9,289	6,733
1894	987	804	1,791	2,148	1,949	4,097	5,579	3,703	9,282	8,714	6,456
1895	962	721	1,683	2,020	1,782	3,802	5,689	3,740	9,429	8,671	6,243
1896	966	659	1,625	2,085	1,879	3,964	6,205	4,045	10,250	9,256	6,583

No. 42.—Death-rates in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1887–9

Year.	Deaths per 1,000 of Mean Population.						Male to 100 D
	Metropolitan.		Country.	New South Wales.			
	Sydney.	Suburbs.		Males.	Females.	Total.	
1887	15·82	18·60	11·48	14·12	12·49	13·38	1
1888	18·09	19·14	11·61	14·94	12·67	13·91	1
1889	18·19	17·95	11·83	14·93	12·61	13·87	1
1890	16·74	14·37	11·79	13·82	11·81	12·90	1
1891	19·82	15·15	13·09	15·41	12·86	14·24	1
1892	16·54	12·53	11·47	13·38	10·81	12·20	1
1893	19·36	14·28	12·01	14·23	12·07	13·24	1
1894	17·08	12·91	11·39	13·08	11·30	12·26	1
1895	16·51	12·10	11·11	12·77	10·66	11·79	1
1896	16·59	12·73	11·67	13·41	11·02	12·30	1
Mean Death-rate for last 10 years	17·48	14·60	11·74	13·97	11·78	12·96	1

No. 43.—Proportion of Deaths of Children to Total Deaths, Metropolita Country Districts, 1887–96.

Year.	Under 5 years.				Under 1 year.			N
	Metropolitan.		Country.	New South Wales.	Metropolitan.		Country.	
	Sydney.	Suburbs.			Sydney.	Suburbs.		
	⅌ cent.	⅌ cent.	⅌ cent.	⅌ cent.	⅌ cent.	⅌ cent.	⅌ cent.	
1887	39·65	50·72	38·24	41·79	29·50	36·54	26·01	
1888	42·21	51·82	38·92	43·08	29·59	35·26	26·83	
1889	45·35	53·99	38·77	44·05	33·32	37·80	27·93	
1890	38·05	48·09	37·85	40·52	28·68	34·62	26·07	
1891	39·02	46·49	37·39	39·97	30·30	33·36	26·51	
1892	38·05	47·40	38·00	40·44	29·29	35·12	27·12	
1893	42·97	51·37	41·05	44·14	27·59	33·44	27·18	
1894	35·68	44·15	37·33	38·98	27·81	30·92	26·75	
1895	31·13	45·11	35·14	37·23	23·94	33·30	25·89	
1896	33·35	42·68	36·01	37·41	26·71	32·19	26·59	
Mean Proportion for last 10 years	38·90	48·23	37·83	40·74	28·84	34·23	26·68	

No. 44.—Deaths of Individuals over 5 Years of Age in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1887–96.

Year	Metropolitan.						Country.			New South Wales.		
	Sydney.			Suburbs.								
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1887	702	470	1,172	986	790	1,776	3,106	1,774	4,880	4,794	3,034	7,828
1888	769	481	1,250	1,050	923	1,973	3,281	1,697	4,978	5,100	3,101	8,201
1889	685	473	1,158	1,068	873	1,941	3,439	1,740	5,179	5,192	3,086	8,278
1890	712	465	1,177	1,028	888	1,916	3,439	1,910	5,349	5,179	3,263	8,442
1891	832	504	1,336	1,206	1,057	2,263	3,975	2,202	6,177	6,013	3,763	9,776
1892	672	432	1,104	1,013	949	1,962	3,651	1,866	5,517	5,336	3,247	8,583
1893	695	477	1,172	1,122	1,033	2,155	3,631	1,992	5,623	5,448	3,502	8,950
1894	657	495	1,152	1,186	1,102	2,288	3,690	2,127	5,817	5,533	3,724	9,257
1895	683	476	1,159	1,101	987	2,088	3,908	2,211	6,119	5,692	3,674	9,366
1896	685	938	1,083	1,176	1,096	2,272	4,220	2,339	6,559	6,081	3,833	9,914

No. 45.—Deaths of Children under 5 Years of Age in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1887–96.

Year.	Metropolitan.						Country.			New South Wales.		
	Sydney.			Suburbs.								
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1887	398	372	770	977	851	1,828	1,607	1,415	3,022	2,982	2,638	5,620
1888	497	416	913	1,098	1,024	2,122	1,758	1,414	3,172	3,353	2,854	6,207
1889	515	446	961	1,213	1,065	2,278	1,754	1,525	3,279	3,482	3,036	6,518
1890	402	321	723	931	844	1,775	1,770	1,508	3,278	3,103	2,673	5,776
1891	460	395	855	1,060	906	1,966	2,025	1,664	3,689	3,545	2,965	6,510
1892	365	313	678	983	785	1,768	1,860	1,521	3,381	3,208	2,619	5,827
1893	482	401	883	1,230	1,044	2,274	2,129	1,786	3,915	3,841	3,231	7,072
1894	330	309	639	962	847	1,809	1,889	1,576	3,465	3,181	2,732	5,913
1895	279	245	524	919	795	1,714	1,781	1,529	3,310	2,979	2,569	5,548
1896	281	261	542	909	783	1,692	1,985	1,706	3,691	3,175	2,750	5,925

No. 46.—Deaths of Children under 1 Year of Age in Metropolitan a Country Districts, 1887–96.

Year.	Metropolitan.				Country.		New South W	
	Sydney.		Suburbs.					
	Total.	Per 1,000 Births.	Total.	Per 1,000 Births.	Total.	Per 1,000 Births.	Total.	Pe B
1887	573	151·7	1,317	136·6	2,055	86·3	3,945	1
1888	640	170·1	1,444	145·2	2,187	88·1	4,271	1
1889	706	198·9	1,595	162·8	2,362	98·6	4,663	1
1890	545	155·0	1,278	126·7	2,249	88·4	4,072	1
1891	664	187·9	1,411	134·7	2,616	102·8	4,691	1
1892	522	154·4	1,310	122·5	2,413	92·9	4,245	1
1893	567	170·1	1,481	139·4	2,592	98·2	4,640	1
1894	498	154·0	1,267	127·2	2,483	96·4	4,248	1
1895	403	133·0	1,266	130·1	2,437	93·7	4,106	1
1896	434	146·9	1,276	136·5	2,725	112·6	4,435	1

The figures in the foregoing table are included in those shown in Table No. 45.

No. 47.—Deaths by Suicide, 1887–96.

Year.	Mode of taking Life.												Total Suicides.			Proportion	
	Shooting.		Cut, Stab.		Poison.		Drowning.		Hanging.		Other Modes.					Male Suicides	Female Suicides
																Per Ten Thous	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total	Male Population.	Female Population.
1887	22		14	1	17	11	14	7	26	4	4	1	97	24	121	1·76	0·53
1888	29		18	5	26	19	7	4	16	1	6		102	30	132	1·80	0·64
1889	25		20	4	18	10	8	5	15	3	3		89	23	112	1·53	0·47
1890	9		6	2	16	12	14	5	25	2	4	2	94	24	118	1·57	0·48
1891	36		4	2	6	10	3	2	29	4	2		100	19	119	1·61	0·35
1892	37		7		0	11	8	4	20	1	6	2	108	19	127	1·69	0·35
1893	4		8	2	28	8	22	8	5	6	3		128	25	153	1·96	0·45
1894	29	2	15	3	22	14	23	6	7	5	5		111	40	151	1·67	0·70
1895	37	1	24	2	25	10	24	9	8	4	7	2	135	28	163	1·99	0·48
1896	39	1	18	2	26	0	39		6	3	7		155	27	182	2·25	0·45

Suicides.—The number of suicides in this table does not agree with the verdicts at inquests as given on the m or in many instances where an open verdict was returned the case has been tabulated according to the weight of e by the Registrar-General's Department.

No. 48.—Inquests and Magisterial Inquiries as to Causes of Death, 1896.

Verdicts and Findings as to Causes of Death.	Number. M.	F.	Total.
Deaths resulting from—			
. SPECIFIC FEBRILE OR ZYMOTIC DISEASES.			
Diarrhœal Diseases—			
Diarrhœa	7	..	7
I. PARASITIC DISEASES.			
Hydatids	1	1	2
II. DIETETIC DISEASES.			
Starvation	1	..	1
Thirst	7	..	7
Intemperance and exposure ..	10	2	12
Cold and exposure	6	..	6
Exhaustion	15	3	18
V. CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES.			
Cancer	2	..	2
Phthisis	4	..	4
Tuberculosis	..	1	1
7. DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES.			
Premature birth	1	..	1
Still-born	..	1	1
Old age	13	2	15
VI. LOCAL DISEASES.			
Diseases of the Nervous System—			
Inflammation of the brain	3	..	3
Apoplexy	55	5	60
Paralysis	1	..	1
Epilepsy	2	1	3
Convulsions	7	8	15
Congestion of the brain	12	1	13
Diseases of the Circulatory System—			
Syncope	20	12	32
Rupture of the heart	7	1	8
Rupture of a blood vessel	6	..	6
Heart disease (undefined)	59	15	74
Diseases of the Respiratory System—			
Asthma..	2	..	2
Bronchitis	2	..	2
Pneumonia	6	3	9
Congestion of the lungs	3	2	5
Pleurisy	2	..	2
Lung disease (undefined)	2	1	3
Diseases of the Digestive System—			
Enteritis	2	2	4
Peritonitis	6	6	12
Liver disease	3	..	3
Deaths resulting from—			
VI. LOCAL DISEASES—*continued.*			
Diseases of the Urinary System—			
Kidney disease	3	1	4
Diseases of Parturition—			
Childbirth	..	2	2
VII. VIOLENCE.			
Accident or Negligence—			
Fractures and contusions	293	25	318
Gunshot wounds	12	3	15
Blood poisoning	1	2	3
Burns	19	43	62
Scalds	1	3	4
Lightning	1	2	3
Poison	9	3	12
Drowning	124	27	151
Suffocation—whilst eating	4	1	5
,, infants overlain ..	9	3	12
,, under chloroform ..	2	..	2
,, otherwise	9	..	9
Shock to the system	2	3	5
Eating bad fish, meat, fruit ..	1	1	2
Tetanus	1	..	1
Homicide—			
Murder		6	15
Manslaughter	5	2	7
Justifiable homicide	1	..	1
Suicide—			
Gunshot wounds	35	1	36
Cutting throat	14	1	15
Stabbing	2	..	2
Poison	20	8	28
Drowning	8	6	14
Hanging	24	2	26
Jumping from a height	2	..	2
Otherwise	1	..	1
Execution—			
Hanging	1	..	1
Violent Deaths not Classified (Open Verdicts)—			
Found drowned	40	3	43
,, poisoned	2	..	2
,, suffocated	1	..	1
,, injured	1	..	1
,, shot	1	..	1
VIII. ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES.			
Atrophy, debility, inanition ..	2	2	4
Hæmorrhage	3	1	4
Tumour	..	1	1
Natural causes	65	18	83
No evidence to show	32	2	34
No verdict returned..	9	2	11
Total	1,036	241	1,277

1889–96.

Year.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Year.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	1,082	261	1,343	1893	971	249	1,220
1890	1,060	245	1,305	1894	908	269	1,177
1891	1,102	217	1,319	1895	969	251	1,220
1892	1,053	268	1,321	1896	1,036	241	1,277

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1.—State Expenditure on Education, Science, and Art, during the financial year ended 30th June, 1897.

Head of Expenditure.	Amount Expended.
FROM CONSOLIDATED REVENUE.	£
lic Instruction under Act 43 Vic. No. 23	666,196
ney University	12,092
iated Colleges (Endowment)	1,500
Women's College	500
ney Grammar School	1,500
ervatory	3,898
Public Library	7,284
tralian Museum	6,156
ional Art Gallery...	3,969
Society of New South Wales	500
al Society of New South Wales...	500
istrial Schools	10,890
South Wales Zoological Society	1,052
al Geographical Society	49
rd of International Exchanges	100
erial Institute, London	410
ision of Lists of Fishes	87
orical Records of New South Wales	500
id of Educational Establishments	5,561
ruction to the Blind	500
id of Women's Branch of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, in connection with the work being done in Public Schools ...	50
tements, Gratuities, &c.	1,175
Total from Consolidated Revenue ... ... £	724,469
FROM LOANS.	
inical Colleges—Erection of	4,622
lic School Buildings and Additional Areas to existing Public School Grounds	15,685
Gallery—Additions to	8,213
eum—Additions, &c.	3,691
Total from Loans ... ... £	32,211
Grand Total Cost ... ... £	756,680

1.—Where furniture, stores, and stationery have been supplied during the year, the cost of these articles has been included in the amount set down.

No. 2.—Schools, Teachers, and Pupils enrolled at all Schools, 1896.

Class of School.	Schools.				Teachers.			Scholars on the Roll.		
	For Males.	For Females.	Mixed.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
University ...	3	1	1	5	48	...	48	379	75	454
State Schools ...	2	3	2,569	2,574	2,332	2,110	4,442	116,296	105,307	221,603
Sydney Grammar School ...	1	...	...	1	17	...	17	458	...	458
Other Private Institutions ...	87	80	726	893	584	2,503	3,087	24,024	29,943	53,967
Reformatories ...	2	..	1	3	4	1	5	432	25	457
Industrial Schools ...	...	1	...	1	...	2	2	...	124	124
Charitable Schools ...	...	...	6	6	9	16	25	352	281	633
Total	95	85	3,303	3,483	2,994	4,632	7,626	141,931	135,744	277,675

No. 3.—State Schools, Teaching Staff, and number of Scholars, 1892-96.

SCHOOLS, TEACHERS, AND SCHOLARS, 1892-96.
(Including High Schools.)

Year.	Schools in operation.	Teachers.	Gross Aggregate Enrolment.	Corrected Aggregate Year's Enrolment of Distinct Scholars	Quarterly Enrolment.	Average Attendance.		
						Number.	Percentage of Year's Enrolment.	Percentage of Quarterly Enrolment.
1892	2,502	4,636	239,364	210,641	186,207	132,580	62·94	71·20
1893	2,520	4,527	238,951	210,277	186,327	128,322	61·02	68·86
1894	2,503	4,453	234,392	206,265	181,678	130,089	63·06	71·60
1895	2,563	4,477	245,904	216,396	192,075	139,778	64·68	72·77
1896	2,574	4,442	251,821	221,663	197,025	142,192	64·16	72·17

Primary Schools.—Under the Public Instruction Act (44 Vic. No. 20), which came into force on the [illegible] it is provided that "the instruction imparted in Public Schools shall be strictly non-sectarian." "Special [illegible] allowed for the use of any approved religious text-book not distinguished from dogmatical or polemical [illegible]."

Compulsory Attendance.—The Act makes it obligatory upon the parents or guardians of all children [illegible] years of age to cause such children to attend some school for a period of not less than [illegible] days in each quarter. The minimum age for admission of pupils has been fixed at [illegible] years by a Ministerial [illegible].

Causes of Exemption.—The causes of exemption defined by the Act are: That the child is being regularly educated [illegible]; that there is no State school within 2 miles by the nearest road, or that the [illegible] are [illegible] to the standard of education required. Under this last clause, examinations for [illegible] are [illegible] annually at each of the schools.

Public School Fees.—The weekly fees are three pence for each child up to four children of one family; for [illegible] larger number of children of the same family the charge is one shilling. Where inability to pay fees is shown payment is [illegible].

No. 4.—Religions of Scholars attending State Schools, 1892-96.

Year.	Total Enrolment.			Religions.					
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Church of England.	Roman Catholic.	Presbyterian.	Wesleyan.	Other.	Total.
1892	96,125	89,156	185,281	95,503	27,658	19,656	23,337	19,127	185,281
1893	93,605	85,982	179,587	92,225	29,915	19,098	22,607	18,042	179,577
1894	94,487	89,407	183,894	92,907	29,613	19,340	22,062	19,972	183,874
1895	99,704	90,929	190,630	98,256	28,309	20,191	24,047	19,809	190,630
1896	103,056	93,494	196,550	101,032	29,977	20,941	24,203	20,307	196,550

Religious Instruction.—Provision is made for clergymen or other authorised religious teachers of any denomination to give religious instruction at specified hours to the scholars belonging to their persuasion, and separate class rooms are generally provided for this purpose.

NOTE.—The enrolment is that of the December quarter of each year.

No. 5.—Average Daily Attendance and Number of Free Scholars, 1892–96.

Year.	Average Daily Attendance.			Free Scholars.			"State" Children included with Free Scholars.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
1892	68,603	62,476	131,079	5,374	4,980	10,354	1,477
1893	64,081	57,341	121,422	7,092	6,581	13,673	1,559
1894	70,435	63,779	134,214	9,579	9,028	18,607	1,777
1895	74,692	67,239	141,931	12,263	11,690	23,953	1,950
1896	76,706	67,601	144,307	13,920	13,054	26,974	2,080

NOTE.—The figures given above refer to the December quarter of each year.

No. 6.—State High Schools, 1896.

(Included in foregoing Tables.)

Schools.		Date when established.	Teachers.			Scholars.			
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Total enrolment.	Average quarterly enrolment.	Average daily attendance.	Fees paid.
									£
Sydney	Boys ...	Oct., 1883	7	...	7	169	119	110	785
	Girls ...	" ...	2	5	7	212	165	152	1,155
Maitland	Boys ...	" ...	3	...	3	91	69	63	299
	Girls ...	" ...	1	4	5	72	54	48	224
Bathurst	Girls ...	" ...	...	3	3	33	24	19	113
Total		.....	13	12	25	577	431	392	2,576

Expenditure.—The total expenditure on High Schools for 1896 was £6,579, of which the sum of £5,833 was paid as salaries the amount received as fees was £2,576, the net cost to the State being £4,003, or £6 18s. 9d. per head of total enrolment.

No. 7.—State Scholarships and Bursaries, 1896.

Scholarships and Bursaries.	Obtained at examinations held during 1896.						Current on 31st December, 1896.					
	Scholarships.			Bursaries.			Scholarships.			Bursaries.		
Holders attending—	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Sydney University ...	...	...	...	6	4	10	...	...	...	17	9	26
Sydney Grammar School	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	10	...	10
Public High Schools—												
Sydney	16	16	32	13	11	24	33	44	77	25	24	49
Maitland	8	10	18	10	5	15	20	25	45	26	9	35
Bathurst	...	5	5	...	2	2	...	13	13	...	3	3
Superior Public Schools	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	2	2	1	2	3
Total	25	32	57	31	22	53	53	84	137	79	47	126

Matriculated Students.—The total number of scholars and bursars who passed the Matriculation examination includes 15 who qualified at the junior, and 2 at the senior examination.

Scholarships.—In the High Schools, 60 scholarships are open for competition annually, viz., 30 in the Sydney Schools, 10 in the Bathurst Girls' School, and 20 in the Maitland schools. A scholarship is tenable for 3 years, and entitles scholar to a free grant of text-books and free education in a High School.

Bursaries.—Bursaries are available for admission to the Superior Schools, High Schools, or Sydney Grammar School. In the metropolitan and sub-metropolitan districts, 20 half-bursaries are awarded, and in the country districts, 10 full bursaries, winners of which are eligible for free education at the Superior Schools, High Schools, or Grammar School of Sydney. For the Maitland Boys' High School 10 full bursaries, and for the Maitland and Bathurst Girls' High Schools 5 full bursaries each, are granted. A bursary is tenable for 3 years, and entitles a scholar to a free grant of text-books and free education in the above-named Schools. When a bursar is compelled to board away from home, an allowance not exceeding £20 per annum is made.

Examinations.—Half-yearly examinations for scholarships and bursaries are held during June and December.

University Bursaries.—Ten bursaries, 6 to boys and 4 to girls, tenable for 3 years at the Sydney University, are awarded according to the position of candidates at the March matriculation examination. Competitors must be under 18 years of age and must have attended a State High School, a Public School, or as State Bursars the Sydney Grammar School, for the year preceding the examination. Bursars are entitled to a free grant of text-books and free education, together with an allowance not exceeding £20 per annum to those who need not board away from home, and not exceeding £50 per annum to those who must necessarily do so.

No. 8.—Classification of State Schools, 1896.

Schools and Departments.			
Schools.	Requisite average daily attendance.	Number of— Schools.	Number of— Departments in Schools.
High Schools	.....	5	5
Public and Half-time Schools—			
Class I	600 and upwards.....	40	120
„ II...	400 and under 600...	36	106
„ III	300 „ 400...	26	59
„ IV	200 „ 300...	62	88
„ V...	100 „ 200...	127	129
„ VI	50 „ 100...	198	198
„ VII	40 „ 50 ..	185	185
„ VIII	30 „ 40...	335	335
„ IX	20 „ 30...	860	860
„ X...	Under 20	193	193
Unclassed	.....	133	133
Provisional Schools	.....	310	310
House-to-house Schools	.....	44	44
Evening Public Schools	.....	20	20
Total	.....	2,574	2,785

Schools and Departments, 1896.—The number of schools and departments in operation during 1896 was 2,574 and 2,785 respectively. Of these there were 2,502 schools and 2,713 departments open on the 31st December, 1896. With few exceptions all Schools below Class IV are "Mixed Schools," the boys, girls, and infants not being separated into different departments.

Superior Public Schools.—To entitle a Public School to be designated a "Superior" Public School at least 50 pupils must be eligible to join a fifth class. At the end of 1896 there were 100 Public Schools of Classes I to V, comprising 249 Departments, classed as "Superior" Public Schools. In these schools instruction is given to the fifth class in Latin, French, and other subjects prescribed for the Senior and Junior Examinations.

No. 9.—Teaching Staff at State Schools, 1896.

Teachers.			
Classification.	Males.	Females.	Total.
High School	12	13	25
Principal...	1,725	521	2,246
Mistresses of Departments	.....	210	210
Assistant...	271	613	884
Pupil	299	660	959
Students in Training	25	26	51
Work Mistresses	.....	67	67
Total	2,332	2,110	4,442

Training Schools for Teachers.—There are two Training Schools, Fort-street for males, and Hurlstone for females, the total enrolment for 1896 being 26 and 29 respectively. Persons who have completed their course as pupil teachers are alone eligible for admission. Students who gain a classification of II A, with honors, are granted, on their passing the matriculation examination, scholarships at the University for twelve months, which may be conditionally renewed for the second year. The students are also given practical work under supervision in the Practising Schools and Kindergarten Department of the Model Public School, Fort-street. On completion of the course of training each student undergoes examination for a Classification certificate.

No. 10.—State School Districts, 1896.

District.	Inspectors.	Schools or Departments.	Sitting Accommodation.	Quarterly Enrolment.	Average Daily Attendance.
Armidale	4	356	17,959	15,518	11.181
Bathurst	3	260	16,704	13,798	9,518
Bowral	3	258	18,702	14,403	10,276
Goulburn	4	399	17,251	14,393	10,608
Grafton	3	326	18,923	14,977	10,956
Maitland	3	245	27,202	21,754	16,044
Metropolitan	4	208	67,840	59,681	43,464
Sub-Metropolitan...	2	153	16,174	14,098	10,222
Wagga Wagga	4	331	24,008	17,309	12,184
Wellington	3	244	14,591	11,004	7,739
Total	33	2,780	239,354	197,025	142,192

New South Wales is divided into 10 school districts, each being in charge of a District Inspector, who is assisted by Inspectors. Each school is inspected at least once a year. The number of Departments given in Table No. 8 includes 5 High Schools; the figures are therefore 5 in excess of those shown in the foregoing Table.

Public School Boards.—A School Board consisting of not more than 7 persons has been appointed to each of the 288 Public School Districts. The Board's duties are to visit and report on schools placed under its supervision, to suspend a teacher in certain cases, to use its influence to induce parents to send their children regularly to school, and report the names of persons who refuse to educate their children. 115 ladies were members of these Boards at the end of 1896.

No. 11.—Expenditure on Public Instruction, 1892–96.

Head.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
	£	£	£	£	£
:mises—					
... ...	27,384	12,518	8,584	3,195	2,257
;s, &c.	56,533	47,916	19,432	27,586	15,583
ıs, repairs, &c.	54,913	33,622	29,491	56,974	28,517
r-sheds	2,374	702	515	631	44
:t's expenses	7,108	6,194	5,550	5,934	3,337
... ...	9,367	9,167	8,758	8,584	5,256
ınd sewerage rates	.....	2,736	1,462	1,493	1,758
£	157,679	112,855	73,792	104,397	56,752
ıce of Schools—					
s' salaries and allowances ...	522,334	522,290	512,173	522,496	520,690
travelling expenses	2,907	1,613	2,218	2,762	2,458
forage allowances	2,197	2,344	2,382	2,634	2,666
'uel allowances	1,009	928	977	1,026	1,075
leaning allowances	9,668	9,160	9,261	9,577	9,689
ıaterials	10,615	8,790	7,370	8,221	8,120
neous expenses, including adver- ;, bursaries, cookery, &c. ...	4,855	4,785	4,064	4,626	4,614
£	553,585	549,910	538,445	551,342	549,312
ıtion and Training Schools—					
management	13,138	13,937	*17,036	*16,294	*17,279
ıspector's Branch—					
ection	34,100	29,591	24,009	23,985	23,203
-street Training School	5,006	4,727	3,830	2,145	2,015
stone " "	3,473	2,832	2,767	2,255	2,160
r's Branch	1,414	1,367	1,176	1,409	586
£	57,131	52,454	48,818	46,088	45,243
Total... ... ... £	768,395	715,219	661,055	701,827	651,307

* Includes salary of the Minister of Public Instruction.

NOTE.—The amounts show the Departmental expenditure during the Calendar year.

.—Schools, Teachers, and Scholars—State and Private Colleges, and Schools—1890–96.

Schools.			Teachers.			Scholars.					
						On the Roll.			Average Attendance.		
Girls.	Mixed.	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.
67	2,964	3,120	2,577	3,997	6,574	120,670	117,183	237,853	77,235	73,808	151,043
78	2,989	3,161	2,761	4,267	7,028	127,225	123,466	250,691	79,533	78,556	158,089
72	3,059	3,221	2,912	4,441	7,353	129,936	126,452	256,388	85,510	82,985	168,495
72	3,135	3,302	2,864	4,441	7,305	129,422	126,256	255,678	83,317	80,028	163,345
82	3,199	3,371	2,873	4,546	7,419	130,521	126,760	257,281	86,495	83,617	170,112
73	3,279	3,447	2,886	4,536	7,422	136,437	131,610	268,047	92,031	88,770	180,801
83	3,295	3,467	2,916	4,613	7,529	140,320	135,250	275,570	94,017	91,244	185,261

res in this table are exclusive of the University, Affiliated Colleges, Sydney Grammar School, Government and Industrial Schools, and Schools held in connection with Charitable Institutions subsidised by the

hools.—All State Schools except the High Schools have been classed in this table as "Mixed" Schools.

No. 13.—Schools, Teachers, and Scholars—State Schools, 1890–96.

Year.	Schools.				Teachers.			Scholars.				
								On the Roll.			Average Attend	
	Boys.	Girls.	Mixed.	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females
1890	2	3	2,418	2,423	2,087	2,094	4,181	101,525	93,716	195,241	61,854	54,811
1891	2	3	2,452	2,457	2,223	2,204	4,427	107,140	98,533	205,673	63,884	58,644
1892	2	3	2,497	2,502	2,332	2,304	4,636	109,525	101,116	210,641	69,607	62,973
1893	2	3	2,515	2,520	2,304	2,223	4,527	109,009	101,268	210,277	67,560	60,762
1894	2	3	2,503	2,508	2,294	2,159	4,453	107,750	98,515	206,265	68,705	61,384
1895	2	3	2,558	2,563	2,340	2,137	4,477	113,386	103,010	216,396	73,870	66,108
1896	2	3	2,569	2,574	2,332	2,110	4,442	116,296	105,307	221,603	75,263	66,929

Mixed Schools.—See note to Table 12.

No. 14.—Schools, Teachers, and Scholars—Private Colleges and Scho 1890–96.

Year.	Schools.				Teachers.			Scholars.				
								On the Roll.			Average Attenda	
	Boys.	Girls.	Mixed.	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.
Roman Catholic.												
1890	33	16	195	244	203	909	1,112	13,021	15,531	28,552	10,206	12,225
1891	32	16	202	250	228	1,014	1,242	13,837	16,854	30,691	10,547	13,241
1892	31	11	201	243	222	1,046	1,268	13,973	17,244	31,217	10,820	13,292
1893	37	16	206	259	257	1,102	1,359	14,439	16,860	31,299	10,911	12,838
1894	34	20	231	285	258	1,195	1,453	16,044	19,106	35,150	12,352	14,813
1895	40	17	231	288	239	1,170	1,409	15,999	19,251	35,250	12,420	15,033
1896	41	21	231	293	266	1,261	1,527	16,603	19,949	36,552	12,967	16,004
Church of England.												
1890	12	7	45	64	70	139	209	1,844	1,763	3,607	1,449	1,410
1891	14	7	26	47	75	110	185	1,917	1,417	3,334	1,475	1,037
1892	11	6	31	48	74	114	188	1,749	1,472	3,221	1,388	1,125
1893	10	5	32	47	64	114	178	1,504	1,334	2,838	1,204	932
1894	15	1	46	62	88	158	246	1,852	1,623	3,475	1,445	1,237
1895	13	6	31	50	71	133	204	1,614	1,421	3,035	1,299	1,084
1896	9	7	28	44	60	125	185	1,581	1,518	3,099	1,025	1,151
Other Denominational.												
1890	3	3	8	14	34	35	69	365	299	664	332	227
1891	2	2	4	8	34	21	55	271	215	486	259	174
1892	2	2	7	11	34	31	65	283	318	601	267	258
1893	2	2	8	12	31	28	59	229	255	484	208	223
1894	3	2	5	10	36	28	64	375	301	676	307	235
1895	3	2	6	11	45	31	76	372	309	681	333	274
1896	3	1	3	7	45	25	70	297	246	543	273	231
Undenominational.												
1890	39	38	298	375	183	820	1,003	3,915	5,874	9,789	3,394	5,135
1891	44	50	305	399	201	918	1,119	4,060	6,447	10,507	3,368	5,460
1892	44	50	323	417	250	946	1,196	4,406	6,302	10,708	3,428	5,337
1893	44	46	374	464	208	974	1,182	4,241	6,539	10,780	3,434	5,273
1894	36	56	414	506	197	1,006	1,203	4,500	7,215	11,715	3,686	5,948
1895	37	45	453	535	191	1,065	1,256	5,066	7,619	12,685	4,109	6,271
1896	34	51	464	549	213	1,092	1,305	5,543	8,230	13,773	4,489	6,929
Total Private Colleges and Schools.												
1890	87	64	546	697	490	1,903	2,393	19,145	23,467	42,612	15,381	18,997
1891	92	75	537	704	538	2,063	2,601	20,085	24,933	45,018	15,649	19,912
1892	88	69	562	719	580	2,137	2,717	20,411	25,336	45,747	15,903	20,012
1893	93	69	620	782	560	2,218	2,778	20,413	24,988	45,401	15,757	19,260
1894	88	79	696	863	579	2,387	2,966	22,771	28,245	51,016	17,790	22,2[illegible]
1895	93	70	721	884	546	2,399	2,945	23,051	28,600	51,651	18,161	22,6[illegible]
1896	87	80	726	893	584	2,503	3,087	24,024	29,943	53,967	18,754	24,[illegible]

and Net Expenditure on Public Instruction, 1887–96.

Scholars.	Gross Expenditure.	Receipts from School Fees.	Net Expenditure to State.	Of Average Attendance. Total Cost per Scholar.	Fees received per Scholar.	Net Cost to State per Scholar.
No.	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
184,060	624,983	63,896	561,087	5 17 6	0 12 0	5 5 6
186,692	597,102	69,554	527,548	5 6 5	0 12 5	4 14 0
191,215	635,509	72,318	563,191	5 10 10	0 12 7	4 18 3
195,241	704,260	71,827	632,433	6 0 9	0 12 4	5 8 5
205,673	769,565	75,913	693,652	6 5 7	0 12 5	5 13 2
210,641	768,395	77,525	690,870	5 15 10	0 11 8	5 4 2
210,277	715,219	73,268	641,951	5 11 5	0 11 5	5 0 0
206,265	661,055	70,694	590,361	5 1 7	0 10 10	4 10 9
216,396	701,827	73,320	628,507	5 0 3	0 10 6	4 9 9
221,603	651,307	74,866	576,441	4 11 7	0 10 6	4 1 1

s.—In connection with the State Schools, and inclusive of those attached to Roman ls, there were, at the end of 1896, 113 Cadet Corps, with an enrolment of 3,164 cadets. r Cadets, and comprising infantry, cavalry, artillery, and ambulance corps, were trans- during 1893, and affiliated with certain of the partially-paid regiments. The amount 1896 was £3,139, as against £3,865 in 1895. No new corps were formed during the year. hese are established in connection with the State Schools. At the end of 1896, Savings' ols. The estimated number of depositors was 37,500, and £6,671 was standing to their ced in the Post Office Savings' Bank to the credit of the School Bank. As soon as the depositor reaches £1, a separate account is opened in the child's own name.

Expenditure of Reformatory and Industrial Schools, 1896.

Enrolment during 1896.	Ages of Pupils enrolled. Under 14 years. M.	Under 14 years. F.	14 years and above. M.	14 years and above. F.	No. in School on 31st December, 1896. M.	F.	Total.	Expenditure. Salaries.	Maintenance	Average cost to State per head of enrolment.
								£	£	£ s. d.
554	316	...	238	...	331	...	331	2,880	6,088	15 9 10
100	45	...	55	...	91	...	91	1,155	2,457	23 3 1
63	8	40	...	15	...	15	15	485	470	15 3 2
175	...	41	...	134	...	124	124	931	1,654	14 15 5

ildren at the Shaftesbury Reformatory; on the control of the Institution being tion, these were removed.
nstitution is higher than that of the others consequent on the fact that during were 49 adults accommodated at the Reformatory.

No. 17.— nd Expenditure of Schools connected with Charitable tutions, 1896.

School.	Enrolment during 1896.	Ages of Pupils enrolled. Under 14 years. Males.	Under 14 years. Females.	14 years and above. Males.	14 years and above. Females.	No. in School on 31st December, 1896. Males.	Females.	Total.	Expenditure. Salaries.	Maintenance.	Average cost to State per head of enrolment.	T aver per
									£	£	£ s. d.	£
New Sout s Institution fo. ti. Deaf and Dumb and tl Blind ...	109	43	39	15	12	57	49	106	2,091	1,820	6 18 8	40
Society for Relief of Destitute Children, Randwick	146	83	63	...	...	83	63	146	942	1,901	Nil.	21
Ragged Schools	380	211	168	1	...	212	168	380	584	223	Nil.	3 1

No. 18.—Teachers and Scholars in Private Colleges and Schools, 1889-9

Year.	Schools. Boys.	Girls.	Mixed.	Total.	Teachers. Males.	Females	Total.	Scholars. On the Roll. Males.	Females.	Total.	Average Attendan Males.	Females.	T
	DECEMBER QUARTER.												
1889	93	95	512	700	356	1,528	1,884	19,351	22,274	41,625	15,581	18,338	3
1890	87	64	546	697	490	1,903	2,393	19,145	23,467	42,612	15,381	18,997	3
1891	92	75	537	704	538	2,063	2,601	20,085	24,933	45,018	15,649	19,912	3
1892	88	69	562	719	580	2,137	2,717	20,411	25,336	45,747	15,903	20,012	3
1893	93	69	620	782	560	2,218	2,778	20,413	24,988	45,401	15,757	19,266	3
1894	88	79	696	863	579	2,387	2,966	22,771	28,245	51,016	17,790	22,233	4
1895	93	70	721	884	546	2,399	2,945	23,051	28,600	51,651	18,161	22,	
1896	87	80	726	893	584	2,503	3,087	24,024	29,943	53,967	18,754		

No. 19.—Private Schools, 1896.

Classification.	Schools.			
	Boys.	Girls.	Mixed.	Total.
ıational—				
an Catholic	41	21	231	293
ch of England	9	7	28	44
›yterian	2	1	1	4
eyan	1	.....	1	2
eran	.....	.....	1	1
›minational	34	51	464	549
Total...	87	80	726	893

No. 20.—Teachers at Private Schools, 1896.

Classification.	General Tuition.		Special Subjects.		Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
ational—							
ın Catholic	188	1,060	78	201	266	1,261	1,527
ch of England	35	98	25	27	60	125	185
›yterian	11	10	13	7	24	17	41
eyan	11	4	9	4	20	8	28
eran	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
›minational	104	920	109	172	213	1,092	1,305
Total	350	2,092	234	411	584	2,503	3,087

:tion with the number of teachers shown in the foregoing table, it is to be borne in mind that teachers in respect of special subjects attend more than one school.

No. 21.—Scholars attending Private Schools, 1896.

assification.	On the Roll.			Boarders.		Day Scholars.		Average Attendance during December Quarter.	
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
ıational—									
ın Catholic ...	16,603	19,949	36,552	591	997	16,012	18,952	12,967	16,004
ch of England ...	1,581	1,518	3,099	147	93	1,434	1,425	1,025	1,151
›yterian	102	146	248	63	47	39	99	95	137
eyan	180	76	256	43	24	137	52	163	70
eran	15	24	39	...	...	15	24	15	24
›minational ...	5,543	8,230	13,773	273	346	5,270	7,884	4,489	6,929
Total	24,024	29,943	53,967	1,117	1,507	22,907	28,436	18,754	24,315

No. 22.—Ages of Scholars at Private Schools, 1896.

Classification.	Under 6 years.		6 years and under 14.		14 years and u	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Fe
Denominational—						
Roman Catholic	2,247	2,515	12,925	15,048	1,431	
Church of England	187	202	1,150	1,114	244	
Presbyterian	2	2	45	49	55	
Wesleyan	2	3	68	24	110	
Lutheran	.....	.....	15	24	.....	
Undenominational	867	902	4,013	5,901	663	
Total...	3,305	3,624	18,216	22,160	2,503	

No. 23.—Private Schools—University Degrees held by Teachers, 1896

County.	Denomination.	Degrees.						
		B.A.		M.A.		Other.		D
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.
Cumberland	Undenominational ...	16	26	11	2	3	2	30
"	Roman Catholic ...	...	2	4	1	7	...	11
"	Church of England ...	9	4	8	...	2	3	19
"	Presbyterian	2	4	2	...	3	1	7
"	Wesleyan	5	...	2	1	...	...	7
Argyle	Undenominational ...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1
"	Roman Catholic ...	1	...	...	...	1	1	2
Ashburnham	Undenominational ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Bathurst	Roman Catholic ...	1	...	...	...	2	...	3
"	Church of England ...	2	...	2	...	...	...	4
Brisbane	Undenominational ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Camden	" ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Clarence	" ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Cook	" ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
"	Presbyterian	2	...	1	...	...	...	3
Goulburn	Undenominational ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Harden	Roman Catholic ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Inglis	Undenominational ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Monteagle	" ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Northumberland	" ...	1	1	1	...	...	...	[illegible]
Sandon	Church of England ...	4	...	1	...	...	...	
Townsend	Undenominational ...	1	...	...	...	...		
Wellington	Roman Catholic ...	1	...	...	...	...		
Wynyard	Undenominational ...	...	...	1				

No. 24.—Private Schools and Colleges, 1896.

ounty.	Denominational.									Undenominational.			Total.		
	Roman Catholic.			Church of England.			Other.								
	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars' Average Attendance.	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars' Average Attendance.	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars' Average Attendance.	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars' Average Attendance.	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars' Average Attendance.
. .. ..	5	37	676	1	2	59	..	..	..	6	19	172	12	58	907
a	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	15	1	1	15
ham	6	27	615	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	5	96	10	32	711
l	2	10	222	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	38	4	15	260
.. ..	1	5	84	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	84
.. ..	8	68	940	1	8	50	..	..	..	12	26	238	21	102	1,228
l	1	8	111	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	8	111
.. .. ..	1	5	113	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4	25	3	9	138
.. .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	21	1	1	21
.. .. ..	5	16	259	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	28	7	19	287
l	1	5	60	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	7	2	6	67
.. .. ..	1	4	48	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	48
.. .. ..	11	44	611	1	2	10	..	..	..	20	34	297	32	80	918
o	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	33	1	1	33
.. .. ..	4	17	275	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	4	60	7	21	335
n	2	10	230	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	24	4	12	254
.. .. ..	1	5	109	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	30	2	8	139
.. .. ..	1	4	48	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	48
.. .. ..	1	4	129	2	3	14	1	10	40	8	16	139	12	33	322
.. .. ..	1	6	105	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	12	2	9	117
.. .. ..	1	9	196	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	36	2	10	232
and	115	715	14,430	32	150	1,806	5	59	425	354	945	7,993	506	1,869	24,654
ham	1	5	48	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	48
.. .. ..	2	8	79	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	16	3	9	95
.. .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	28	2	2	28
.. .. ..	1	5	145	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	2	6	146
.. .. ..	7	22	280	1	1	6	..	..	..	2	3	25	10	26	311
.. .. ..	1	5	165	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	165
er	3	8	188	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	11	5	10	199
.. .. ..	4	19	331	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	8	84	9	27	415
.. .. ..	3	23	343	..	..	..	1	1	39	4	11	107	8	35	489
.. .. ..	1	6	75	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	6	2	7	81
.. .. ..	3	13	300	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	35	5	16	335
.. .. ..	1	4	42	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	42
.. .. ..	2	6	133	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	7	3	8	140
.. .. ..	..	..	..	1	2	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	10
.. .. ..	2	12	140	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	8	38	7	20	178
.. .. ..	2	6	122	1	2	17	..	..	..	2	3	27	5	11	166
dt	1	8	76	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	16	2	11	92
.. .. ..	2	12	263	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	45	4	17	308
e	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	7	52	5	7	52
e	2	14	261	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4	16	4	18	277
a	1	4	44	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	44
n	1	3	29	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	18	2	5	47
.. .. ..	7	19	300	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	4	23	10	23	323
r	1	4	34	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	18	2	7	52
ie	1	6	61	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	6	61
i	1	5	64	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	64
berland ..	27	92	2,021	..	..	..	..	..	..	34	69	647	61	161	2,668
.. .. ..	1	6	82	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	6	82
.. .. ..	1	4	83	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	83
.. .. ..	1	8	86	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	6	2	9	92
d	1	5	94	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	15	2	6	109
.. .. ..	1	7	122	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	7	122
.. .. ..	5	27	451	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	6	72	9	33	523
h	5	13	181	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	14	6	15	195
.. .. ..	6	25	380	2	11	97	..	..	..	6	19	137	14	55	614
.. .. ..	1	4	34	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	34
nt	3	14	207	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	23	5	16	230
d	1	4	41	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	8	53	6	12	94
.. .. ..	1	1	32	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	9	2	2	41
.. .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	16	1	2	16
ry	1	12	213	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	4	26	4	16	239
.. .. ..	1	4	86	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	6	33	5	10	119
on	6	31	721	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	16	168	15	47	889
th	1	4	55	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	55
eland	1	2	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	10
.. .. ..	5	24	462	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	10	90	8	34	552
ma	5	17	723	2	4	107	..	..	..	9	11	272	16	32	1,102
.. .. ..	1	7	103	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	7	103
d	293	1,527	28,971	44	185	2,176	7	70	504	549	1,305	11,418	893	3,087	43,069

ection of Returns in Electorates and Counties.—The particulars relating to private schools were formerly according to electorates; during 1893, 1894, 1895, and 1896, however, the returns were obtained in counties. The of the former are liable to be varied by a change in the electoral law, while those of the counties are practically on a permanent basis.

rties.—Of the 141 counties into which New South Wales is divided, only in 70 are private schools in c

No. 25.—Private Schools and Colleges, and Teachers therein, 1896.

County.	Schools.				Teachers.								
					General Tuition.			Special Subjects.			Total.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Mixed.	Total.	M.	F.	Males and Females.	M.	F.	Males and Females.	M.	F.	M. and Females.
Argyle	3	2	7	12	11	32	43	7	8	15	18	40	
Arrawatta	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	....	1	..	
Ashburnham	..	..	10	10	2	27	29	..	3	3	2	30	
Auckland	..	..	4	4	..	15	15	..	..	....	..	15	
Baradine	..	..	1	1	..	5	5	..	..	....	..	5	
Bathurst	3	2	16	21	17	57	74	9	19	28	26	76	
Beresford	..	..	1	1	..	8	8	..	..	....	..	8	
Bland	..	..	3	3	..	8	8	..	1	1	..	9	
Bourke	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	....	..	1	
Brisbane	1	..	6	7	2	14	16	2	1	3	4	15	
Buckland	..	..	2	2	..	5	5	..	1	1	..	6	
Cairn	..	..	1	1	..	3	3	..	1	1	..	4	
Camden	3	6	23	32	6	66	72	2	6	8	8	72	
Canbelego	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	....	..	1	
Clarence	..	..	7	7	..	17	17	..	4	4	..	21	
Clarendon	..	..	4	4	..	11	11	..	1	1	..	12	
Clive	..	1	1	2	..	7	7	..	1	1	..	8	
Clyde	..	..	1	1	..	4	4	..	..	....	..	4	
Cook	2	2	8	12	10	15	25	6	2	8	16	17	
Cooper	..	..	2	2	..	6	6	..	3	3	..	9	
Cowper	..	..	2	2	..	10	10	..	..	....	..	10	
Cumberland	56	44	406	506	247	1,190	1,437	181	251	432	428	1,441	
Cunningham	..	..	1	1	..	3	3	..	2	2	..	5	
Dampier	..	1	2	3	..	6	6	3	..	3	3	6	
Darling	..	..	2	2	..	2	2	..	..	....	..	2	
Dudley	..	1	1	2	..	5	5	..	1	1	..	6	
Durham	..	..	10	10	1	23	24	1	1	2	2	24	
Gipps	..	..	1	1	..	4	4	..	1	1	..	5	
Gloucester	..	..	5	5	..	9	9	..	1	1	..	10	
Gough	..	..	9	9	..	26	26	..	1	1	..	27	
Goulburn	1	1	6	8	6	22	28	..	7	7	6	29	
Gowen	..	..	2	2	..	6	6	..	1	1	..	7	
Harden	..	..	5	5	..	13	13	..	3	3	..	16	
Hardinge	..	..	1	1	..	3	3	..	1	1	..	4	
Hume	..	..	3	3	..	7	7	..	1	1	..	8	
Hunter	..	..	1	1	..	2	2	..	..	....	..	2	
Inglis	1	2	4	7	1	17	18	1	1	2	2	18	
King	..	1	4	5	1	8	9	2	..	2	3	8	
Leichhardt	..	..	2	2	..	11	11	..	..	....	..	11	
Lincoln	..	1	3	4	..	17	17	..	..	....	..	17	
Macquarie	..	2	3	5	..	7	7	..	..	....	..	7	
Monteagle	..	..	4	4	1	13	14	1	3	4	2	16	
Mouramba	..	..	1	1	..	3	3	..	1	1	..	4	
Murchison	..	..	2	2	..	4	4	..	1	1	..	5	
Murray	1	..	9	10	..	20	20	..	3	3	..	23	
Nandewar	..	1	1	2	..	7	7	..	..	....	..	7	
Narromine	..	..	1	1	..	4	4	..	2	2	..	6	
Nicholson	..	..	1	1	..	4	4	..	1	1	..	5	
Northumberland	6	4	51	61	14	114	128	12	21	33	26	135	
Oxley	..	..	1	1	..	5	5	..	1	1	..	6	
Phillip	..	..	1	1	..	3	3	..	1	1	..	4	
Pottinger	..	..	2	2	..	6	6	..	3	3	..	9	
Richmond	..	1	1	2	..	5	5	..	1	1	..	6	
Robinson	..	..	1	1	..	7	7	..	..	....	..	7	
Rous	..	1	8	9	..	24	24	..	9	9	..	33	
Roxburgh	..	..	6	6	..	12	12	..	3	3	..	15	
Sandon	4	3	7	14	13	28	41	5	9	14	18	37	
Selwyn	..	..	1	1	..	3	3	..	1	1	..	4	
St. Vincent	1	..	4	5	1	14	15	..	1	1	1	15	
Townsend	1	..	5	6	2	7	9	..	3	3	2	10	
Urana	..	1	1	2	..	2	2	..	..	....	..	2	
Vernon	..	..	1	1	..	2	2	..	..	....	..	2	
Waradgery	1	..	3	4	1	8	9	1	6	7	2	14	
Wellesley	..	1	4	5	1	7	8	..	2	2	1	9	
Wellington	2	..	13	15	6	37	43	..	4	4	6	41	
Wentworth	..	..	1	1	..	3	3	..	1	1	..	4	
Westmoreland	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	2	
Wynyard	1	1	6	8	4	21	25	1	8	9	5	29	
Yancowinna	..	1	15	16	2	29	31	..	1	1	2	30	
Young	..	..	1	1	..	6	6	..	1	1	..	7	
Total	87	80	726	893	350	2,092	2,442	234	411	645	584		

In respect of teachers of Special Subjects, see note to Table

No. 26.—Scholars in Private Schools and Colleges, 1896.

	Scholars.									Ages of Scholars on Roll.					
	On the Roll.			Boarders.		Day Scholars.		Average Attendance.		Under 6 years.		6 years and under 14.		14 years and over.	
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
.. ..	443	653	1,096	56	36	387	617	359	548	18	85	309	488	116	80
.. ..	9	9	18	..	..	9	9	7	8	1	..	6	8	2	1
.. ..	374	503	877	3	2	371	501	303	408	29	39	293	393	52	71
.. ..	124	165	289	..	24	124	141	108	152	16	15	106	127	2	23
.. ..	46	60	106	..	2	46	58	36	48	2	3	39	43	5	14
.. ..	729	747	1,476	79	50	650	697	615	613	68	77	519	527	142	143
.. ..	73	78	151	..	2	73	76	55	56	6	5	59	61	8	12
.. ..	80	99	179	..	..	80	99	63	75	4	2	71	87	5	10
.. ..	10	21	31	..	..	10	21	7	14	2	3	8	18	..	..
.. ..	184	186	370	8	..	176	186	139	148	17	35	146	136	21	15
.. ..	33	47	80	..	3	33	44	28	39	5	3	28	34	..	10
.. ..	23	46	69	..	..	23	46	10	38	5	6	17	33	1	7
.. ..	491	643	1,134	19	87	472	556	388	530	58	66	395	476	38	101
.. ..	19	18	37	..	..	19	18	18	15	..	..	18	18	1	..
.. ..	162	259	421	..	14	162	245	130	205	24	33	135	184	3	42
.. ..	148	179	327	..	1	148	178	107	147	10	8	129	153	9	18
.. ..	58	119	177	..	5	58	114	49	90	10	20	47	86	1	13
.. ..	46	30	76	..	2	46	28	27	21	10	8	32	18	4	4
.. ..	223	147	370	84	17	139	130	198	124	14	10	137	130	72	7
.. ..	72	80	152	..	1	72	79	58	59	8	9	59	58	5	13
.. ..	121	195	316	..	4	121	191	86	146	10	15	106	153	5	27
..	13,544	16,939	30,483	720	899	12,824	16,040	10,646	14,008	2,081	2,263	10,090	12,345	1,373	2,331
.. ..	20	41	61	..	3	20	38	15	33	3	7	15	25	2	9
.. ..	50	73	123	..	5	50	68	36	59	2	3	46	49	2	21
.. ..	10	19	29	..	..	10	19	10	18	2	3	8	16	..	..
.. ..	77	76	153	..	..	77	76	71	75	..	..	68	66	9	10
.. ..	206	221	427	47	53	159	168	146	165	17	17	176	169	13	35
.. ..	97	132	229	..	..	97	132	70	95	6	13	84	105	7	14
.. ..	128	131	259	..	..	128	131	96	103	15	13	108	114	5	4
.. ..	204	295	499	..	2	204	293	171	244	36	36	156	232	12	27
.. ..	281	308	589	7	9	274	299	218	271	24	19	217	226	40	63
.. ..	45	64	109	..	8	45	56	33	48	8	6	34	46	3	12
.. ..	213	252	465	..	..	213	252	156	179	49	54	142	151	22	47
.. ..	29	34	63	..	..	29	34	19	23	4	2	24	28	1	4
.. ..	81	93	174	..	1	81	92	61	79	16	13	58	72	7	8
.. ..	3	10	13	..	3	3	7	3	7	..	..	3	8	..	2
.. ..	87	160	247	..	16	87	144	65	113	6	12	75	113	6	35
.. ..	72	128	200	..	..	72	128	53	113	6	4	61	95	5	29
.. ..	60	107	167	..	12	60	95	34	58	7	9	53	86	..	12
.. ..	158	226	384	..	4	158	222	107	201	8	10	144	202	6	14
.. ..	17	44	61	..	..	17	44	15	37	4	4	13	38	..	2
.. ..	191	208	399	6	1	185	207	131	146	53	54	121	132	17	22
.. ..	27	51	78	..	..	27	51	9	35	2	7	24	42	1	2
.. ..	18	43	61	..	3	18	40	15	32	..	1	18	38	..	4
.. ..	197	248	445	1	6	196	242	139	184	36	48	148	174	13	26
.. ..	61	63	124	..	2	61	61	24	28	..	..	61	58	..	5
.. ..	109	109	218	..	..	109	109	30	31	20	12	81	85	8	12
.. ..	36	47	83	..	3	36	44	29	35	5	2	29	42	2	3
land ..	1,530	1,866	3,396	30	82	1,500	1,784	1,199	1,469	252	234	1,166	1,402	112	230
.. ..	74	65	139	..	2	74	63	45	37	5	6	67	51	2	8
.. ..	47	61	108	..	..	47	61	32	51	3	2	42	50	2	9
.. ..	65	70	135	..	17	65	53	44	48	10	4	51	58	4	8
.. ..	54	74	128	..	2	54	72	46	63	2	6	52	65	..	3
.. ..	89	93	182	..	..	89	93	62	60	13	10	67	80	9	3
.. ..	239	363	602	..	19	239	344	191	332	52	57	167	233	20	73
.. ..	123	144	267	..	..	123	144	87	108	13	9	104	115	6	20
.. ..	323	422	745	54	43	269	379	278	336	18	21	209	318	96	83
.. ..	20	21	41	..	..	20	21	16	18	1	..	16	18	3	3
.. ..	135	169	304	..	3	135	166	102	128	18	10	111	143	6	16
.. ..	48	55	103	..	21	48	34	42	52	5	1	38	40	5	14
.. ..	19	41	60	..	..	19	41	12	29	2	5	15	36	2	..
.. ..	5	15	20	..	..	5	15	4	12	..	..	5	10	..	5
.. ..	115	143	258	..	..	115	143	102	137	14	19	90	106	11	18
.. ..	55	96	151	..	2	55	94	41	78	..	4	55	80	..	12
.. ..	465	610	1,075	..	6	465	604	387	502	20	21	379	487	66	102
.. ..	46	51	97	..	..	46	51	28	27	9	7	31	34	6	10
nd ..	6	13	19	..	..	6	13	3	7	2	2	2	11	2	..
.. ..	335	394	729	3	26	332	368	255	297	29	30	261	285	45	7
.. ..	681	697	1,378	..	..	681	697	537	565	103	112	520	487	58	9
.. ..	61	74	135	..	4	61	70	48	55	7	10	52	63	2	
.. ..	24,924	29,943	53,967	1,117	1,507	22,907	28,436	18,754	24,315	3,305	3,624	18,216	22,160	2,503	4,13

No. 27.—Scholarships, Exhibitions, and Bursaries of Roman Catholic Scho

School or College.	Name.	Found-ded.	Value per annum.	Tenable for—	How awarded.
St. Ignatius' College, Riverview.	Diocesan Scholarships (8) .. (founded by the late Archbishop Vaughan.)	1880	Each £45..	4 years	By appointment of the Cardinal bishop.
	Dunne Scholarship .. .. (founded by Very Rev. W. Dunne.)	1883	£60 ..	4 ,,	To Tasmanian boys by competition.
	Primary School Scholarships (3).	1893	£15 ..	3 ,,	At the annual examinations of the Pri Schools. Each of the winners als ceives one of the Diocesan Scholarsl
	Young Scholarship	1888	£50 ..	3 ,,	By special examination.
St. Joseph's College, Hunter's Hill.	Cardinal's Scholarship ..	1892	£60 ..	1 year	By competitive examination.
	The Dr. Donovan Bursary ..	1895	£40 ..	3 years	For best pupil at St. Joseph's (Burr
	President's Bursary.. ..	1895	£40 ..	1 year	By competitive examination in the chial schools.
St. Patrick's College, Goulburn.	Priests' Bursary	1886	£40 ..	1 ,,	,, ,,
	Ex-Students' Bursary ..	1895	£40 ..	1 ,,	,, ,,
	College Bursaries (3) ..	1895	£126 ..	1 ,,	By competitive examination.
St. Joseph's, Grenfell	Convent Bursaries (3) ..	1895	£105 ..	1 ,,	,, ,,
Convent of Mercy, Goulburn.	Bursary for Primary School	1895	£40 ..	1 ,,	,, ,,
St. Joseph's Convent, Taralga.	Bursaries (3)	1895	£42, £25, £35.	1 ,,	,, ,,

Roman Catholic School Prizes.—With a view to promote the efficiency of the Roman Catholic Schools Archdiocese of Sydney, a number of scholarships, money prizes (ranging from £1 to £5) and silver medals are a annually by the Cardinal Archbishop to the 16 candidates obtaining the highest marks in aggregate merit. The win scholarships are entitled to free education for one year at some selected Roman Catholic College or High School.

No. 28.—Scholarships and Exhibitions of Church of England Schools.

School or College.	Name.	Found-ded.	Value per annum.	Tenable for—	How awarded.
The King's School, Parramatta.	Broughton and Forrest Exhibitions (2).	1854	£100 & £120	4 years	To enable successful exhibitioner to eed to Oxford or Cambridge.
	Burton Exhibition	1872	£40 ..	For indefinite periods.	By competitive examination.
	Broughton Scholarship ..	1855	£25 ..	,, ,,	For pupils of one year's standing
	Macarthur ,, ..	1891	£21 ..	,, ,,	At entrance examination.
	Clerical Exhibitions (6) ..	..	Each £25..	,, ,,	For sons of clergymen, upon the nom tion of the Bishop of Sydney.
	Burton Scholarships ..	..	Each £25..	,, ,,	By competitive examination.
Church of England Grammar School, North Sydney.	Council's Exhibitions (6) ..	1894	Value, £16 16s.	3 years	To pupils of Church of England Pri Schools, by examination. Only one been awarded.
Clergy Daughters' School, Waverley.	Sydney Scholarship	1884	25 guineas	2 ,,	To daughters of clergymen.
	Ridsdale ,, ...	1887	£12 ..	1 year	To assist in defraying travelling expe of daughters of clergymen from diocese in N.S.W.
St. Phillip's Church of England Grammar School, Church Hill.	Foundation Scholarship ..	1892	£15 ..	1 ,,	By examination.
	O'Reilly ,, ...	1892	£15 ..	2 years	At the February examina only by a son of a clergyn
	Parochial ,, ...	1892	£15 ..	1 year	By competitive examinat
St. Andrew's Cathedral Choir School.	Maria Logan Scholarship ..	..	£50 ..	1 ,,	,,

No. 29.—Scholarships and Prizes of Presbyterian Schools.

l or College.	Name.	Foun-ded.	Value per annum.	Tenable for—	How awarded.
ull Academy, nfels.	Academy Scholarships (2) ..	1883	Each £67..	....	For boys leaving the academy to reside at St. Andrew's College.
	Academy Prize	..	£10 ..	....	To most proficient pupil at the University Junior Examination.
	" "	..	£15 ..	....	To most proficient pupil at the University Senior Examination.
terian Ladies' re, Croydon.	Stewart Scholarship ..	1889	£25 ..	3 years	By St. Andrew's College Council.

No. 30.—Scholarships and Bursaries of Wesleyan Schools.

l or College.	Name.	Foun-ded.	Value per annum.	Tenable for—	How awarded.
rton College, ıore.	Schofield Scholarship ..	1881	£50 ..	1 year	By examination on the whole work of the highest form at the end of the year.
	Wigram Allen Scholarships (8).	1883	Each 16 guineas.	1 "	By special examination in March of the highest form in Classics, Mathematics, and General Subjects respectively.
ɔl Ladies' re, Burwood.	Scholarships (2)	1891	Each 8 guineas.	2 years	By results of University Examinations.
	Bursaries (3), Boarders ..	1895	Each £30..	2 "	For pupils of limited means showing promise.
	Bursaries (3), Day Scholars..	1895	6 guineas..	2 "	

ther Prizes.—In addition to the above, gold or silver medals and book prizes are awarded annually in the Private and Schools.

No. 31.—Sydney Grammar School.

TEACHERS, SCHOLARS, &c., 1896.

Teachers and Scholars.	No.	Income.	£	Expenditure.	£
rs	17	Statutory Endowment ..	1,500	Salaries and Allowances ..	7,235
rs—		School fees	6,550	Other	630
al enrolment	458	Other sources (Special Prizes)	113	Total	7,865
rage quarterly enrolment..	378			Cost per head—	£ s. d.
" daily attendance ..	362	Total..	8,163	Of average attendance ..	21 14 6½
				To the State	4 2 6

niversity Examinations.—27 Sydney Grammar School students passed the University Junior and 8 the Senior ıtion, of whom 24 qualified for matriculation; 12 students were also successful at the matriculation examination.

SPECIAL ANNUAL PRIZES.

Name of Prize.	Amount.	Name of Prize.	Amount.
d Knox	Interest on £250.	Sir George Wigram Allen	Interest on £200.
ı Knox	" £50.	Citizens' Prizes for Modern Languages	" £525.

EXHIBITIONS.

Name of Exhibition.	Amount.	Name of Exhibition.	Amount.
lting Exhibition	Interest on £500.	R. A. A. Morehead Exhibitions (2) ..	Interest on £1,000.

NOTE.—These Exhibitions are for students proceeding to the University.

ıe Sydney Grammar School was incorporated by Act of Parliament, December, 1854, and was established for con-ın all classes and denominations of British subjects resident in the Colony the advantages of a regular and liberal f education.

ıe Trustees of the school are 12 in number, of whom 6 shall be persons holding the offices of Colonial Secretary, r-General, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, Chancellor of the University of Sydney, principal Classical Professor, hematical Professor of the University, and the other 6 shall be laymen not holding offices under the Government niversity.

ıe Act authorised the payment of £20,000 for erection of school buildings and Head-master's residence and an ndowment of £1,500.

ıe school was opened 3rd August, 1857.

No. 32 [illegible] ublic Examinations—Successful Candidates, 1892-96.

Schools at which Candid[illegible]s were prepared.	1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		[illegible]
	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior	Senio[illegible]
New South Wales—									
Sydney Grammar School	6	53	9	30	5	29	8	27	8
" High School—Boys ...	5	65	7	31	2	34	3	29	2
" " " Girls ...	3	57	6	21	4	27	5	19	6
Maitland " " Boys ...	...	5	3	12	...	12	2	10	3
" " " Girls ...	1	14	1	7	1	4	1	7	2
Bathurst " " " ...	2	8	...	6	...	4	...	8	...
Model Public School, Fort-street ...	...	41	...	49	...	54	...	37	6
Other Public Schools	20	468	10	271	7	196	4	254	...
Private Colleges and Schools ...	75	606	64	388	54	349	59	351	49
Queensland—Students	22	156	27	106	30	115	30	105	32
Total	134	1,467	127	921	103	824	112	847	108

Senior and Junior Public Examina[illegible] In c[illegible]n with the Sydney University two Public Exam[illegible] termed respectively the Senior and Junior, a[illegible] Sydney and a number of local centres, including [illegible] and other towns in Queensland. These Exami[illegible] all candidates, male or female, who may presen[illegible]selves. The University Professors, together [illegible]rsons as the Senate may appoint, form the B[illegible] conducting these Examinations. The amount of C[illegible] received during 1896 was £1,[illegible].

No. 33.—Candidates qualified for Matriculation at Senior and Junior Examinations, 1892-96.

Schools at which Candidates were prepared.	1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		18[illegible]
	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior	Senior
New South Wales—									
Sydney Grammar School	5	20	7	14	5	17	4	20	4
" High School—Boys ...	5	24	5	8	1	16	1	13	1
" " " Girls ...	...	5	1	2	...	2	3	4	1
Maitland " " Boys ...	...	2	3	5	...	8	2	4	3
" " " Girls ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	—
Bathurst " " " ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Model Public School, Fort-street ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Other Public Schools	...	3	...	2	...	11	1	4	...
Private Colleges and Schools ...	6	38	9	46	15	39	17	49	7
Queensland—Students	6	26	13	22	11	28	11	24	14
Total	22	118	38	99	32	121	39	118	33

No. 34.—Number of each Sex Examined and Passed at Public Examinations, 1892-96.

Year.	Senior Examination.						Junior Examination.				
	Examined.			Passed.			Examined.			Passed.	
	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females
1892	104	69	173	77	57	134	1,409	723	2,132	090	
1893	119	57	176	83	44	127	1,273	580	1,853	627	
1894	84	53	137	64	39	103	1,012	482	1,4[illegible]	[illegible]	
1895	86	56	142	72	40	112	952	446	1[illegible]		
1896	77	65	142	59	49	108	973	5[illegible]			

No. 35.—Prizes at Public Examinations.

Senior Examination.

Founded.	Name of Prize.	Value.	How awarded.
		£	
1872	John Fairfax	20	For General proficiency among Female Candidates.
1874	John West	10	For General Proficiency.
1891	Grahame Medal ...	5	" "
.....	University Silver ...	10/-	For Highest Proficient.

Junior Examination.

Founded.	Name of Prize.	Value.	How awarded.
		£	
1872	John Fairfax	10	For General Proficiency among Female Candidates.
.....	University Silver Medals	10/- each	For Highest Proficient in individual sections.
.....	University	5	For General Proficiency among Male Candidates.

J. B. Watt Exhibitions.—Founded in 1876 by a gift of £1,000 from the Hon. J. B. Watt, and two subsequent gifts of £1,000 each in 1888 and 1889. The Exhibitions, which are awarded on the Bursary system, are tenable for three years, and entitle the holders to £30 for the first year, £40 for the second, and £50 for the third. The candidates must have passed with special credit either the Senior or Junior Examination.

No. 36.—Law Matriculation Examinations, 1892–96.

Year.	Law Matriculation Examination.		Year.	Law Matriculation Examination.	
	Examined.	Passed.		Examined.	Passed.
	No.	No.		No.	No.
1892	77	35	1895	37	24
1893	52	32	1896	36	21
1894	50	26			

Law Matriculation.—Persons desirous of entering into articles of clerkship with Attorneys, and who have not taken a University Degree, or passed the preliminary examination required in England, Scotland, and Ireland, are required to pass a preliminary examination (law matriculation), which is similar and equal to that prescribed for ordinary matriculation. Clerks, after having entered into articles, are also required to pass two intermediate examinations in History and Law respectively. The History examination is conducted by the Principals of the Affiliated Colleges, and the Law examination by a Board appointed by the Supreme Court.

No. 37.—Civil Service Examinations, 1892–96.

Year.	Civil Service Examination.		Year.	Civil Service Examination.	
	Examined.	Passed.		Examined.	Passed.
	No.	No.		No.	No.
1892	243	71	1895	216	91
1893	190	45	1896	139	57
1894	164	78			

Civil Service Examination.—In accordance with the terms of a proclamation on the 6th October, 1871, and section 18 of the Civil Service Act of 1884, candidates for admission to the Public Service are required to pass an examination. The examinations were conducted by the University of Sydney until the year 1896.

Admission to Public Service.—Since the 23rd December, 1895, when the Public Service Act (59 Vic., No. 25, 1895) came into force, examinations for admission to the Public Service have been conducted by the Public Service Board.

Examinations on behalf of Queensland Government.—At the request of the Department of Public Instruction of Queensland, the University has undertaken the conduct of the annual examinations for exhibitions to Universities, granted by the Government of that Colony, and also an examination of teachers of the highest class in the Queensland State Schools.

No. 38.—University of Sydney: Professors and Students, 1892–96.

Year.	Professors and Lecturers.	*Matriculated Students.	Students. Attending Lectures. Matriculated and Non-matriculated. Males.	Females.	Total.	Attending Extension Lectures.
1892	44	540	499	99	598	571
1893	48	539	478	108	586	517
1894	47	522	482	110	592	934
1895	47	487	415	91	506	727
1896	48	438	379	75	454	396

* Including those attending lectures.

Incorporation and Endowment.—The University of Sydney was incorporated in 1858, and endowed with annual income of £5,000. It is empowered to confer, after examination, degrees in arts, law, and medicine. Graduates Sydney rank equally with graduates of British Universities.

Under the Act of 1884 degrees in all branches of knowledge except theology and divinity are granted, and University privileges are extended to women.

Senate.—The government of the University is vested in a Senate, consisting of 16 elected and not more than *ex officio* members, being Professors of the University. The Senate elects from its members a Chancellor, who holds of for three years, and a Vice-Chancellor, who is elected annually.

Faculties.—There are four Faculties: Arts, Law, Medicine, and Science. A Dean is appointed by the Senate to e Faculty from time to time for a term not exceeding two years. There is also a Department of Engineering.

Professors.—During 1896 there were on the University Staff 14 Professors and 34 Lecturers and Demonstrators; these, 7 of the former and 5 of the latter were paid out of the "Challis" Fund.

No. 39.—University of Sydney: Professors, Lecturers, and Demonstrators, 1896.

Professors, &c.	Faculty of— Arts.	Law.	Medicine.	Science.	Department of Engineering.	Total.
Professors	6	1	2	4	1	14
Lecturers	6	3	12	1	5	27
Demonstrators... ...	...	...	2	5	...	7

No. 40.—University of Sydney: Students attending Lectures in the various Faculties, 1896.

Faculty of— Arts. Males.	Arts. Females.	Law. Males.	Law. Females.	Medicine. Males.	Medicine. Females.	Science. Males.	Science. Females.	Department of Engineering. Males.	Department of Engineering. Females.	Total. Males.	Total. Females.	Total. Total.
165	64	45	...	128	8	6	3	35	...	379	75	454

No. 41.—University of Sydney: Matriculated Students, 1892–96.

Year.	Ordinary Matriculation Examination.	Entrance Examination for Science and Medicine.	Matriculations at Public Examinations. Senior.	Junior.	Total qualified for admission to University (exclusive of Law Matriculation).	Number actually admitted to University.
1892	124	7	22	118	271	128
1893	131	10	38	99	278	147
1894	125	9	32	121	287	118
1895	117	16	39	118	290	103
1896	96	10	33	135	274	[illegible]

Matriculation Examinations.—The Ordinary Matriculation Examination, Matriculation at Junior P nation, and Law Matriculation Examination are of an equal standard, and admit intending students to the Arts Entrance Examination for Science and Medicine, and Matriculation at Senior Public Examination, are consider admit intending students to the Science, Medicine, and Engineering courses as well as to the Arts course.

). 42.—University of Sydney: Undergraduates' Examinations, 1892–96.

Year.	Arts.		Law.		Medicine.		Science.		Engineering.	
	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.
1892	296	232	18	16	66	41	9	8	15	12
1893	310	238	27	18	88	66	10	8	18	15
1894	305	231	29	25	99	79	7	4	22	18
1895	287	227	26	19	100	82	3	2	26	24
1896	209	161	25	19	117	96	5	5	27	21

No. 43.—University of Sydney: Undergraduates' Examinations, 1896.

ts examined during 1896 in—	Arts.		Law.		Medicine.		Science.		Engineering.	
	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.
Year's Course ...	86	65	Intermediate.		31	23	3	3	10	7
d Year's Course...	56	39	15	12	24	22	1	1	10	9
Year's Course ...	67	57	Final.		24	21	1	1	7	5
h Year's Course...	...	...	10	7	19	12	...	...	...	...
Year's Course ...	...	...	...	...	19	18	...	...	...	...
Total... ...	209	161	25	19	117	96	5	5	27	21

culty of Law.—The curriculum of study for degrees in Law is two years in Arts and three years in Law, or three Arts and two in Law, or five years in Law.

culties of Science and Medicine, and Department of Engineering.—An undergraduate taking up Science, , or Engineering, must go through the first year in Arts, or have passed the entrance examination.

partment of Mining.—A Department of Mining and Metallurgy was established during 1892.

No. 44.—University of Sydney: Degrees conferred since Foundation.

	Arts.						Law.						Medicine.									Science.			Engineering.		Total.		
	M.A.			B.A.			LL.D.			LL.B.			M.D.			M.B.			Ch.M.			B.Sc.			M.E.	B.E.			
	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	M.	M.	F.	Tl.
	190	..	190	341	2	343	18	..	18	20	..	20	24	..	24	13	..	13	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	3	611	2	613
	8	..	8	19	1	20	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	33	1	34
	5	1	6	20	4	24	2	..	2	2	..	2	1	..	1	2	..	2	..	..	..	4	..	4	..	..	36	5	41
	5	..	5	18	1	19	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	8	..	8	6	..	6	1	1	2	..	3	43	2	45
	6	2	8	28	2	30	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	7	..	7	6	..	6	1	..	1	..	3	52	4	56
	6	..	6	38	5	43	1	..	1	2	..	2	1	..	1	9	..	9	8	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	65	5	70
	5	2	7	28	7	35	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	6	6	..	6	1	..	1	..	2	48	9	57
	5	4	9	41	2	43	1	..	1	4	..	4	2	..	2	13	..	13	13	..	13	..	..	..	1	4	84	6	90
	3	..	3	69	15	84	..	..	..	6	..	6	..	..	..	10	2	12	6	2	8	5	..	5	..	2	101	19	120
	2	..	2	65	15	80	..	..	..	8	..	8	..	..	..	11	..	11	11	..	11	5	1	6	1	4	107	16	123
	4	2	6	44	28	72	..	..	..	8	..	8	2	..	2	9	..	9	6	..	6	2	..	2	..	9	84	30	114
	6	..	6	39	19	58	..	..	..	7	..	7	2	..	2	17	..	17	11	..	11	1	..	1	1	5	89	19	108
	245	11	256	750	101	851	23	..	23	57	..	57	37	..	37	106	2	108	73	2	75	22	2	24	3	37	1,353	118	1,471

egrees.—The curriculum of study for the B.A. degree is three years, and the M.A. degree cannot be obtained till rs after the former has been conferred. The curriculum of study for the LL.B. degree is five years, of which the are in the Faculty of Arts. The course of study for the degrees of M.B. and Ch.M. is five years. The course of r the B.Sc. extends over a period of three years. The degrees of B.E. and M.E. are also given in the four branches eering, viz., Civil, Mechanical, Mining, and Electrical Engineering. Candidates for these degrees receive instruction iod of three years.

d Eundem Degrees.—Act 44 Vic. No. 22 empowers the Senate to confer *ad eundem gradum* degrees on graduates recognised Universities.

S.W. Medical Degrees.—Under an Order made by Her Majesty, with the advice of the Privy Council, as notified *vernment Gazette* of 6th June, 1890, the second part of the British Medical Act of 1886 is made to apply to New ales. Holders of the degrees of M.D., M.B., and Ch.M., conferred by the Sydney University, are consequently d and may be registered in the United Kingdom in the same way as holders of similar degrees, conferred by a British ty, are registered in New South Wales.

No. 45.—University of Sydney: Extension Lectures, 1892–96.

Year.	Number of Courses of Lectures given in—				Number of Students who—	
	New South Wales.			Queensland.	Attended.	Passed concluding Examination.
	Sydney.	Suburbs.	Country.			
1892	3	3	1	.....	571	90
1893	2	3	2	3	517	36
1894	1	3	9	7	934	72
1895	1	3	10	6	727	52
1896	.....	2	8	38	448	21

University Extension Lectures.—The University Extension Lectures were inaugurated in 1886, since which ye lectures have been given annually in various centres of New South Wales, and from 1893 in Queensland. A Board n exceeding 18 members is appointed annually. Not less than 4 of these must be members of the Senate, and a simil number members of the teaching staff. Each course consists of six or ten lectures, and concludes with an examination those who have attended the lectures. Certificates are aw[illegible] the successful students. A few short courses of the lectures are given, with no concluding examination.

No. 46.—University of Sydney: Extension Lectures, 1896.

Class of Lecture.	Locality at which given.	Average Attendance.	Number of Students who passed concluding Examination.
In New South Wales—			
English Literature	Armidale	32	Short courses, no examination.
Do do	Blackheath	33	
Do do	Goulburn	52	1
Do do	Mosman	40	.....
Do do	Waverley	86	7
English History	Camden	27	.....
Do do	Newcastle	28	.....
Do do	Tamworth	37	.....
Science	Cootamundra	22	.....
Do	Maitland	39	.....
In Queensland—			
Law...	Brisbane ... }	112	8
Science	Do ... }		
Do	Ipswich	40	5

No. 47.—University of Sydney: Receipts and Disbursements, 1892–96.

Year.	Receipts.					Disbursements.			
	Government Aid.	University Fees.	From Private Foundations, including Challis bequest.	Other Sources.	Total.	Salaries, including those paid out of Challis bequest.	Private Foundations, including Challis bequest.	Other.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1892	18,100	7,647	11,650	193	37,590	26,777	3,736	9,570	40,083
1893	18,695	7,912	11,744	177	38,528	27,470	2,831	9,468	39,769
1894	13,200	7,700	12,416	174	33,490	26,120	3,681	3,738	33,539
1895	11,500	8,445	11,320	142	31,407	25,328	2,704	3,529	31,561
1896	11,400	8,171	11,758	165	31,494	25,620	3,006	2,931	31,557

Finance.—The supervision of the financial affairs of the University are, subject to the direction and control of th Senate, entrusted to a Finance Committee consisting of the Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, and four elected Fellows.

"Challis" Fund.—In 1880 the late Mr. J. H. Challis bequeathed his whole estate to the University, which, under th terms of the will, was transferred to that institution in September, 1889. The assets in Australia and England — £268,224. The Senate has decided that the Fund shall be applied as permanent provision of income for ed Through the agency of the Fund seven "Challis" Professorships and five "Challis" Lectureships have been es

Other Foundations.—There are also the "Hovell" Lectureship, £6,000; the "Wentworth" Tra now amounting to £1,904; and the Curatorship of the "Macleay" Museum, £6,000. In 1896 the Un donation of £50,000 from Mr. P. N. Russell, to endow the Department of engineering.

University Museums.—The Museum of Antiquities, the "Macleay" Museum o Normal and Morbid Anatomy, attached to the University, are accessible to the public

—University of Sydney: Scholarships, Exhibitions, Prizes, and Medals.

Scholarships.

Name.	Amount.	Tenable for—	How Awarded.
	£	years.	
Awarded at the Matriculation Examination.			
Barker Scholarship, No. II	50	1	For mathematics.
Cooper Scholarship, No. II	50	1	For classics.
Lithgow Scholarship	50	1	For French and German.
Bowman-Cameron Scholarship	50	3	For general proficiency.
Aitken Scholarship	50	1	For general proficiency.
Freemason's Scholarship	50	3	For general proficiency. (Open only to sons of Freemasons of the U.G.L. of N.S.W.)
Council of Education	..	3	For general proficiency. (To be open only to sons of teachers, or officers in the Department of Public Instruction. Not yet operative. The fund in April, 1896, amounted to £395.)
Awarded at the First Year Examinations.			
Levey Scholarship	50	1	For chemistry and physics.
Cooper Scholarship, No. III	50	1	For classics.
George Allen Scholarship	50	1	For mathematics.
Awarded at the Second Year Examinations.			
Barker Scholarship, No. I	50	1	For mathematics.
Deas-Thomson Scholarship	50	1	For chemistry and physics.
Deas-Thomson Geology Scholarship.	50	1	For geology.
Cooper Scholarship, No. I	50	1	For classics.
Caird Scholarship	50	1	For chemistry and physics.
Awarded in the Faculty of Law.			
Wigram Allen Scholarship	50	1	For general proficiency at the intermediate law examination.
Awarded in the Faculty of Medicine.			
Renwick Scholarship	50	1	For proficiency in the subjects of the first year examination in medicine.
John Harris	40	1	For proficiency in the subjects of anatomy and physiology in the third year examination in medicine.
Tenable by Graduates.			
James King Travelling Scholarship.	150	2	On advice of the Professors, Sydney University, to graduate of not more than four years' standing. Holder to prosecute his studies at places approved by Senate.
Frazer Scholarship	80	*..	To students qualified for the B.A. degree, on result of the third year examination in history, &c.

)ne half payable at time of award, the second half on passing examination qualifying for M.A. degree (with in History), or on having pursued for one year some other course of historical study to the satisfaction of the

Science Scholarships of H.M. Commissioners for the Exhibition of 1851.	150	2	Open to students of three years' standing for the study of any branch of science with a view to developing the manufactures and industries of the country.

Woolley Scholarships.

1893 the University of Sydney became entitled to about £8,000, under the will of the late Mr. Edwin Dalton, emoration of the late Dr. Woolley. This bequest is subject to an annuity of £75, and the regulations for the a scholarship or scholarships have not yet been made.

Exhibitions.

Awarded at Matriculation Examinations.			
Salting Exhibition	25	3	On recommendation of Sydney Grammar School Trustees.
Horner Exhibition	8	1	For mathematics.
Awarded at First Year Examinations.			
Struth Exhibition	50	4	To assist students in obtaining a Degree in the Faculty of Medicine.

larships and Exhibitions.—These have been founded chiefly by private benefactors as rewards for and for the purpose of placing the advantages of a University education within the reach of students who ugh the want of financial means, be excluded from participation in them. They are awarded only when exhibit a degree of proficiency satisfactory to the Examiners. No undergraduate may hold more than two r at one time.

No. 48.—Univers y of Sydney; Scholarships, Exhibitions, Prizes, and Me (*continued*).

Founded.	Name.	Amount.	How Awarded.
		£	
	Prizes and Medals.		
	Awarded at First Year Examinations.		
1885	Smith Prize..	5	For experimental physics.
1886	Slade Prizes (2)	5 each	For practical chemistry and practical physics respecti
1892	Collie Prize	4	For botany.
	Awarded at Second Year Examinations.		
1886	Norbert Quirk Prize	6	For mathematics.
	Awarded at Each Degree Examination.		
..	Bronze Medals	..	...e highest proficients in the various degree examins
	Open to Graduates and Undergraduates.		
1854	Wentworth Medals (2)	10 each	For best English essays, written respectively by raduates and Bachelors of Arts of not more than ears' standing.
1867	Nicholson Medal	10	For Latin verse. Open to all undergraduates, and grad of not more than three years' standing.
1870	Belmore Medal	15	For geology and practical chemistry, with special ref agriculture. Open to all members of the Univ two and under five years' standing, not being M's
..	University Prize	10	For English verse. Open to all undergraduates achelors of Arts of not more than two years' stand
..	Professor Anderson's Medal	10	For essay on philosophical subject. Open to all Bac of Arts of not more than two years' standing.

University Prizes.—Prizes and medals in value up to £20 each are given annually by the University to who exhibit the greatest proficiency at various Examinations, and to the most distinguished candidates in the Examinations for different Degrees.

Private Prizes.—Prizes for proficiency in different subjects are awarded annually, ranging in value from £10, by the various Professors.

Military Commission.—A commission in the British Army is offered annually to a student of the Sydney Un under certain conditions which may be seen in the Calendar of the University of Sydney.

No. 49.—University of Sydney: Bursaries.

Founded	Name.	Amount.	How awarded.
		£	
1874	Maurice Alexander	50	By Senate.
1876	John Ewan Frazer	50	By Senate.
1876	Ernest Manson Frazer	50	By Senate.
1876	William Charles Wentworth, No. 1 ..	50	By Senate.
1876	William Charles Wentworth, No. 2 ..	50	By Senate.
1876	Burdekin	50	By Senate.
1876	Hunter-Baillie, No. 1	50	By Senate.
1877	Hunter Baillie, No. 2	50	For sons of ministers of religion.
1879	Levey and Alexander. (Tenable for 3 years.)	50	Open to graduates desirous of entering a profession, b having the necessary means. The Senate may at dis pay the £150 in one amount.
1881	Walker (4)	50 each.	Not more than one half of these Bursaries are applica female students.
1881	Walker (1)	40	Not more than one half of these Bursaries are applica female students.
1886	William Charles Wentworth, No. 3 ..	....	From accumulations from No. 2 Bursary, in accordan the will of the founder. These amounted in April, 1 £837; when the sum of £1,500 shall have been re No. 3 Bursary, with a capital fund of £1,000, will b operative, and the balance of £500 will accumulate t No. 4.

Bursaries.—Bursaries are only conferred when satisfactory proof is produced that the means of the candid his parents or guardians, are insufficient to enable him to attend the University without such assistance. There at the disposal of the University. These have all been created (on the initiation of the late Dr. Badham, Classics) by private foundations, at a cost of £1,000 each, together with a margin in some cases to ensure awards amounting to £50. They are helped, on the part of the Senate, by an accompanying exemption and the fee for matriculation. Women are eligible for not more than one half of the five bursaries, fou late Mr. Thomas Walker, of Yaralla, Concord.

Public School—University Bursaries.—Ten other bursaries have been with the Public School system, but the University is not concerned in t holders a similar exemption from fees For information relating to these

No. 50.—Affiliated Colleges: Fellows and Members, 1896.

e.	Denomination.	Incorporated.	Fellows or Councillors.	Members.							
				Arts.		Law.		Medicine.		Science.	Engineering.
				M.A.	B.A.	LL.D.	LL.B.	M.D.	M.B. & Ch.M.	B.Sc.	B.E.
l's	Church of England	1854	18	26	67	....	4	2	10	3	2
n's	Roman Catholic	1857	18	14	46	1	4	1	3	....	....
rew's	Presbyterian	1867	13	18	66	....	2	....	11	....	3
's	Undenominational	1889	14	....	8	....	....	....	....	1	....

liated Colleges.—In 1854 an Act was passed (18 Vic. No. 37) to provide for the establishment of Colleges in ı with different denominations, under the provisions of which Colleges in connection with the Church of England, n Catholic Church, and Presbyterian Church of N.S.W. have been established, and also a College for Women, ot attached to any religious denomination.

No. 51.—Affiliated Colleges: Principals, Students, &c., 1896.

ge.	Principals and Lecturers.	Students Resident.	Receipts.					Disbursements.			
			Government Aid.	College Fees.	Scholarship Fund.	Other.	Total.	Salary of Principal.	Scholarship Fund.	Other.	Total.
	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
l's	5	18	500	1,320	159	27	2,006	651	195	1,236	2,082
ı's	4	15	500	488	45	....	1,033	500	45	881	1,426
rew's	2	26*	500	1,576	658	46	2,780	500	687	2,070	3,257
's	1	12	500	720	152	63	1,435	500	125	809	1,434

* One non-resident.

No. 52.—Affiliated Colleges: Scholarships, &c.

Name.	Amount.	Tenable for
St. Paul's (Church of England).		
Scholarship	From £25 to £50	1 year.
Aspinall Scholarship	Interest on £500	1 ,,
holarship	Interest on £400	1 ,,
Priddle Memorial Scholarship	Interest on £600	3 years.
Scholarships	Interest on £1,100	1 year.
illiam Abbott Scholarship	Interest on £1,000	1 ,,
Prize	Books to value of £10	.....
. Prize of Books is given by the Council to the student who shows the greatest proficiency in the College r Examination.		
St. John's (Roman Catholic).		
ll Scholarship	£45	1 year.
,,	£45	1 ,,
,,	£45	1 ,,
St. Andrew's (Presbyterian).		
Scholarship	Interest on £1,000	1 year.
,,	Interest on £1,000	1 ,,
,,	Interest on £1,000	1 ,,
,,	Interest on £1,513 (Bank shares)	1 ,,
,,	Interest on £1,000	1 ,,
,,	Each one-third interest on 80 shares in the Australian Gas Light Company	1 ,,
,,	Interest on £1,000	1 ,,
(3) ,,	Interest on property of late Rev. Colin Stewart	3 years
ll ,,	£25	1 year.
ınnual prizes are given for General Excellence (the Dean Prize), for Modern History (the Frazer Prize), and (the Hood Prize) £10, to the student who obtains the highest marks at the first year examination in Medicine.		
Women's (Undenominational).		
azer Scholarship	£50	3 years.
Scholarship	£50	1 year.
ors' Scholarship	£25*	1 ,,

warded to the student who shows evidence of the highest attainments, provided that she prove she cannot, without tance, pay the expenses of residence in the College.

aculty of Medicine—Hospitals.—Prince Alfred Hospital was constituted a General Hospital and Medical the instruction of students attending the Sydney University. The Chancellor of the University and the Dean ulty of Medicine are Directors *ex officio*. Other Hospitals recognised by the University as places where study carried on in connection with the Faculty of Medicine are Sydney Hospital, St. Vincent's, the Benevolent Hospital for Sick Children, and the Gladesville and Callan Park Hospitals for the Insane.

No. 53.—Technical Education.—Classes in Technical Schools, 1896.

Classes.	Enrolment. Metropolitan.	Country	Total.
Classes fully recognised.			
Geology	53	53	106
Metallurgy	...	15	15
Mineralogy	46	15	61
Mine Surveying	...	19	19
Coal-mining	...	79	79
Mining	32	...	32
Architecture	35	15	50
Building construction ...	21	20	41
Design	34	...	34
Carpentry, joinery, lathe, &c.	131	214	345
Sign-writing and Art decoration	63	...	63
House-painting	39	...	39
Plumbing, practical ..	131	44	175
" sanitary... ...	143	...	143
Engineering, sanitary ..	28	...	28
" electrical ..	151	...	151
" steam and steam-engine	...	24	24
Fitting and turning ..	123	...	123
Pattern-making	26	...	26
Iron-founding	23	...	23
Boiler-making	28	14	42
Blacksmithing	36	...	36
Farriery	10	...	10
Veterinary science	41	...	41
Chemistry, practical ...	86	10	96
" theoretical ...	52	218	270
" Pharmaceutical..	32	...	32
Pharmacy	39	...	39
Materia Medica	14	...	14
Dispensing	15	...	15
Physics	139	219	358
Botany	...	17	17
Agriculture (afternoon) ...	53	104	301
" elementary ..	110		
" advanced ...	34		
Sheep and wool	65	...	65
Classes fully recognised—cont.			
Wool-sorting	113	...	
Mathematics	137	74	
Applied mechanics	45	15	
Book-keeping	...	65	
Art Classes—			
Drawing...	...	882	
Freehand drawing ...	239	...	
Model " ...	161	...	
Perspective " ...	46	...	
Antique " ...	48	...	
Life " ...	41	...	
Still life " ...	17	...	
Plant " ...	19	...	
Mechanical " ..	99	121	
Geometrical " ...	37	...	
China painting	23	...	
Modelling in clay ...	63	39	
Lithography and photo-lithography ...	66	...	
Cookery, plain ...	114	...	
" advanced ...			
Slide rule	17	...	
Starching and ironing ...	58	...	
Shorthand	...	21	
Total	3,176	2,297	5
Classes (on Fees only).			
Dress-drafting ...	126	80	
Dress-cutting ...			
Dressmaking ...			
Caligraphy	...	35	
Book-keeping	...	37	
Phonography	...	414	
Total	126	566	
TOTAL...	3,302	2,863	6

Establishment of Technical Education.—Classes for Technical Education were first established at the Mechanics' School of Arts in 1865. The Working Men's College was started in 1873. In 1878 a sum of £2,000 was by Parliament for the organisation of the Technical College, and for five years the classes were carried on at the inst named. In 1883 a Board was appointed by Government to take over the management, but towards the end of 1 Board was dissolved, and the Technical Colleges were placed under the control of the Minister of Public Instruction new Technical College at Ultimo was opened to students in January, 1892.

Technical Education Branch.—The Technical Education Branch of the Department of Public Instruction co two distinct institutions—(1) The Sydney Technical College and its Branches; and (2) the Technological Museum Sydney Technical College and the Technological Museum adjoin, and the Branch Technical Schools at Bathurst, Go Newcastle, and West Maitland have also Branch Technological Museums connected. The two institutions are now one administrative head. Instruction is given in classes at the various schools, and during 1896 five lectures on Agri were delivered, by request, in country districts, and sixty-three by the Travelling Lecturer in Geology in various mining

No. 54.—Technical Education.—Classes in State Schools, 1896.

Classes.	Enrolment. Metropolitan.	Country	Total.
Manual training	331	291	622
Physics	66	...	66
Art drawing	...	266	
Total	397	557	
Total, All Schools	3,699	3,420	7

No. 55.—Teaching Staff at Technical Schools, 1896.

Lecturers in charge of Departments.	Resident Masters in charge of Branch Schools.	Salaried Teachers.	Assistant Teachers.	Unsalaried Teachers (Paid by Fees).	Total.
13	5	36	17	13	84

No. 56.—Technical College and Branches—Classes and Enrolment, 1896.

District.	Classes.	Total enrolled.
Sydney and Suburbs—		
Technical College	61	3,302
Ashfield	4	82
Fort-street Public School ...	1	18
Hunter's Hill	1	19
Newtown	5	147
North Sydney	2	69
Petersham	6	159
Surry Hills	2	61
Sydney High School	1	23
Total....	83	3,880
Country—		
Armidale	1	82
Bathurst	16	465
Goulburn	15	489
Granville	8	180
Hornsby	1	8
Country—*continued.*		
Maitland, East...	1	19
Maitland, West	9	325
Minmi	3	69
Morpeth and Hinton	1	27
Newcastle	17	451
Raymond Terrace	1	29
Seaham and Clarence Town ...	1	42
Singleton	2	54
Teralba	1	16
Wallsend	1	17
Wallsend, West	1	12
Total	79	2,285
SUMMARY—		
Sydney and Suburbs	83	3,880
Country...	79	2,285
Total	162	6,165

No. 57.—Technical Instruction in State Schools, 1896.

Schools.	Classes.	Total enrolled.
Sydney—		
Fort-street Training School—		
Students	1	26
Boys	1	60
High School (Boys)	1	9
" " —Physics	1	66
Cleveland-street Public School	1	53
Crown-street " ...	1	94
Sussex-street " ...	1	40
Blackfriars " ...	1	49
Country—		
Newcastle	1	108
Goulburn Public School ...	1	74
Maitland West " ...	1	109
" Art Drawing ...	2	266
Total	13	954

Technical Education in State Schools.—During 1890 a workshop was established at Fort-street Model School, and later on, at the Boys' High School and other large schools in the metropolis and country. The pupils are taught the use of tools by instructors connected with the Technical College and branches. The course consists of carpentry, joinery, and other selected handicrafts. Examinations are held annually, and certificates issued to successful candidates.

Enrolment.—The total number of pupils enrolled was 7,119, as shown in the preceding page, as against 7,071 for 1895, and a number of students have joined more than one class; the number of individual students was 5,396, with an average attendance of 3,718.

Classes.—The total number of classes given above was the number in existence at each locality, and not the number of distinct subjects taught, which is 57.

No. 58. [illegible]echnical Lectures given in Country Districts, 1896.

Subject.	Number of Lectures.	Average Attenda[illegible]
Geology and Mineralogy	63	127
Agriculture	16	62

No. 59.—Technical College and Branches: Receipts and Expenditure, 1889-[illegible]

Year.	Individual Students.	Receipts.			Expenditure.	
		On account of Parliamentary Votes.	Fees.	Total.	Total.	Per Stu[illegible]
	No.	£	£	£	£	£
1889	2,586	17,500	1,988	19,488	17,500	6 1[illegible]
1890	5,207	26,000	2,902	28,902	22,049	4 [illegible]
1891	6,688	34,228	3,721	37,949	28,694	4 [illegible]
1892	8,295	34,924	4,389	39,313	27,800	3 [illegible]
1893	5,662	20,637	3,702	24,339	18,008	3 [illegible]
1894	4,928	16,560	3,278	19,838	16,326	3 [illegible]
1895	5,458	21,054	3,899	24,953	16,458	3 [illegible]
1896	5,396	21,218	4,121	25,339	17,364	3 [illegible]

No. 60.—Technological Museum and Branches, 1896.

Institution.	Visitors during 1896.		Average Daily Attendance.		Expend[illegible]
	Week-days.	Sundays.	Week-days.	Sundays.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Technological Museum, Sydney	67,222	32,730	216	629	
" " Newcastle Branch ...	58,443	*	187	*	
" " Bathurst Branch ...	19,840	*	63	*	£3,
" " West Maitland Branch	23,564	*	75	*	
" " Goulburn Branch ...	24,211	*	77	*	

* **Branch Technological Museums.**—These are not open on Sundays.

Technological Museum.—This museum, situate in Harris-street, Ultimo, was est[illegible] administered by a committee of management appointed by the trustees of the Australian M[illegible] the Department of Public Instruction on 1st January, 1890, and made an integral [illegible] Special endeavours are being made to collect the raw products and samples, illus[illegible] of the Australian Colonies; and the museum contains a large number of [illegible] comprehensive series of specimens of wool. Over 50,000 exhibits in all have be[illegible]

No. 61.—Visitors to, and Expenditure of Australian Museum, 1894-96.

Year.	Visitors.				Expenditure.		
	For the year.		Average daily.		Salaries and Allowances.	Purchases and Miscellaneous.	Total.
	Week-days.	Sundays.	Week-days.	Sundays.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1894 ...	86,246	31,324	261	660	3,649	1,849	5,498
1895 ...	86,353	32,226	325	632	4,199	1,532	5,731
1896 ...	83,351	34,494	316	663	4,311	1,583	5,894

Australian Museum.—The Australian Museum was founded in 1836. It was originally connected with the Botanical Gardens, and was located in a room in Macquarie-street, Sydney, but was afterwards removed to the Surveyor-General's Office, and again, in 1849, to its present site. Its affairs were managed by a committee until 1853, when the Museum was incorporated by Act of Parliament (17 Vic. No. 2). The Act provides for twelve official Trustees, one Crown Trustee, nominated by the Governor, and twelve elective Trustees. Provision was also made for a State endowment of £1,000 per annum, which is supplemented by annual Parliamentary appropriations as required. It is essentially a Museum of Natural History.

No. 62.—Presentations, &c., to Australian Museum during 1896.

Object.	Presented by—
"Dobroyde" collection of birds	Government of New South Wales.
"Nocoleche" meteorite	Mr. George J. Raffell.
Remains of Dugong discovered at Shea's Creek	Mr. C. W. Darley, Engineer-in-Chief.
Collection of current coins	British Government.
" "	Imperial German Government.
" "	Austro-Hungarian Government.
" "	Hawaiian Government.
Part of the collections of the "Horn Scientific Expedition"	Mr. W. A. Horn and Prof. W. B. Spencer.

PURCHASES DURING 1896.

Elephant "Jumbo" and a leopard from the New South Wales Zoological Society.
Ancient Peruvian urns; bower or playground of one of the bower birds.
Collection of insects, &c.

EXCHANGES OF EXHIBITS DURING 1896.

Exchanges have taken place with the following Museums:—
British; Canterbury, New Zealand; Wanganui, New Zealand; Indian; Kelvingrove, Glasgow; Musee Colonial, Noumea; Museo de la Plata; Launceston; Perth, Western Australia; Natural History, Athens; South Australia; Queensland; Royal Zoological, Florence; Tasmania: Technological; United States National; and with numerous private collectors.

Museum Library.—The library attached to the Australian Museum contains many valuable books. Presentations are continually being made, and during 1896 the additions numbered 399 volumes, besides many pamphlets and unbound parts of periodicals. The greater number were received by gift or exchange, and the purchases amounted to £193, including binding.

Other Museums.—In addition to the Australian Museum and the Technological Museums in which the exhibits are of a general nature, there is a Geological Museum connected with the Department of Mines and Agriculture, Sydney, which is open to the public free of charge. The Museum of Antiquities, the Macleay Museum of Natural History, and the Museum of Normal and Morbid Anatomy, attached to the Sydney University, are also accessible to the public.

No. 63.—Visitors to, Expenditure of, and Presentations to, National Art Gall of New South Wales, 1896.

VISITORS AND EXPENDITURE, 1896.

Visitors.	No.
Visitors on 52 Sundays	82,203
„ 312 week-days	133,399
Total on 364 days ...	215,602
Average attendance:—	No.
On Sundays	1,581
„ week-days	427

Expenditure.		£
Prior to January, 1896:—		£
Expended on works of art, maintenance, &c.		102,
During 1896:—	£	
Oil-paintings (8)	518	
Water-colors (9)	248	
Black and White works (2)	13	
Modelling, &c. (2)	184	
Frames, freight, insurance, and sundries	672	
Salaries and wages	1,112	
Repairs, fittings, &c. ...	388	
		3,
Total to the end of 1896...		105,

PRESENTATIONS DURING 1896.

Subject.	Presented by—
Pencil Drawing—"Lily"	W. A. Inman.
Water-colour Drawing—"Lung Arno, Florence"	Mrs. R. R. Armstrong and (ladies.
Brown Circular Tile, from the Porcelain Tower of Nanking ...	E. Molloy.

National Art Gallery.—The National Art Gallery of N.S.W. was first opened in June, 1876, in conjunction w New South Wales Academy of Art, an institution established in April, 1871. It was reopened as a National Gall 22nd September, 1880, in temporary buildings in the Botanical Gardens, Sydney, and removed to present premises Outer Domain on 23rd December, 1885. The estimated value of the collection is now upwards of £100,000. The col of water-colour drawings is considered to be the finest out of England.

Art Students.—Persons desirous of studying in the Art Gallery must make application, accompanied by a sp of work. If satisfactory, a "permit" will be granted to the applicant, revocable at the pleasure of the Trustee picture shall be copied in its entirety without special permission, and such studies only shall be made as shall be ap by the Trustees. All studies must be stamped before being taken from the Art Gallery. Loan pictures are not to be without the permission of the owners. Since the year 1889, when permission was first granted, 248 art students have themselves of the opportunity of studying in the Art Gallery, 36 additional students having been registered during 18

Loan Exhibitions of Pictures.—The practice has now been established of loan exchanges between the N Art Galleries of Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide, and Brisbane. The third interchanges with the National Galleries of V and South Australia were effected in April, 1896. The first exchanges with the Queensland National Art Gallery were e in November, 1896. Loan exhibitions of pictures from the National Art Gallery to country towns in New South Wal also been initiated, interchangeable between Newcastle, Bathurst, and Goulburn.

No. 64.—Visitors to The Public Library of New South Wales, 1869-9

Year.	No.	Year.	No.	Year.	
1869 (three months—1 Oct. to 31 Dec. Reference Branch first opened) ...	17,006	1877 (Lending Branch first opened ...	124,688	1887 (closed three months for moving)	139
1870	59,786	1878	117,017	1888	149
1871	60,165	1879 (Exhibition open)	152,036	1889	132,
1872	48,817	1880	134,462	1890	155
1873	76,659	1881	136,272	1891	173
1874 (eleven months)..	57,962	1882 (eleven months)...	133,731	1892	197
1875	66,900	1883	155,431	1893	216
1876	72,724	1884 (eleven months) .	161,877	1894	330
		1885	165,715	1895	409
		1886	168,085	1896	416,

The Public Library of New South Wales.—The "Free Public Library" was established on the 1st October when the buildings and books of the "Australian Subscription Library" were purchased by the Government. Duri years 1886-7 considerable additions were made to the premises, a large portion being entirely rebuilt. The new bu were opened in April, 1890. In 1877 the operations of the Library were extended by a Lending Branch being attached. certain simple regulations books may be borrowed by individuals, country Libraries, Mechanics' Institutes, and Gr Students in Country Districts, free of charge. The Newspaper Room, formerly attached to the Reference Library, February, 1895, transferred to the Lending Branch. During 1895 the name "Free Public Library" was changed to Public Library of New South Wales."

No. 65.—Visitors to The Public Library of New South Wales, 1896.

Branch.	Total Number of Visitors on Week-days.	Average Attendance of Visitors on Week-days.	Total Number of Visitors on Sundays.	Average Attendance of Visitors on Sundays.	Number of Tickets issued to Borrowers.	Total Number of Visitors during the year.
ence Library ...	166,402	542	7,728	148	.....	174,130
ng Branch ...	76,614	256	4,314	86	6,061	80,928
paper Room ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	161,124

66.—Number of Volumes Used and Issued from The Public Library of New South Wales during 1896.

Classification.	Reference Library.				Lending Branch.			
	Used on Sundays.		Used on Week-days.		Issued on Sundays.		Issued on Week-days.	
	Total.	Average.	Total.	Average.	Total.	Average.	Total.	Average.
	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.
Philosophy, Science, and the Arts	1,316	25·3	Not available.	Not available.	531	10·6	10,242	29·3
, Chronology, Antiquities, and ology	754	14·5			487	9·7	9,347	26·8
hy and Correspondence	1,051	20·2			467	9·4	8,019	23·0
phy, Topography, Voyages and ls, &c.	932	17·8			589	17·8	13,718	39·3
al and Serial Literature	1,271	24·5			....	....	....	....
ndence, Political Economy, Social ce, &c.	625	12·3			130	2·6	1,835	5·3
y, Moral and Mental Philosophy, ducation	457	8·4			169	3·4	3,246	9·3
and Drama	613	11·8			125	2·5	2,660	7·6
Literature, Philology, and Col- l Works	2,260	43·5			658	13·2	15,349	43·9
of Reference	768	14·7			....	....	....	....
Works of Fiction	....	....			1,291	25·8	25,474	73·0
Total	10,047	19·3	....	....	4,747	95	89,890	257·5

o. 67.—Volumes in The Public Library of New South Wales on the 31st December, 1896.

Classification.	Reference Library.	Lending Library.	For Country Libraries.	Total.
	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.
Philosophy, Science, and the Arts	10,869	4,168	1,369	16,406
, Chronology, Antiquities, and Mythology	7,161	3,560	1,174	11,895
hy and Correspondence	5,174	4,086	1,441	10,701
phy, Topography, Voyages and Travels, &c.	6,965	3,628	1,136	11,729
al and Serial Literature	24,315	...	47	24,362
ndence, Political Economy, Social Science, &c. ..	5,538	1,172	199	6,909
y, Moral and Mental Philosophy, and Education ..	5,183	1,502	164	6,849
and Drama	2,888	940	127	3,955
Literature, Philology, and Collected Works*	6,300	6,237	472	13,009
of Reference	4,876	....	2	4,878
tes	5,215	....	....	5,215
Total	84,484	25,293	6,131	115,908

sations of Books, &c.—During 1896 the general collection of books was increased by 5,525 volumes, inclus entations and 256 books received under the provisions of the Copyright Act. Seventy-six newspapers from tralasian Colonies and Great Britain were presented to the newspaper-room, and 272 newspapers and period in New South Wales were supplied under the Copyright Act.

* Including 2,983 vols. of prose fiction.

—Books ... Libraries from The Public Library of N[ew] South Wales, 1896.

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						...gabbi
						...arra
						Walcha
						[illegible]
						[illegible]
						[illegible]
						[illegible]
						[illegible]
						West H...grove
						West Maitland
						West Wallsend
						Wickham
						[illegible]
						[illegible]
						[illegible]
						[illegible]
						[illegible]
						[illegible]
						...g Wallsend
						Total ...

... Public Library of New South ...

... Sydney Mecha...

No. 71.—Government Subsidies to Schools of Arts, &c., 1896-97.

Schools of Arts.

Name.	Amount.	Name.	Amount.	Name.	Amount.	Name.	Amount.
	£		£		£		£
n	37	Copeland	Nil.	Kenthurst	2	Rockley	Nil.
lle	3	Copmanhurst	6	Kiama	3	Ryde, North	2
eek	4	Coraki	7	Kogarah	21	Sackville	Nil.
e	67	Corowa	61	Largs	Nil.	Savernake	3
. .. ..	19	Crookwell	Nil.	Laurieton	4	Scone	29
d	15	Cudal	Nil.	Lawrence	15	Shellharbour	Nil.
. .. ..	96	Cundletown	Nil.	Linburn	5	Smedmore	7
. .. ..	52	Deniliquin	59	Lismore	29	Somersby	Nil.
k	Nil.	Denman	Nil.	Maclean	10	South Woodburn ..	Nil.
r Heads ..	37	Drake	7	Maitland, West ..	71	St. Leonards	49
ni	49	Dudley	11	Mandurama	Nil.	Stockton	97
i	11	Dungog	7	March	11	Stroud	7
.. ..	13	Eden	3	Marrickville . ..	19	Sydney	965
.. ..	8	Eskbank	12	Marsden	Nil.	Tambar Springs ..	Nil.
.. ..	13	Eugowra	8	Marulan	5	Taree	11
igil	16	Finley	Nil.	Merewether	39	Temora	10
ange	Nil.	Forbes	35	Merriwa	Nil.	Tenterfield	21
.. ..	Nil.	Galston	8	Metz	8	Thornleigh	10
. .. ..	19	Germanton	Nil.	Milton	22	Toongabbie	5
.. .. ..	4	Glen Innes	73	Mittagong	24	Toronto	12
.. .. ..	42	Glenreagh	5	Moama	2	Trundle	Nil.
ina	18	Gosford	37	Molong	19	Tumut	64
ove	Nil.	Goulburn River ..	3	Monkerai	1	Tweed Heads ..	4
.. .. ..	2	Grafton	30	Moree	28	Ulmarra	4
ah	Nil.	Do South	58	Morpeth	19	Urana	19
d Bellambi ..	8	Granville	13	Moss Vale	33	Wagga Wagga ..	59
a	13	Grenfell	223	Mudgee	14	Walcha	5
lore	4	Gresford	Nil.	Mullumbimby	Nil.	Walcha Road	Nil.
i	98	Greta	8	Murwillumbah ..	15	Walgett	17
ay	15	Gundaroo	33	Muswellbrook ..	14	Wallamba	30
.. ..	11	Gundurimba	2	Nambucca Heads ..	37	Wallsend	86
.. ..	4	Gunnedah	17	Newcastle	114	Do West ..	14
dra	Nil.	Guyra	2	Noorooma	Nil.	Waratah	14
s Flat	7	Helensburgh	9	Nundle	Nil.	Wauchope	11
.. .. ..	2	Hibbard	4	Oaks	4	Wee Waa	5
.. .. ..	12	Hillgrove	42	Orange	70	Wickham	36
t	6	Hinton	Nil.	Palmer's Island ..	2	Windsor	4
Town ..	12	Hornsby Junction ..	Nil.	Panbula	12	Wingham	5
.. .. ..	Nil.	Howlong	10	Parramatta	84	Wolumla	2
.. .. ..	16	Humula	6	Paterson	7	Woodville	1
. .. ..	3	Ingleburn	2	Picton	13	Woolgoolga	Nil.
dabri	22	Inverell	13	Port Macquarie ..	17	Wyalong	Nil.
. .. ..	3	Jamberoo	137	Pyree	3	Wyndham	5
-Chance ..	9	Jerry's Plains	11	Queanbeyan	110	Wyrallah	Nil.
lin	Nil.	Jindera	2	Quirindi	12	Yalwal	Nil.
n	17	Junee	8	Raymond Terrace ..	6	Yamba	4
.. .. ..	30	Kangaroo Valley ..	7	Richmond	26	Young Wallsend ..	8
ndra	62	Katoomba	Nil.	Robertson	12		

Mechanics' Institutes.

wn	29	Drummoyne	13	Manilla	14	Singleton	27
.. .. ..	47	Dubbo	32	Menindie	5	Tamworth	37
.. .. ..	30	Forster	2	Moruya	11	Teralba	2
.. .. ..	6	Gilgandra	6	Mount Kembla ..	2	Thackaringa	11
e	6	Goulburn .. .	125	Murrumburrah ..	19	Tocumwal	2
blic Library ..	4	Gulargambone ..	Nil.	Murrurundi	14	Vegetable Creek ..	Nil.
.. .. ..	45	Hamilton	20	Narrandera	24	Wardell	3
.. .. ..	12	Hay (Athenæum) ..	38	Narrabri	25	Warialda	16
n	Nil.	Hillston	30	New Lambton	Nil.	Warren	10
adow	5	Islington	10	Nowra	17	Wentworth	Nil.
Hill	105	Jerilderie	9	Parkes	18	White Cliffs	Nil.
n	38	Jugiong	Nil.	Plattsburg	66	Wilcannia	10
. .. ..	28	Kiandra	1	Redfern (Railway Employés')	124	Wombat	22
rabran ..	25	Lambton	21			Yass	18
ble	167	Maitland, East ..	38				

Literary Institutes.

.. .. ..	Nil.	Charlestown	60	Gundagai	171	Sofala	4
od	35						

ernment Subsidy.—The amount of subsidy granted by the Government is £1 for every £2 raised by private on, and in aid of building funds £1 for every £1.

mber of Schools of Arts, &c.—There are 191 Schools of Arts, 57 Mechanics' Institutes, and 5 Literary Institu- total of 253 Institutions in New South Wales.

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Strength of Police, 31st December, 1896.

trict.	Head-quarters.	Sub-districts.	Police Force. Mounted.	Foot.	Total.
olitan ...	Central Police Court, Sydney.	No. 1 Division, Clarence-street „ 2 „ Regent-street „ 3 „ Darlinghurst. „ 4 „ George-street N. „ 5 „ Newtown North Sydney ... ... Water Police Station ...	53	696	749
... ...	Belmore Barracks, Sydney	Parramatta	54	64	118
astern ...	West Maitland ...	Newcastle, Kempsey	75	113	188
rn ...	Armidale	Grafton, Lismore	66	47	113
western ...	Tamworth	Narrabri	54	27	81
... ...	Bourke	Walgett	54	18	72
n ...	Bathurst	Orange, Forbes, Dubbo, Mudgee	116	73	189
western ...	Deniliquin	Hay, Broken Hill, Wilcannia ...	69	37	106
rray ...	Albury	Wagga Wagga, Gundagai, Narrandera..	51	39	90
n ...	Goulburn	Cooma, Young, Braidwood, Yass	109	59	168
		Total	701	1,173	1,874

Classification.

Mounted.				Foot.			
tendents ...	*11	Sergeants	61	Senior-Sergeants ...	35	Constables ...	926
ors... ..	10	Senior-Constables...	140	Sergeants	52	Detectives ...	16
ipectors ...	†31	Constables... ...	419	Senior-Constables ..	144		
Sergeants ...	29						
		Total	701			Total	1,173

* Includes Superintendent in charge of detectives. † Includes two Sub-Inspectors of detectives.

Strength of Police, 1887–96.

Metro-politan.	Country.	Total.	Proportion of Inhabitants to each Police Officer.	Year.	Metro-politan.	Country.	Total.	Proportion of Inhabitants to each Police Officer.
502	989	1,491	684	1892	697	1,059	1,756	682
518	995	1,513	694	1893	714	1,062	1,776	689
543	1,024	1,567	690	1894	731	1,088	1,819	688
594	1,057	1,651	679	1895	745	1,108	1,853	690
643	1,022	1,665	699	1896	749	1,125	1,874	687

Section I.—CRIMINAL JURISDICTION.

No. 2.—Lower Courts.—Persons brought before Magistrates during 1896.

Court.	Convicted.				Discharged after Evidence.				Persons whose cases were withdrawn or struck out.				Committed.				Total.
	Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.
Metropolitan—																	
Central Police	6,818	2,938	1,209	280	415	141	122	65	258	51	343	88	192	24	..	..	9,257
Water Police	4,181	1,159	1,345	124	195	59	162	42	243	34	719	103	148	13	..	..	6,993
Newtown	753	150	789	70	109	19	110	24	41	7	293	39	63	7	..	..	2,158
Redfern	633	190	577	80	78	19	54	27	23	5	81	26	14	3	10	..	1,470
North Sydney	251	52	318	13	20	5	24	8	4	..	64	10	22	..	..	..	703
Glebe	321	73	287	39	26	2	35	6	17	2	86	19	15	2	2	..	789
Balmain	158	37	325	20	45	3	39	4	1	..	143	17	9	..	1	..	721
Paddington	402	85	296	11	25	9	38	10	22	5	62	13	26	1	1	..	866
Total	*13,517	†4,684	5,146	637	913	257	584	186	609	104	1,701	315	483	50	14	..	23,057
Country—																	
Aberdeen	8	..	3	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	13
Adaminaby	7	1	4	..	..	1	5	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	18
Adelong	34	4	27	..	7	..	1	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	76
Albion Park	18	..	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	2	..	..	..	42
Albury	273	7	127	8	29	3	21	2	2	..	14	2	12	..	..	..	478
Angledool	9	1	13	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	31
Araluen	2	..	17	1	1	..	7	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	28
Armidale	165	20	43	1	2	1	13	1	..	..	14	1	14	..	..	..	251
Ballina	89	..	32	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	5	1	4	..	1	..	138
Balranald	39	3	13	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	58
Barmedman	25	..	30	..	4	..	3	..	1	..	10	..	1	..	..	..	74
Barraba	29	..	11	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	49
Barringun	12	..	3	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	25
Bateman's Bay	..	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	8
Bathurst	182	31	54	6	13	3	11	..	2	..	21	8	9	..	..	..	292
Bega	38	..	22	..	3	..	1	..	2	..	4	2	..	..	1	..	71
Bellingen	4	1	11	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	21
Bendemeer	1	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Berrigan	93	1	23	1	4	..	9	..	..	..	5	..	1	..	..	..	135
Berrima	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Berry	59	2	19	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	7	..	7	..	..	..	98
Binalong	5	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11
Bingara	74	2	20	4	4	..	5	..	1	..	14	1	3	..	..	..	121
Blackville	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Blayney	42	..	42	3	2	..	10	2	..	..	10	2	3	..	..	..	109
Boggabilla	7	..	13	..	6	..	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	32
Boggabri	58	2	31	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	4	..	..	..	98
Bombala	22	1	19	..	2	..	2	..	1	..	7	1	7	..	..	..	60
Booligal	28	1	14	..	..	1	4	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	54
Bourke	171	22	35	14	7	..	5	3	3	1	9	..	11	1	2	..	243
Bowral	46	..	9	1	2	..	3	1	2	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	68
Bowraville	..	..	....	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Braidwood	30	4	30	1	4	..	7	2	..	..	7	..	1	..	2	..	82
Branxton	10	..	12	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22
Brewarrina	46	1	12	..	3	..	6	2	..	..	8	..	6	..	..	..	81
Broken Hill	916	65	211	18	29	..	45	2	14	..	54	9	24	..	1	..	1,294
Brunswick	1	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Buckley's Crossing ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Bulladelah	3	..	9	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16
Bulli	26	1	44	4	2	2	7	2	..	..	9	..	1	..	..	..	

* Includes 6 persons released under the provisions of the First Offenders Probation Act.
† " 1 " " "

The jurisdiction of Magistrates is limited to offences involving a penalty of six m under in all cases except those under the "Distillation Acts" and the "Custom- twelve months can be imposed, and two years for cases under the "Chinese Rest be "Children's Protection Act, 1892."

No. 2.—Persons brought before Magistrates, 1896—*continued.*

Court.	Convicted.				Discharged after Evidence.				Persons whose cases were withdrawn or struck out.				Committed.				Total.	
	Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.			
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Country—*continued.*																		
Bundarra	9	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	15	..
Bungendore	14	1	10	1	..	..	2	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	30	4
Bungwall	2	..	10	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	18	..
Burraga	..	..	19	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	29	..
Burrowa	13	..	23	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	13	..	4	..	..	..	56	1
Byrock	10	..	6	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	1	..	..	..	24	..
Byron Bay	4	..	2	..	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	9	2
Camden	18	1	23	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	44	1
Camden Haven ..	2	2	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	2
Campbelltown	9	..	21	..	..	..	4	..	1	..	4	1	..	..	..	..	39	1
Candelo	8	..	16	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	32	..
Canowindra	14	..	16	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	35	..
Captain's Flat	16	..	18	..	2	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	41	..
Carcoar	10	..	48	3	3	..	9	1	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	77	4
Carrathool	19	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	25	..
Casino	30	1	23	..	2	..	4	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	3	..	65	1
Cassilis	9	..	16	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	5	..	3	..	..	..	38	..
Cessnock	1	..	7	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	17	..
Clare	1	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Clarence Town	3	..	5	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	15	..
Clifton	..	..	17	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	2
Cobar	195		57	5	14	..	6	2	1	..	7	3	7	1	..	..	287	18
Cobargo	4	1	8	1	2	..	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	19	2
Cobborah	..	..	17	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	22	..
Collarendebri	23	..	6	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	32	..
Collector	1	2	3	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	5
Colombo	1	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..
Condobolin	38	1	22	1	11	..	14	..	..	..	23	1	3	..	2	..	113	3
Coolah	9	..	3	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	16	..
Coolamon	24	3	7	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	6	..	2	..	..	..	41	3
Cooma	40	1	30	2	1	..	5	1	1	..	5	2	3	..	1	..	86	6
Coonabarabran	35	3	25	..	4	1	4	..	7	..	1	..	13	1	..	..	89	5
Coonamble	184	8	20	5	16	..	2	2	2	1	8	..	5	..	..	..	237	16
Coopernook	1	..	5	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	13	1	..	..	..	..	25	1
Cooranbong	2	..	9	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	14	..
Cootamundra	74	4	54	3	13	1	12	..	..	..	10	..	5	..	..	..	168	8
Copeland	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..
Coraki	30	1	6	..	3	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	45	1
Corowa	113	6	22	1	6	..	6	..	..	..	4	..	4	..	3	..	158	7
Cowra	104	4	110	3	11	..	14	..	7	1	18	3	11	1	..	..	275	12
Crookwell	11	1	30	1	12	..	15	1	..	1	17	3	3	2	..	..	88	9
Cudal	9	..	30	5	2	..	10	..	..	..	6	..	1	..	..	..	58	5
Cudgellico (Lake) ..	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	8	..
Cudgen	26	1	34	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	66	1
Cumnock	13	..	15	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	4	..	4	..	..	..	40	..
Cundletown	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	8	..
Dalmorton	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
Dandaloo	16	..	11	..	1	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	39	..
Darlington Point ..	5	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	6	..
Deepwater	5	..	9	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	16	2
Delegate	15	..	16	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	39	..
Deniliquin	300	14	61	3	12	1	8	2	2	..	12	..	4	1	..	.	399	21
Denman	2	..	13	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	24	..
Drake	5	..	4	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	13	..
Dubbo	243	23	72	5	16	1	33	..	4	..	26	..	3	..	1	..	398	29
Dungog	26	..	34	..	3	..	10	..	1	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	76	2
Eden	4	1	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	1
Emmaville	13	..	18	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	36	..
Euabalong	5	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..
Eurobodalla & Narooma	1	..	6	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	10	..
Euston	6	..	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	..
Forbes	78	8	41	3	17	3	11	1	5	1	27	3	11	..	2	..	192	19
Forster	2	..	3	2	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	11	2

No. 2.—Persons brought before Magistrates, 1896—*continued.*

Court.	Convicted.				Discharged after Evidence.				Persons whose cases were withdrawn or struck out.				Committed.				Total
	Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.
Country—*continued.*																	
Frogmore	..	..	6	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
Germanton	63	..	5	..	6	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	77
Gilgandra	14	..	9	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	28
Gilgunnia	..	..	4	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	8
Gladstone	13	..	9	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	31
Glen Innes	57	3	32	3	2	..	9	3	1	..	6	..	5	1	..	..	112
Goodooga	23	..	12	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	1	..	..	..	48
Gosford	21	1	34	..	..	..	9	1	..	..	4	..	4	..	..	..	72
Goulburn	222	12	156	9	16	5	34	..	6	..	43	3	10	..	..	..	487
Grafton	78	3	67	4	4	..	37	4	..	..	15	1	4	..	2	..	265
Grenfell	17	..	37	1	5	..	9	..	1	..	6	..	7	..	..	..	82
Gresford	6	..	15	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	27
Greta	25	2	25	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	58
Gulgong	17	2	17	4	1	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	1	..	..	40
Gundagai	75	..	69	1	3	..	8	3	..	..	29	2	2	..	..	..	186
Gundaroo	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	7
Gunnedah	115	3	59	2	7	..	10	..	1	..	12	1	5	..	..	..	206
Gunning	5	4	3	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	18
Guyra	..	..	5	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	13
Hargreaves	6	2	18	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	28
Hay	130	8	89	11	2	..	22	3	2	..	23	3	4	1	..	..	272
Helensburgh	27	2	48	2	1	..	2	..	..	..	14	1	..	..	..	..	97
Hill End	4	1	21	1	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	4	2	..	..	..	31
Hillgrove	49	3	49	7	6	..	12	..	..	..	14	3	2	..	1	1	133
Hillston	46	3	28	4	3	..	7	1	3	..	13	..	1	..	..	..	101
Howlong	10	..	13	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	6	..	3	..	..	..	34
Inverell	105	10	29	..	9	..	7	1	6	..	29	5	7	..	1	..	193
Ivanhoe	3	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Jerilderie	121	2	24	..	7	1	4	1	..	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	161
Jerry's Plains	1	..	8	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	12
Jindabyne	2	..	4	..	1	1	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	11
Jugiong	5	..	7	..	..	..	9	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	1	..	30
Junee	137	2	17	..	5	..	2	..	1	..	13	2	4	1	..	..	179
Kangaroo Valley ..	8	..	17	..	2	..	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	30
Katoomba	93	13	32	2	4	1	5	2	..	..	2	4	5	1	..	..	141
Kempsey	68	..	54	4	5	2	20	..	7	..	21	2	7	..	3	..	185
Kiama	108	4	99	2	1	..	11	2	2	..	14	1	2	..	..	..	237
Kiandra	1	..	....	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Kookabookra	..	..	3	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
Lambton	26	..	70	6	1	2	12	2	2	..	21	..	1	..	..	..	133
Lawrence	2	..	9	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	17
Leadville	2	..	7	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	3	1	2	..	..	..	17
Lismore	103	2	46	1	5	..	16	2	..	..	11	1	9	..	..	..	190
Lithgow	149	1	46	3	4	2	11	..	..	..	20	2	7	..	..	..	237
Liverpool	56	1	66	6	6	..	19	4	..	..	6	1	4	..	1	..	158
Louth	14	..	3	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	23
Maclean	15	..	18	..	1	..	9	1	..	..	8	..	2	..	..	..	53
Maitland, East	17	4	21	1	4	..	4	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	1	..	54
Maitland, West	166	13	123	4	13	1	10	2	1	..	12	4	6	1	..	..	331
Manilla	39	..	14	..	4	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	63
Marengo	..	..	12	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	14
Marsdens	5	..	13	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	29
Marulan	5	1	9	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	18
Mathoura	2	4	2	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
Menindie	32	..	3	1	1	..	5	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	45
Merriwa	23	2	2	1	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	1	..	45
Michelago	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	[illegible]
Millie	1	1	6	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	[illegible]
Milparinka	11	..	8	1	1	..	10	..	..	..	1	..	7	..	..	..	[illegible]
Milton	7	..	32	..	1	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	[illegible]
Minmi	12	1	54	..	..	..	9	4	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	[illegible]
Mittagong	13	..	8	..	4	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	[illegible]
Moama	15	3		..	2	1	2	2	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	[illegible]

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	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Country—*continued.*																		
Mogil Mogil	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Molong	42	1	11	..	6	..	17	2	..	..	6	..	1	..	..	..	83	3
Moree	378	9	25	..	8	1	5	..	3	1	10	..	11	1	1	..	441	12
Morpeth	6	1	15	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	23	2
Morangarell	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..
Moruya	28	..	23	2	5	..	6	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	65	2
Mossgiel	12	..	6	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	24	..
Moss Vale	49	1	27	..	3	..	10	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	93	1
Moulamein	17	..	2	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	23	..
Mount Hope	6	..	5	..	1	..	14	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	30	..
Mount M'Donald ..	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	7	..
Mudgee	40	5	37	..	3	..	11	1	2	..	13	..	16	..	2	..	124	6
Mulwala	32	..	17	1	2	..	4	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	59	1
Mungindi	12	3	7	5	5	1	3	1	..	..	4	2	2	1	..	..	33	13
Murrumburrah	39	1	66	5	1	2	5	..	..	..	17	..	3	..	1	..	132	8
Murrurundi	24	2	30	1	5	1	7	..	3	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	72	4
Murwillumbah	47	13	18	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	69	13
Muswellbrook	37	5	42	2	1	..	3	..	..	..	12	..	4	..	..	..	99	7
Nambucca	3	1	7	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	15	1
Narrabri	381	19	152	16	18	1	14	2	6	..	58	5	23	2	..	1	652	46
Narrandera	182	6	55	3	18	1	12	1	..	..	21	2	5	1	..	..	293	14
Narromine	18	2	26	..	10	..	8	..	..	..	8	..	1	..	..	..	71	2
Nelligan	..	..	5	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	11	..
Nerrigundah	2	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Nevertire	21	..	8	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	35	..
Newcastle	1,412	87	265	33	45	4	55	7	52	4	98	6	9	..	..	..	1,936	141
Nimitybelle	2	..	3	..	1	..	5	..	..	..	4	..	3	..	..	..	18	..
Nundle	12	1	14	..	2	..	6	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	36	1
Nowra	113	3	60	2	2	..	35	2	1	..	13	1	4	..	..	..	228	8
Nymagee	40	..	22	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	69	..
Nyngan	150	..	30	..	3	..	13	3	..	..	15	1	2	..	..	..	213	4
Oberon	2	..	4	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	..
Obley	..	1	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	7	2
Orange	170	15	133	9	17	3	23	2	12	..	32	2	15	1	..	..	402	32
Oxley	8	..	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	15	..
Pambula	15	..	18	5	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	36	5
Parkes	214	16	32	3	5	1	12	3	4	..	22	..	9	1	..	..	298	24
Parramatta	291	36	170	12	38	7	39	3	4	1	58	5	13	1	1	..	614	65
Paterson	4	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	7	..
Peak Hill	24	1	14	2	5	1	5	..	1	..	40	..	1	..	..	..	90	4
Penrith	106	14	63	9	4	1	11	1	..	..	22	3	10	1	..	..	216	29
Picton	22	1	40	..	2	..	4	3	..	..	9	1	1	..	..	..	78	5
Pilliga	24	..	8	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	42	..
Pooncarie	4	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	9	..
Port Macquarie ..	19	..	38	1	1	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	63	1
Quambone	5	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	10	..
Queanbeyan	13	..	8	..	4	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	8	..	1	..	39	..
Quirindi	200	5	21	..	7	..	4	..	2	..	6	..	4	..	..	1	244	6
Raymond Terrace ..	17	..	8	..	..	..	13	..	1	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	45	..
Richmond	15	..	24	2	3	..	6	1	..	..	7	2	1	..	..	..	56	5
Robertson	2	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	11	..
Rockley	3	..	3	..	3	..	2	..	2	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	21	..
Ryde	74	5	95	7	6	1	14	1	1	..	23	1	2	..	..	..	215	15
Ryistone	11	1	12	1	1	..	9	..	..	..	18	..	1	..	..	..	52	2
Scone	44	1	22	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	6	3	2	..	..	..	76	5
Singleton	53	..	62	1	6	..	13	2	1	..	3	1	5	..	..	..	143	4
Silverton	6	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..
Sofala	10	..	22	1	..	..	3	2	..	..	6	..	6	..	..	..	47	..
St. Albans	2	..	6	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	16	
Stroud	2	..	7	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	11	
Stuart Town	3	..	17	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	5	..	7	..	..	..	34	
Sunny Corner	38	2	21	1	1	..	5	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	68	
Swamp Oak	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..		

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Court.	Convicted.				Discharged after Evidence.				Persons whose cases were withdrawn or struck out.				Committed.				Total
	Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summons.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.
Country—*continued.*																	
Swansea	4	1	21	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	31
Tamworth	214	22	47	3	7	3	23	..	1	..	14	3	6	..	1	..	313
Taralga	14	..	33	..	1	..	15	..	..	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	72
Taree	34	..	11	1	1	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	53
Tarrawingie	24	1	10	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	41
Tea Gardens	....	..	5	1	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
Temora	49	5	63	3	8	..	7	11	1	..	24	2	5	..	..	..	157
Tenterfield	52	2	28	2	2	..	2	1	..	..	5	..	1	..	..	..	90
Thackaringa	2	..	5	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	13
Tibooburra	16	..	6	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	6	..	2	..	..	..	32
Tingha	3	..	5	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	5	..	3	..	..	..	19
Tocumwal	40	..	41	1	6	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	95
Trangie	13	1	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	1	..	..	..	30
Trunkey	9	..	7	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	18
Tuena	4	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	14
Tumbarumba	26	2	34	2	3	..	10	..	..	..	5	..	3	..	..	..	81
Tumut	49	..	81	3	..	..	9	..	..	..	6	..	2	..	..	..	147
Ulmarra	13	..	5	..	1	..	3	1	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	27
Uralla	26	3	8	1	2	..	4	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	44
Urana	61	..	21	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	91
Wagga Wagga	155	6	152	22	15	1	9	1	1	..	52	4	5	..	..	..	389
Walbundrie	6	..	9	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	3	..	..	..	29
Walcha	14	1	8	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	4	..	3	..	..	..	31
Walgett	57	6	57	..	35	1	7	..	1	..	6	..	8	..	..	..	171
Wallerawang	9	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15
Wallsend & Plattsburg	53	4	148	2	5	..	19	1	1	..	16	..	2	..	..	..	244
Wanaaring	21	..	7	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	36
Waratah	4	..	29	2	..	..	7	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	41
Wardell	84	..	16	..	3	1	5	1	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	113
Warialda	45	1	6	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	53
Warren	192	10	36	..	13	2	5	1	..	..	7	1	..	..	..	..	253
Wee Waa	25	..	7	2	1	..	4	..	..	..	6	1	..	..	..	..	43
Wellington	62	1	8	2	12	2	6	..	..	..	12	..	7	..	2	..	109
Wentworth	122	..	8	1	2	..	..	1	1	..	2	2	6	..	..	..	141
Whitton	12	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	19
Wilcannia	145	2	36	1	3	..	4	..	..	..	11	..	9	1	1	..	209
White Cliffs	40	..	1	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	49
Wilson's Downfall ..	3	..	13	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	20
Windeyer	3	2	15	..	2	..	4	1	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	28
Windsor	38	2	59	3	3	4	20	1	2	..	1	..	7	2	..	..	130
Wingham	2	..	6	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	10
Wollar	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Wollombi	11	..	10	1	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	26
Wollongong	59	7	132	5	6	1	20	1	2	..	17	1	7	..	1	..	244
Wolumla	3	..	2	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	10
Woodburn	22	..	10	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	39
Wyalong	96	13	35	3	14	3	19	..	2	..	13	..	7	1	1	..	187
Wyndham	2	..	5	1	2	..	9	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	21
Yantabulla	6	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	16
Yass	29	3	26	3	1	..	19	..	2	..	9	..	5	..	..	..	91
Yetman	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	8
Young	61	3	56	1	13	1	16	1	..	..	24	4	11	..	..	1	181
Total Country ..	*13,366	†733	‡7,023	387	898	80	1,590	135	212	12	1,833	152	695	29	59	4	25,676
Total, N. S. Wales ..	§26 883	‖5,417	¶12,169	1,024	1,811	337	2 174	321	821	116	3,624	467	1,178	79	73	4	48,733

* Includes 27 persons released under the provisions of the First Offenders Probation Act.
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No. 3.—Disposal of Persons brought before Magistrates, 1896.

METROPOLITAN.

Classification.	Arrest.			Private and Police Summons.			Totals.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
nvicted	13,517	4,684	18,201	5,146	637	5,783	18,663	5,321	23,984
mmitted for Trial... ...	483	50	533	14	...	14	497	50	547
scharged after Evidence ...	913	257	1,170	584	186	770	1,497	443	1,940
se withdrawn or struck out	609	104	713	1,791	315	2,106	2,400	419	2,819
Total...	15,522	5,095	20,617	7,535	1,138	8,673	23,057	6,233	29,290

COUNTRY.

Classification.	Arrest.			Private and Police Summons.			Totals.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
nvicted	13,366	733	14,099	7,023	387	7,410	20,389	1,120	21,509
mmitted for Trial... ...	695	29	724	59	4	63	754	33	787
scharged after Evidence ...	898	80	978	1,590	135	1,725	2,488	215	2,703
se withdrawn or struck out	212	12	224	1,833	152	1,985	2,045	164	2,209
Total...	15,171	854	16,025	10,505	678	11,183	25,676	1,532	27,208

NEW SOUTH WALES.

Classification.	Arrest.			Private and Police Summons.			Totals.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
nvicted	26,883	5,417	32,300	12,169	1,024	13,193	39,052	6,441	45,493
mmitted for Trial... ...	1,178	79	1,257	73	4	77	1,251	83	1,334
scharged after Evidence ...	1,811	337	2,148	2,174	321	2,495	3,985	658	4,643
se withdrawn or struck out	821	116	937	3,624	467	4,091	4,445	583	5,028
Total...	30,693	5,949	36,642	18,040	1,816	19,856	48,733	7,765	56,498

No. 4.—Classification of Offences dealt with by Magistrates, 1896.

METROPOLITAN.

Classification.	Offences of Persons.		Adjudications excluding Committals.		Withdrawn, Struck out, or discharged from list.	Committed for Trial.	Total.
	Arrest.	Summons	Arrest.	Summons			
Offences against the Person... ...	1,174	813	854	473	540	120	1,987
Offences against Property with violence	384	142	231	96	91	108	526
Offences against Property without violence	2,781	208	2,017	87	551	334	2,989
Forgery and Offences against the Currency	49	1	17	...	2	31	50
Offences against Good Order ...	17,239	3,116	17,043	2,609	686	17	20,355
Offences not included in preceding...	440	4,792	320	3,564	1,280	68	5,232
Total	22,067	9,072	20,482	6,829	3,150	678	31,139

COUNTRY.

Classification.	Offences of Persons.		Adjudications excluding Committals.		Withdrawn, Struck out or discharged from list.	Committed for Trial.	Total.
	Arrest.	Summons	Arrest.	Summons			
Offences against the Person... ...	1,280	1,388	999	835	616	218	2,668
Offences against Property with violence	364	262	234	191	91	110	626
Offences against Property without violence	2,729	665	2,129	501	283	481	3,394
Forgery and Offences against the Currency	80	4	20	2	5	57	84
Offences against Good Order ...	14,969	4,099	14,832	3,521	702	13	19,088
Offences not included in preceding...	571	5,767	479	4,816	1,009	34	6,338
Total	19,993	12,185	18,693	9,866	2,706	913	32,178

NEW SOUTH WALES.

Classification.	Offences of Persons.		Adjudications excluding Committals.		Withdrawn, Struck out or discharged from list.	Committed for Trial.	Total.
	Arrest.	Summons	Arrest.	Summons			
Offences against the Person	2,454	2,201	1,853	1,308	1,156	338	4,655
Offences against Property with violence	748	404	465	287	182	218	1,152
Offences against Property without violence	5,510	873	4,146	588	834	815	6,383
Forgery and offences against the Currency	129	5	37	2	7	88	134
Offences against Good Order ...	32,208	7,215	31,875	6,139	1,388	30	39,423
Offences not included in preceding ...	1,011	10,559	799	8,583	2,289	102	11,570
Total	42,060	21,257	39,175	16,695	5,856	1,591	63,317

)ffences charged against Persons brought before Magistrates, 1896.

ıe charges are excluded : Each person is only considered as being charged with the most serious offence brought against him or her).

Offences.	Persons charged before Magistrates.			Summarily dealt with. Convicted.			Summarily dealt with. Discharged, Withdrawn, &c.			Committed to Higher Court.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
t the Person—												
.. ..	11	3	14	..	..	..	3	2	5	8	1	9
ıurder	7	..	7	..	..	..	2	..	2	5	..	5
murder	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
r	7	..	7	..	..	..	6	..	6	1	..	1
evous bodily harm ..	99	6	105	4	..	4	44	3	47	51	3	54
vith intent to do grievous m	12	2	14	..	..	..	2	..	2	10	2	12
vith intent to inflict odily harm	47	7	54	..	..	..	16	2	18	31	5	36
obbery	78	1	79	7	..	7	31	1	32	40	..	40
intent to rob	9	..	9	..	..	..	3	..	3	6	..	6
ault	2,682	411	3,093	1,208	122	1,330	1,467	289	1,756	7	..	7
workmen by violence, or iolence	20	..	20	3	..	3	17	..	17	..	..	..
esisting, or obstructing	438	12	450	411	7	418	17	5	22	10	..	10
g wife with necessaries, ng life	2	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	1
ld desertion when prosecinally	9	3	12	..	..	..	7	2	9	2	1	3
ndangering life by obrailway	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
health of infant by ex-	2	2	4	..	..	..	2	2	4	..	..	..
.. ..	18	..	18	..	..	..	5	..	5	13	..	13
omnit rape .. .	22	..	22	..	..	..	8	..	8	14	..	14
owing a girl under 10 attempts at	6	..	6	..	..	..	1	..	1	5	..	5
wing a girl over 10 and ears, or attempts at ..	28	..	28	1	..	1	4	..	4	23	..	23
ledge by a teacher, or at	3	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	1	2	..	2
ttempts at	9	..	9	..	..	..	4	..	4	5	..	5
attempts at	8	..	8	1	..	1	..	..	..	7	..	7
.. ..	7	3	10	..	1	1	..	..	..	7	2	9
ault	38	..	38	2	..	2	11	..	11	25	..	25
.. ..	21	..	21	..	..	..	8	..	8	13	..	13
.. ..	10	4	14	..	..	..	2	1	3	8	3	11
iscarriage	2	3	5	..	..	..	..	2	2	2	1	3
irth of an infant .. .	..	6	6	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	4	4
mpt to commit	62	28	90	50	19	69	11	9	20	1	..	1
.. ..	42	3	45	15	1	16	19	1	20	8	1	9
al	3,701	494	4,195	1,702	150	1,852	1,693	321	2,014	306	23	329
t Property with Violence— l entering with intent to ttempts at	193	8	201	2	..	2	37	4	41	154	4	158
.. ..	29	..	29	..	..	..	8	..	8	21	..	21
njuring property.. ..	598	83	681	362	49	411	225	34	259	11	..	11
njuring telegraph line ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
illing or wounding sheep, horses	20	..	20	3	..	3	6	..	6	11	..	11
.. ..	21	..	21	8	..	8	9	..	9	4	..	4
al	862	91	953	375	49	424	285	38	323	202	4	206
t Property without Violence— ien not connected with	36	2	38	..	..	..	5	1	6	31	1	32
ompany	64	5	69	42	1	43	19	4	23	3	..	3
ıy	2,867	378	3,245	1,073	216	2,189	757	136	893	137	26	163
the person	75	11	86	35	4	39	21	6	27	19	1	20
a dwelling	92	13	105	22	1	23	18	6	24	52	6	58
a vessel in port.. ..	2	..	2	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..
g	72	2	74	2	..	2	20	1	21	50	1	51
g .. .. : ..	106	2	108	1	..	1	28	2	30	77	..	77
g	66	2	68	..	..	..	16	1	17	50	1	51
.. ..	12	..	12	7	..	7	5	..	5	..	..	..
it	140	..	140	54	..	54	49	..	49	37	..	37
teal	32	1	33	21	..	21	9	1	10	2	..	2
ces	369	22	391	156	5	161	158	17	175	55	..	55
bailee or agent	113	6	119	30	1	31	66	4	70	17	1	18
co-partner	11	..	11	1	..	1	8	..	8	2	..	2
len property	32	13	45	7	6	13	18	5	23	7	2	9
ssion of suspected stolen	347	23	370	217		226	130	14	144	..	..	..

No. 5.—Offences charged against Persons brought before Magistrates, 1896

Offences.	Persons charged before Magistrates.			Summarily dealt with. Convicted.			Summarily dealt with. Discharged, Withdrawn, &c.			Con High
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.
Offences against Property without Violence—*continued.*										
Illegally pawning	14	2	16	..	..	..	7	2	9	7
Illegally using cattle or horses	84	..	84	49	..	49	35	..	35	..
Misappropriating a valuable security	7	..	7	1	..	1	6	..	6	..
Fraudulent appropriation	121	7	128	44	4	48	76	3	79	1
Fraudulent bankruptcy	10	..	10	..	..	..	8	..	8	2
Being in a public place with intent to steal	13	..	13	7	..	7	6	..	6	..
Being found at night with intent to commit a felony	15	..	15	6	..	6	4	..	4	5
Being unlawfully on premises	98	3	101	63	2	65	34	1	35	1
Careless use of fire	29	..	29	21	..	21	8	..	8	..
Setting fire to crops	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Setting fire to house	23	2	25	..	..	..	10	1	11	13
Destroying Government property	11	1	12	10	1	11	1	..	1	..
Tampering with a letter in Post Office	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Being accessory to a crime	11	..	11	2	..	2	7	..	7	2
Accusing of crime to extort money	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	2	..
All other	41	3	44	12	..	12	18	3	21	11
Total	4,919	498	5,417	2,784	250	3,034	1,550	208	1,758	505
Forgery and Offences against the Currency—										
Forgery	18	3	21	..	1	1	6	..	6	12
Uttering	35	..	35	2	..	2	11	..	11	22
Forgery and uttering	25	2	27	..	..	..	7	..	7	18
Having or putting off counterfeit coin	6	2	8	..	..	..	4	2	6	2
Colouring coin or metal	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	84	8	92	2	1	3	28	2	30	54
Offences against Good Order—										
Drunkenness	12,001	2,619	14,620	11,940	2,609	14,549	61	10	71	..
Drunkenness, habitual	34	24	58	34	24	58	..	..	..	..
Drunkenness, with disorderly conduct	3,836	985	4,821	3,798	980	4,778	38	5	43	..
Riot	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Riotous or indecent behaviour	3,082	490	3,572	2,804	463	3,267	278	27	305	..
Throwing missiles	206	5	211	154	3	157	52	2	54	
Furious or negligent driving or riding	263	..	263	228	..	228	33	..	33	2
Obscenely exposing the person	192	7	199	186	5	191	5	2	7	1
Using obscene, threatening, or abusive language	5,954	1,183	7,137	5,278	939	6,217	676	244	920	
Being an idle and disorderly person	47	13	60	32	11	43	15	2	17	
Vagrancy	860	545	1,405	538	395	933	322	150	472	
Being a suspected person	162	3	165	107	2	109	55	1	56	
Begging alms	82	5	87	76	4	80	6	1	7	
Breach of the Peace	222	52	274	83	14	97	139	38	177	
Keeping a common brothel or disorderly house	..	6	6	..	..	..	..	3	3	
Cruelty to animals	672	10	682	516	5	521	156	5	161	
Gambling	242	..	242	148	..	148	84	..	84	1
Fortune telling	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Personating a detective	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	..	
Other offences against Police Acts	1,240	53	1,293	1,078	39	1,117	159	14	173	
Total	29,959	6,000	35,959	27,002	5,493	32,495	2,079	504	2,583	1
Offences not included in the preceding—										
Perjury	18	..	18	..	..	..	8	..	8	1
Making a false statement on oath	4	2	6	..	..	..	4	..	4	
Tampering with a witness	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Conspiracy	24	5	29	..	..	..	2	1	3	2
Refusing to pay fare (by steamer)	42	..	42	32	..	32	10	..	10	
Refusing to pay for liquor	62	3	65	47	1	48	15	2	17	
Absent without leave from ship	172	..	172	138	..	138	34	..	34	
Desertion from ship	51	..	51	45	..	45	6	..	6	
Wilful disobedience on board ship	124	..	124	104	..	104	20	..	20	
Naval deserter	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	
Defamatory libel	18	4	22	..	..	..	8	4	12	10
Escaping from lawful custody	10	..	10	1	..	1	1	..	1	
Absconding from bail	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	..	
Disturbing a congregation	7	..	7	..	..	..	5	..	5	2
Trespass	265	4	269	141	4	145	124	..	124	..
Polluting water	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	2	..
Breach of Abattoirs Act	31	4	35	27	4	31	4	..	4	..
" Aborigines Act	13	1	14	7	..	7	6	1	7	..
" Adulteration of Food and Drink Act	21	..	21	12	..	12	9	..	9	..
" Apprentices' Act	5	..	5	5	..	5	..	..	..	..
" Bakers' Act	15	..	15	15	..	15	..	..	..	..
" Betting-houses Suppression Act	130	1	131	102	1	103	28	..	28	..

». 5.—Offences charged against Persons brought before Magistrates, 1896—*contd.*

Offences.	Persons charged before Magistrates.			Summarily dealt with.						Committed to Higher Court.		
				Convicted.			Discharged, Withdrawn, &c.					
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
'ences not included in the preceding—*continued.*—												
Breach of Billiard and Bagatelle Licensing Act	5	..	5	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Birds Protection Act ..	6	..	6	6	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Brands Act	33	1	34	20	..	20	13	1	14	..	..	..
,, Carriage Regulations Act ..	21	..	21	18	..	18	3	..	3	..	..	..
,, Cattle Driving Act	7	..	7	7	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Children's Protection Act..	1	1	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	1
,, Chinese Restriction Act ..	7	..	7	4	..	4	3	..	3	..	..	..
,, Colonial Shipping Act ..	14	..	14	7	..	7	7	..	7	..	..	..
,, Commons Regulations ..	15	..	15	13	..	13	2	..	2	..	..	..
,, Crown Lands Regulations Act	356	8	364	281	5	286	75	3	78	..	..	..
,, Customs Laws	25	..	25	18	..	18	7	..	7	..	..	..
,, Dairies Supervision Act ..	24	6	30	21	6	27	3	..	3	..	..	..
,, Diseases in Sheep and Stock Act	301	5	306	190	3	193	111	2	113	..	..	..
,, Diseased Animals and Meat Act	53	..	53	44	..	44	9	..	9	..	..	..
,, Distillation Act	13	..	13	10	..	10	3	..	3	..	..	..
,, Dog Registration Act ..	1,051	121	1,172	901	102	1,003	150	19	169	..	..	..
,, Enclosed Land Act	195	4	199	96	1	97	99	3	102	..	..	..
,, Explosives Act	28	1	29	26	1	27	2	..	2	..	..	..
,, First Offenders' Probation Act	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
,, Fisheries Act	74	..	74	65	..	65	9	..	9	..	..	..
,, Foreign Seamen's Act ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
,, Forest Reserves Act ..	9	..	9	9	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Game Act	5	..	5	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Gaol Regulations Act ..	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Harbour Regulations Act ..	4	..	4	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	..
,, Hawkers' Act..	30	5	35	27	5	32	3	..	3	..	..	..
,, Imported Stock Act.. ..	3	..	3	1	..	1	2	..	2	..	..	..
,, Impounding Act	191	8	199	75	4	79	116	4	120	..	..	..
,, Industrial and Reformatory Schools Acts	37	6	43	6	3	9	31	3	34	..	..	..
,, Land Acts	..	2	2	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Licensing Act	749	87	836	583	68	651	166	19	185	..	..	..
,, Lottery Act	33	..	33	12	..	12	1	..	1	20	..	20
,, Marine Board Regulations Act	5	..	5	4	..	4	1	..	1	..	..	..
,, Master and Servants Act ..	85	4	89	26	..	26	59	4	63	..	..	..
,, Merchant Shipping Act ..	31	247	278	23	..	23	8	..	8	..	..	..
,, Mining Act	20	..	20	10	..	10	7	..	7	3	..	3
,, Municipal or Corporation By-laws	2,461	..	2,461	1,897	201	2,098	564	46	610	..	..	..
,, Native Dog Act	2	..	2	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..
,, Navigation Act	33	..	33	27	..	27	6	..	6	..	..	..
,, Noxious Trades and Cattle Slaughtering Act	51	..	51	34	..	34	17	..	17	..	..	..
,, Nuisance Acts and Health Laws	36	1	37	26	1	27	10	..	10	..	..	..
,, Obscene Publications Act ..	2	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	1
,, Parks Act	26	1	27	26	..	26	..	1	1	..	..	..
,, Pastures and Stock Acts ..	32	2	34	10	..	10	22	2	24	..	..	..
,, Pawnbrokers' Act	9	..	9	4	..	4	5	..	5	..	..	..
,, Printers' Act	4	..	4	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	..
,, Public Instruction Act ..	1,010	39	1,049	809	34	843	201	5	206	..	..	..
,, Public Watering Places Act	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..
,, Quarantine Act	1	3	4	1	2	3	..	1	1	..	..	..
,, Rabbit Nuisance Act ..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Railway Act	170	15	185	150	9	159	19	6	25	1	..	1
,, Registration Act (Births, Deaths, and Marriages) ..	2	3	5	..	..	..	2	2	4	..	1	1
,, Sale of Poisons Act	25	1	26	24	1	25	1	..	1	..	..	..
,, Stage Carriage Act	25	..	25	10	..	10	15	..	15	..	..	..
,, Stamp Duties Act	58	4	62	47	4	51	11	..	11	..	..	..
,, Sunday Observance Act ..	109	2	111	50	2	52	59	..	59	..	..	..
,, Theatres Act	...	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Tolls Act	8	..	8	6	..	6	2	..	2	..	..	..
,, Trade Marks Act	7	1	8	3	..	3	3	1	4	1	..	1
,, Tramway By-laws	8	..	8	8	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Transit Commissioners' By-laws	1,068	48	1,116	641	18	659	427	30	457	..	..	..
,, Water and Sewerage By-laws	222	9	231	46	3	49	176	6	182	..	..	..
,, Weights and Measures Act	60	3	63	59	3	62	1	..	1	..	..	..
,, Other Acts	183	11	194	110	9	119	66	2	68	7	..	7
Total	10,068	674	10,742	7,187	498	7,685	2,795	168	2,963	86	8	94
General Total .. .	48,733	7,765	56,498	39,052	6,441	45,493	8,430	1,241	9,671	1,251	83	1,334

No. 6.—Punishments on Summary Conviction, 1896.

Punishments.	Offences against the Person.		Offences against property with Violence.		Offences against property without Violence.		Forgery and Offences against the Currency.		Offences against Good Order.		Offences not included in the preceding.		T
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.
METROPOLITAN.													
Fines paid..	284	57	99	17	154	42	..	..	5,625	862	2,349	229	8,3
Imprisonment—													
In lieu of paying fine, &c... ..	166	24	62	21	226	34	..	..	7,338	3,435	627	63	8,4
Peremptory	166	18	..	..	754	97	..	..	503	336	145	1	1,5
With whipping	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bound over with or without sureties	5	..	..	..	10	1	..	..	64	7	4	..	
Admonished	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	11	..	..	1
Other	1	..	4	..	41	3	..	..	9	10	15	3	
Total	622	99	165	38	1,185	177	..	..	13,551	4,711	3,140	296	18,6
COUNTRY.													
Fines paid..	678	44	144	5	400	33	..	..	7,353	243	3,524	185	12,1
Imprisonment—													
In lieu of paying fine, &c... ..	233	1	58	6	327	15	..	..	4,609	337	214	12	5,4
Peremptory	153	6	5	..	694	15	2	..	490	121	230	..	1,7
With whipping	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Bound over with or without sureties	11	..	..	..	41	2	..	1	42	9	1	..	
Admonished	4	..	3	..	6	1	..	..	935	68	11	..	9
Other	1	..	..	..	32	7	..	..	22	4	67	5	1
Total	1,080	51	210	11	1,500	73	2	1	13,451	782	4,047	202	20,3
NEW SOUTH WALES.													
Fines paid..	962	101	243	22	653	75	..	..	12,978	1,105	5,873	414	20,7
Imprisonment—													
In lieu of paying fine, &c... ..	399	25	120	27	553	49	..	..	11,947	3,772	841	77	[illegible]
Peremptory	319	24	5	..	1,448	112	2	..	993	507	373	1	[illegible]
With whipping	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Bound over with or without sureties	16	..	..	..	51	3	..	1	106	16	5	..	
Admonished	4	..	3	..	6	1	..	..	947	79	11	..	
Other	2	..	4	..	79	10	..	..	31	14	82	8	
Total	1,702	150	375	49	2,784	250	2	1	27,062	5,493	7,187	498	[illegible]

SUMMARY.

Punishments.	Offences against the Person.	Offences against property with Violence.	Offences against property without Violence.	Forgery and Offences against the Currency.	Offences against good Order.	Offences not included in the preceding.	T
Fines paid	1,[illegible]	265	728	.....	14,083	6,287	
Imprisonment—							
In lieu of paying fine, &c. ..	424	147	[illegible]	.....	17,719	[illegible]	
Peremptory	313	5	1,560	2	1,[illegible]	576	
With whipping	.....	....	.....	.....	..	.....	
Bound over with or without sureties	1[illegible]	.....	54	1	1[illegible]2	5	
Admonished	4	3	7	.....	1,[illegible]	11	
Other	2	4	83	.....	4[illegible]	[illegible]	
Total	1,8[illegible]2	424	3,[illegible]4	3	32,495	7,685	

Whipping.—Under the Criminal Law Amendment Act (46 Vic. No. 17) provision has been made for whipping additional punishment, chiefly for offences classed as wanton and unprovoked assaults and indecent exposure. The adjudicating must, however, consist of two or more Justices, one of whom shall be a Police or Stipendiary Magistrate the Metropolitan District the cases are decided before two Stipendiary Magistrates.

No. 7.—Persons Summarily Dealt with by Magistrates, 1891–96.

Year.	Offences against the Person.	Offences against Property.		Forgery and Offences against the Currency.	Offences against Good Order.	Offences not included in the preceding.	Total.
		With Violence.	Without Violence.				
*1891	5,515	917	4,622	43	56,433		67,530
*1892	6,178	995	5,596	24	56,140		68,933
*1893	5,381	1,004	5,127	19	54,926		66,457
1894	4,386	953	5,302	24	33,794	15,978	60,437
1895	4,105	799	4,865	15	35,784	13,551	59,119
1896	3,866	747	4,792	33	35,078	10,648	55,164

NOTE.—The information regarding the years prior to 1891 has been omitted, the figures being considered somewhat unreliable.

* Offences have been adjusted to persons.

No. 8.—Persons Summarily Convicted by Magistrates, 1891–96.

Year.	Offences against the Person.	Offences against Property.		Forgery and Offences against the Currency.	Offences against Good Order.	Offences not included in the preceding.	Total.
		With Violence.	Without Violence.				
1891*	2,525	3,055		45,186			50,766
1892*	2,838	3,668		44,828			51,334
1893*	2,558	3,484		43,972			50,014
1894	2,083	468	3,006	.....	29,731	10,922	46,210
1895	1,863	380	3,037	1	32,344	9,269	46,894
1896	1,852	424	3,034	3	32,495	7,685	45,493

* Offences have been adjusted to persons.

No. 9.—Amount of Fines Paid on Summary Conviction, 1887–96.

Year.	Amount of Fines.			
	Paid into Consolidated Revenue.	Moieties paid to Police Reward Fund under Police Acts.	Amount paid to Transit Commissioners, Benevolent Institutions, Municipalities, Informers, &c.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
1887	15,485	7,922	*	23,407
1888	15,172	7,451	*	22,623
1889	13,374	7,058	*	20,432
1890	13,618	6,978	*	20,596
1891	17,042	8,913	*	25,955
1892	15,805	8,645	*	24,450
1893	13,981	7,953	*	21,934
1894	11,460	6,455	*	17,915
1895	12,443	6,844	2,724	22,011
1896	11,027	5,213	3,073	19,313

* Information not available.

Maximum Fines.—Under the Distillation Act a fine of £100 may be imposed, and under the Chinese Restriction and ulation Act a penalty of £500 may be inflicted for each Chinese entering by land or carried in excess of the number d by the Act, by any vessel arriving in New South Wales.

No. 10.—Persons charged with Drunkenness, 1896.

District.	Drunkenness and Drunkenness with Disorderly Conduct.								
	Apprehensions.			Summons Cases.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males to Female
Metropolitan ...	9,149	3,243	12,392	166	45	211	9,315	3,288	12,6
Country	6,162	329	6,491	394	11	405	6,556	340	6,8
New South Wales...	15,311	3,572	18,883	560	56	616	15,871	3,628	19,4

No. 11.—Persons charged with Drunkenness, 1887–96.

Year.	Apprehensions.			Summons Cases.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males to Female
1887	16,275	3,338	19,613	*	*	1,331	*	*	20,9
1888	14,759	3,544	18,303	*	*	1,110	*	*	19,4
1889	12,600	3,330	15,930	*	*	914	*	*	16,8
1890	13,233	2,890	16,123	*	*	896	*	*	17,0
1891	15,638	3,454	19,092	*	*	1,013	*	*	20,1
1892	14,638	3,234	17,872	*	*	1,058	*	*	18,9
1893	13,694	3,397	17,091	647	71	718	14,341	3,468	17,8
1894	13,465	3,468	16,933	513	58	576	13,983	3,526	17,5
1895	14,108	3,609	17,717	589	73	662	14,697	3,682	18,3
1896	15,311	3,572	18,883	560	56	616	15,871	3,628	19,4

* Information not available.

No. 12.—Convictions for Drunkenness, 1887–96.

Year.	After Apprehension.		After Summons.		Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males to Female
1887	14,747	3,229	*	*	*	*	17,97
1888	13,142	3,409	*	*	*	*	16,5
1889	11,250	3,218	*	*	*	*	14,4
1890	12,055	2,817	*	*	*	*	14,8
1891	14,413	3,341	*	*	*	*	17,7
1892	13,077	3,141	*	*	*	*	19,2
1893	12,582	3,332	582	62	13,164	3,394	16,5
1894	12,694	3,422	489	52	13,183	3,474	16,6
1895	13,886	3,191	533	62	14,419	3,253	17,7
1896	15,244	3,560	528	53	15,772	3,613	19,3

NOTE.—This table has been amended since last issue.

* Information not available.

No. 13.—Rate of Convictions for Drunkenness, 1887–96.

Year.	Persons brought before the Courts and convicted for—				Total.		
	Drunkenness only.		Drunkenness and Disorderly Conduct.		Drunkenness and Drunkenness and Disorderly Conduct.		
	Males to Male Population.	Females to Female Population.	Males to Male Population.	Females to Female Population.	Males to Male Population.	Females to Female Population.	Males to Female Total Population
1887	2·06	0·55	0·61	0·17	2·67	0·72	1·86
1888	1·76	·55	·57	·18	2·33	·73	1·61
1889	1·47	·51	·47	·16	1·94	·67	1·37
1890	1·49	·42	·52	·14	2·01	·56	1·37
1891	1·78	·48	·55	·16	2·33	·64	1·56
1892	1·52	·43	·53	·15	2·05	·58	1·38
1893	1·41	·43	·60	·18	2·01	·61	1·37
1894	1·40	·43	·57	·17	1·97	·60	1·35
1895	1·53	·46	·59	·18	2·12	·64	1·43
1896	1·73	·44	·55	·16	2·28	·60	1·51

No. 14.—Distinct Persons Committed to Gaol for Drunkenness during 1896.

Males.

Age Groups.	Times Convicted during 1896. 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	15	16	25	Total.	Age Groups.
and under 17	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	1	16 and under 17
" 18	9	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	10	17 " 18
" 19	11	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	12	18 " 19
" 20	27	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	27	19 " 20
" 21	17	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	19	20 " 21
" 25	102	7	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	111	21 " 25
" 30	385	39	19	2	1	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..		..	449	25 " 30
" 35	307	40	9	7	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	369	30 " 35
" 40	281	32	10	11	4	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..		..	340	35 " 40
" 45	236	30	7	8	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..		..	284	40 " 45
" 50	187	23	5	4	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	1		1	227	45 " 50
" 55	139	25	9	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..		..	177	50 " 55
" 60	92	12	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..		..	112	55 " 60
" 65	56	17	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	76	60 " 65
" 70	34	6	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	47	65 " 70
" 75	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	70 " 75
" 80	5	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	10	75 " 80
and upwards	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	80 and upwards
Total Males	1,907	234	73	40	13	7	3	1	2	2	..	2	1	3	1	2,289	Total Males.

Females.

Age Groups.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	13	14	17	18	23	24	Total.	Age Groups.
and under 17	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	16 and under 17
" 18	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	17 " 18
" 19	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	18 " 19
" 20	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	19 " 20
" 21	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	20 " 21
" 25	42	1	6	1	2	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	56	21 " 25
" 30	60	13	7	8	4	6	..	..	2	..	..	1	2	..	1	..	..	104	25 " 30
" 35	73	19	18	6	5	6	1	1	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	133	30 " 35
" 40	61	20	10	6	5	2	1	1	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	110	35 " 40
" 45	58	17	8	3	5	3	3	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	99	40 " 45
" 50	42	10	6	4	1	..	3	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	70	45 " 50
" 55	26	4	3	1	2	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	40	50 " 55
" 60	7	4	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	55 " 60
" 65	7	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	60 " 65
" 70	3	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	7	65 " 70
" 75	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	70 " 75
Total Females	393	95	63	29	26	20	8	4	12	2	2	3	3	1	1	1	1	664	Total Females.

SUMMARY.

Convicted—	Males.	Females.	Total.	Convicted—	Males.	Females.	Total.
e	1,907	393	2,300	Thirteen times	..	3	3
ce	234	95	329	Fourteen times	..	3	3
ee times	73	63	136	Fifteen times	1	..	1
ir times	40	29	69	Sixteen times	3	..	3
e times	13	26	39	Seventeen times	..	1	1
times	7	20	27	Eighteen times	..	1	1
en times	3	8	11	Twenty-three times	..	1	1
ht times	1	4	5	Twenty-four times	..	1	1
e times	2	12	14	Twenty-five times	1	..	1
times	2	2	4				
ven times	..	2	2	Total persons	2,289	664	2,953
ive times	2	..	2				

The figures in the foregoing tables refer exclusively to cases where the offenders were confined in a Principal, Minor, ...lice Gaol.

No. 15.—Persons Committed for Trial, 1896.

Committed for Trial by—	Offences.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Magistrates—				
Courts of Petty Sessions	Various	1,251	83	1,334
Coroners	Murder	11	5	16
	Manslaughter ...	7	3	10
	Arson	3	3	6
Judges of the District Court	Perjury	2	.....	2
Total		1,274	94	1,368

No. 16.—Persons Tried in Higher Courts during 1896.

Classification.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total
Persons tried during 1896 at :—						
Central Criminal and Circuit Courts	259	21	280			
Courts of Quarter Sessions	1,015	73	1,088			
Total persons tried				1,274	94	1,3

After a person is committed by Magistrates or Coroners, the depositions of the case are forwarded to of the Peace, thence to the Crown Prosecutor of the district for an opinion; the papers are then transmitted by the Peace to the Attorney-General, who determines whether a Bill shall be found.

It is to be understood that the figures quoted in the foregoing table need not necessarily agree out in Table No. 15, inasmuch as cases committed from the Lower Courts at the close of 1895 were ...her Co... 896, and similarly cases dealt with in the Lower Courts during the ... the Higher Courts during that year.

No. 17.—Higher Courts: Persons Charged at each Court, 1896.

Courts	Indictments.		Persons.			How dealt with													
						Convicted.													
	No.	Offences covered by Indictments.				Sent to Gaol.		Dealt with under the First Offenders Probation Act.		Acquitted.		Jury disagreed.		Remanded.		Bound over		Not proceeded against	
			M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F	M.	F.
ntral Criminal and Circuit Courts—																			
ydney—Central Criminal	100	138	112	12	124	67	3	2	1	39*	7	3	..	..	1	..	..	1	..
ircuit—																			
Albury	15	25	16	..	16	15	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Armidale ..	11	18	16	..	16	13	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bathurst ..	18	24	20	1	21	10	..	1	..	9	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Broken Hill ..	12	17	16	..	16	9	..	3	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Deniliquin ..	5	15	5	..	5	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dubbo	10	10	9	1	10	8	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Goulburn ..	8	12	9	1	10	5	..	..	..	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grafton	2	2	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hay	3	3	2	1	3	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maitland ..	7	9	8	..	8	2	..	1	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mudgee.. ..	11	15	10	1	11	7	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Tamworth ..	11	12	10	2	12	5	1	2	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wagga Wagga ..	4	5	5	..	5	2	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Yass	3	7	6	1	7	..	..	..	..	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Young	12	14	13	1	14	3	1	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	232	326	259	21	280	151	8	11	1	90	11	5	..	..	1	..	..	2	..
ourts of Quarter Sessions—																			
Metropolitan District	303	470	362	43	405	266	19	6	2	87	21	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	1
Suburban and Hunter District—																			
Campbelltown ..	1	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maitland ..	18	23	21	..	21	8	..	..	..	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Newcastle ..	25	29	26	..	26	21	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Parramatta ..	32	50	42	..	42	25	..	..	..	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Singleton ..	6	8	8	..	8	4	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Windsor.. ..	4	7	6	..	6	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	86	118	104	..	104	63	..	1	..	36	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
Southern District—																			
Bega	3	5	3	..	3	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bombala ..	7	11	9	..	9	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..
Braidwood ..	3	3	3	..	3	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cooma	9	13	9	1	10	3	1	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Goulburn ..	27	39	32	1	33	23	1	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
Queanbeyan ..	6	8	7	..	7	4	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wollongong ..	23	31	29	1	30	21	..	1	..	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Yass	2	2	2	..	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	80	112	94	3	97	58	2	2	..	26	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	6	..
South-Western District—																			
Albury	13	13	13	..	13	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	1	..
Balranald ..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Burrowa ..	4	4	4	..	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Cootamundra ..	14	18	16	1	17	11	..	..	..	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Deniliquin ..	4	4	4	..	4	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grenfell ..	4	5	5	..	5	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gundagai ..	7	11	8	..	8	5	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hay	8	10	9	..	9	5	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hillston	4	4	4	..	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wagga Wagga ..	10	15	11	2	13	6	2	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Young	7	11	9	2	11	5	1	..	..	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	75	95	83	5	88	50	3	1	..	26	2	..	..	5	..	..	..	1	..

Higher Courts.—*Central Criminal and Circuit Courts.*—Judges of the Supreme Court preside over the Central al and the 15 Circuit Courts in different parts of the Colony. *The Courts of Quarter Sessions* are presided over by sm, who are also Judges of the District Courts. There are seven Chairmen, two of whom preside over the Metropolitan, sm, and Hunter Districts and one over each of the five remaining districts. Accused persons in each jurisdiction d by a jury of twelve.

Jurisdiction.—The Central Criminal and Circuit Courts, and Courts of Quarter Sessions, have co-ordinate jurisdio- ll excepting as regards capital charges which cannot be dealt with by Courts of Quarter Sessions.

No. 17.—Higher Courts: Persons Charged at each Court, 1896—[illegible]

Courts.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Tried.			How dealt with.													
						[illegible]													
						[illegible]		Dealt with under the First Offenders Probation Act.		[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]		[illegible]			
			M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		

SUMMARY.

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	..	..	1	..	..	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	..	17		1	..	[illegible]	
Total, Higher Courts [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	44	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	43	5	..	17	1	1	..	[illegible]	

* [illegible]

† [illegible]

‡ [illegible] not guilty on the ground of insanity.

[illegible] cases, comprising 50 males and 6 females, committed from **Magistrates' Courts, the Attorney-G[illegible]**
der[illegible], and the figures are consequently not included in the table.

No. 18.—Higher Courts: Offences of Persons Charged, 1896.

Offences.	Persons.			How dealt with.													
				Convicted.				Acquitted.		Jury disagreed.		Remanded.		Bound over.		Not proceeded against.	
				Sent to Gaol.		Dealt with under the First Offenders Probation Act.											
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
gainst the Person—																	
.. ..	7	5	12	2	1	..	..	5	4	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..
r to Murder	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..
to commit Murder ..	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..
to Murder..	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
hter	11	2	13	7	2	1	..	*3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
grievous bodily harm ..	19	3	22	10	..	1	..	8	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
g with intent to do s bodily harm	63	8	71	27	6	2	..	33	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
bodily harm by wanton or driving	4	..	4	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
at, with intent to do s bodily harm	7	1	8	1	1	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
nd robbery	13	..	13	4	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
ith intent to rob ..	14	..	14	8	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
with violence	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
naces demanding money	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
g	4	..	4	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Assault	23	1	24	20	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
g, resisting, or obstructice	7	..	7	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
iding child with necesf life..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
.. ..	15	..	15	3	..	..	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
to commit rape	4	..	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
knowing girl under 10 yrs.	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
knowing a girl over 10 and .4 years, and attempts at	15	..	15	8	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
owledge by a teacher ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
attempt at	9	..	9	6	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
assault on a male ..	8	..	8	5	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
assault on a girl under 10	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
assault on a girl over 10 der 14 years	19	..	19	13	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
assault on a female ..	13	..	13	6	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
, or attempts at.. ..	3	..	3	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
n	10	..	10	6	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. ..	9	2	11	9	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
g miscarriage and at- at	1	2	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
ing a child	1	1	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
ttempt to commit ..	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
to commit an unnatural	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
threatening letter ..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
g with intent to prevent rrest	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
ly burning by use of e liquid	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
ire to a dwelling-house rson therein	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	†1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
iding wife with necesf life	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
rtion	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
ly endangering life by ting railway	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
ly laying dynamite in a ith intent to do grievous harm	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
owledge by a father ..	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
to discharge loaded fireith intent to avoid lawful ension	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	305	27	332	159	14	7	1	131	10	..	..	..	1	1	..	7	1

or more Charges.—Information regarding a person convicted on more than one charge has been inserted more or most serious offence.

No. 18.—Higher Courts: Offences of Persons Charged, 1896—*continu*

Offences.	Persons.			How dealt with.											
				Convicted.											
				Sent to Gaol.		Dealt with under the First Offenders Probation Act.		Acquitted.		Jury disagreed.		Remanded.		Bound over.	
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Offences against Property with Violence.—															
Breaking and entering and stealing	128	..	128	92	..	1	..	29	..	1	..	2	..	..	..
Burglary	18	..	18	16	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maliciously injuring telegraph line	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maliciously injuring property ..	9	..	9	7	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maliciously casting away a vessel	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Feloniously killing or wounding sheep, cattle, or horses	10	..	10	5	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Killing sheep, with intent to steal carcase	3	..		1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Killing a calf, with intent to steal carcase	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Robbery in company	9	..	9	6	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Robbery	13	..	13	4	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Sacrilege	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total..	193	..	193	133	..	3	..	46	..	1	..	4	..	..	..
Offences against Property without Violence.—															
Simple larceny	142	20	162	93	5	2	..	38	13	..	..	3	..	..	..
Stealing letters sent by post ..	5	..	5	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Stealing from the person	17	9	26	11	6	..	..	6	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Stealing from a dwelling	44	7	51	34	5	2	..	8	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Stealing from a vessel in port ..	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Stealing from a wharf	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle-stealing	53	..	53	18	..	..	..	32	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Horse-stealing	59	..	59	42	..	1	..	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Accessory before the fact of horse-stealing	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sheep-stealing	56	2	58	23	..	2	..	23	2	1	..	4	..	..	..
Illegally using horses or cattle ..	5	..	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Embezzlement	37	..	37	27	..	1	..	8	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
False pretences	46	1	47	39	..	..	..	5	1	..	..	1	..	..	..
Making false entries with intent to defraud	4	..	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Larceny by a bailee	2	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Larceny as a co-partner	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Receiving stolen property and accessory to	39	7	46	35	6	..	..	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Illegally pawning	8	..	8	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fraudulent appropriation ..	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Being found at night with intent to commit a felony	8	..	8	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Setting fire to a house	12	1	13	3	..	..	..	9	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Setting fire to a barn	2	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Setting fire to a stack of hay ..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Setting fire to grass..	5	..	5	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Attempt to steal	5	..	5	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Larceny of gold ore	5	..	5	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Larceny by a public servant ..	2	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Accessory to a crime	11	3	14	6	1	..	..	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total..	569	50	619	367	23	8	..	164	25	2	..	9	..	..	..

18.—Higher Courts: Offences of Persons Charged, 1896—*continued.*

Offences.	Persons.			How dealt with.													
				Convicted.													
				Sent to Gaol.		Dealt with under the First Offenders Probation Act.		Acquitted.		Jury disagreed.		Remanded.		Bound over.		Not proceeded against.	
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
d Offences against the Currency—																	
.. ..	9	..	9	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
nd uttering	51	4	55	43	3	2	..	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. ..	7	..	7	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
putting off counterfeit																	
.. ..	11	..	11	10	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
orged bank notes ..	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
ossession of coining im-																	
nts	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
necs	5	..	5	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Total	84	4	88	72	3	2	..	8	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
ainst Good Order—																	
.. ..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
xposure	6	1	7	5	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
common brothel ..	1	3	4	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
elling	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
y keeping a lottery ..	30	..	30	30	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
scene pictures	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
commission of an																	
e	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	42	4	46	37	1	..	..	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
t included in the preceding—																	
.. ..	15	1	16	6	1	..	..	6	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
false statement on oath	6	3	9	6	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
a congregation ..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
false statement for in-																	
in Register	..	..	....	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
y	30	4	34	10	..	..	..	16	4	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..
.. ..	10	..	10	6	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
rom lawful custody ..	9	..	9	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lien on Crops Act ..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mining on Private Pro-																	
Act	4	..	4	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Stamp Duties Act ..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Trades Marks Act ..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
of Solemnization of																	
ge Act	2	1	3	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	81	9	90	43	3	1	2	29	4	2	..	4	..	..	..	2	..

SUMMARY.

(Males and Females.)

gainst the person ..	305	27	332	159	14	7	1	131	10	..	..	..	1	1	..	7	1
against property with																	
ce	193	..	193	133	..	3	..	46	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	6	..
gainst property without																	
ce	569	50	619	367	23	8	..	164	25	2	..	9	..	..	..	19	2
nd offences against the																	
cy..	84	4	88	72	3	2	..	8	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
gainst good order ..	42	4	46	37	1	..	..	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
ot included in the pre-																	
.. ..	81	9	90	43	3	1	2	29	4	2	..	4	..	..	..	2	..
Total	1,274	94	1,368	811	44	21	3	382	43	5	..	17	1	1	..	37	3

two, jury discharged under Act 46 Vic. No. 17, sec. 13. † Found not guilty on the ground of insanity.
‡ Includes one not proceeded with—accused found insane.

No. 19.—Persons Charged and Convicted in Higher Courts, 1894 to 1896.

Offences.	Persons dealt with.			Persons Convicted.		
	1894.	1895.	1896.	1894.	1895.	189
Offences against the Person—						
Murder	12	10	12	7	3	
Attempt to murder	4	6	3	4	3	...
Manslaughter	22	31	13	8	9	1
Setting fire to a dwelling, persons being therein ...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Garrotting, and attempts at	2	1	4	...	...	
Inflicting grievous bodily harm	119	103	106	54	46	5
Assault and robbery	48	70	27	30	39	1
Common assault	4	52	24	4	45	2
Assaulting, resisting, or obstructing police	5	5	7	2	4	
Rape, and attempts at	14	17	19	6	3	
Carnal knowledge by a father	1	...	2	...	...	
„ „ „ teacher	...	2	1	...	1	...
„ „ of a girl under 10, or attempts at ...	4	1	1	2	1	...
„ „ „ over 10 and under 14, or attempts at	6	15	15	5	9	
Carnal knowledge, procuring by fraud	1	...	...	1	...	...
Indecent assault on a female	23	34	34	15	15	2
„ „ „ male	9	9	8	5	6	
Unnatural offences, and attempts at	12	6	2	7	5	...
Procuring miscarriage, and attempts at	...	4	3	...	2	
Abduction	5	4	10	2	1	
Bigamy	2	8	11	2	8	1
Wife and child desertion...	3	5	2	3	4	
Concealing birth of an infant	10	13	2	7	8	
Attempted suicide...	1	1	2	1	1	
Other offences	1	7	23	...	3	1
Total	308	404	332	165	216	1
Offences against Property, with Violence—						
Breaking, entering, and stealing, or attempts at ...	25	123	128	20	95	
Burglary	27	21	18	16	17	
Having possession of house-breaking implements ...	92	2	...	69	2	..
Maliciously injuring property	18	16	9	14	9	
„ wounding or killing animals	22	7	10	11	4	
„ killing animals with intent to steal ...	...	4	3	...	3	
Robbery and robbery in company	...	23	22	...	17	
Sacrilege	...	2	1	...	2	
Other offences	...	...	2	...	...	
Total	184	198	193	130	149	1
Offences against Property, without Violence—						
Larceny, or attempts at	234	163	172	159	108	1
Stealing from a dwelling...	59	52	51	47	41	4
„ the person...	50	39	26	30	21	1
Horse stealing	58	54	59	39	39	4
Cattle „	19	26	53	12	13	1
Sheep „	21	40	58	9	10	2
Stealing or tampering with letters sent by post ...	5	8	5	4	7	
Receiving stolen property	51	53	46	46	46	4
Illegally using horses or cattle	8	2	5	8	2	
Larceny as a bailee or agent	3	1	2	2	1	
„ „ partner	...	10	...	...	8	...
Fraudulent appropriation	1	4	...	1	4	...
Embezzlement	22	27	37	17	22	2
False pretences	48	49	47	29	36	3

No. 19.—Persons Charged and Convicted in Higher Courts, 1894–96—*continued.*

Offences.	Persons dealt with.			Persons convicted.		
	1894.	1895.	1896.	1894.	1895.	1896.
Offences against Property, without Violence—*continued.*						
Illegally pawning	5	9	8	5	8	8
Entering a dwelling at night with intent to steal ...	4	...	...	2	...	...
Being found at night with intent to commit a felony...	3	5	8	...	5	4
Being accessory to a felony	2	...	14	1	...	7
Arson, and attempts at	38	27	22	10	17	6
Purchasing or selling mortgaged stock and wool ...	2	...	...	2	...	...
Destroying or misappropriating a valuable security ...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Conspiring to defraud creditors	...	...	...	...	...	...
Making false entries with intent to defraud	3	1	4	3	1	2
Other offences	...	...	2	...	...	2
Total	636	570	619	426	389	398
Forgery and Offences against the Currency—						
Forgery and Uttering	61	55	55	53	41	48
Forgery (only)	3	...	9	1	...	8
Uttering (only)	17	11	7	10	11	7
Uttering forged bank notes or having them in possesion	...	1	...	...	1	...
„ used postage stamps	...	1	...	...	...	...
Making, having, or putting off counterfeit coin ...	28	11	11	14	6	10
Being in possession of coining implements or materials for making bank notes	3	1	1	2	1	1
Other offences	...	...	5	...	...	3
Total	112	80	88	80	60	77
Offences against Good Order—						
Riot...	66	1	1	38	1	1
Indecent exposure...	2	3	7	2	1	5
Keeping common brothel...	6	10	4	6	7	1
Fortune telling	1	3	1	1	2	...
Disturbing a congregation	4	1	1	3	1	1
Unlawfully keeping a lottery	...	...	30	...	...	30
Other offences	...	...	3	...	...	1
Total	79	18	47	50	12	39
Offences not included in the preceding—						
Perjury	10	24	16	5	12	7
Libel	6	5	10	6	2	6
Conspiracy	3	30	34	3	20	10
Making a false statement on oath	...	...	9	...	...	9
Other offences	34	11	20	27	11	16
Total	53	70	89	41	45	48

SUMMARY.

Offences against the person	308	404	332	165	216	181
„ „ property, with violence	184	198	193	130	149	136
„ „ „ without violence	636	570	619	426	389	398
Forgery and offences against the currency	112	80	88	80	60	77
Offences against good order	79	18	47	50	12	39
„ not included in the preceding	53	70	89	41	45	48
Total	1,372	1,340	1,368	892	871	879

No. 20.—Persons Convicted in Lower and Higher Courts, 1891–96.

Lower Courts.

Year.	Persons summarily dealt with by Magistrates.			How dealt with.	
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Discharged.	Convicte
1891*	.....	.....	67,530	16,764	50,76
1892*	.....	.....	68,933	17,599	51,33
1893*	.....	.....	66,457	16,443	50,01
1894	52,235	8,202	60,437	14,227	46,21
1895	51,398	7,721	59,119	12,225	46,89
1896	47,482	7,682	55,164	9,671	45,49

* The figures have b[illegible]sted for these years.

Higher Courts.

Year.	Quarter Sessions.			Central Criminal and Circuit Courts.		
	Convicted.	Acquitted, No Bill found, &c.	Total dealt with.	Convicted.	Acquitted, No Bill found, &c.	To dealt
1891	771	471	1,242	193	140	3
1892	709	567	1,276	187	153	3
1893	677	360	1,037	197	157	3
1894	673	328	1,001	219	152	3
1895	685	336	1,021	186	133	3
1896	708	436	1,144	171	109	2

Proportion Convicted in each Jurisdiction.

Year.	Magistrates' Courts.			Quarter Sessions and Central Criminal and Circuit C			
	Total Summarily dealt with.	Convicted.	Proportion of Convictions to Total Population.	Convicted.	Acquitted, No Bill found, &c.	Total dealt with.	Propor of Convi to To Popula
			per cent.				per c
1891	67,530*	50,766*	4·4	964	611	1,575	0·0
1892	68,933*	51,334*	4·3	896	720	1,616	0·0
1893	66,457*	50,014*	4·1	874	517	1,391	0·0
1894	60,437	46,210	3·7	892	480	1,372	0·0
1895	59,119	46,894	3·7	871	469	1,340	0·0
1896	55,164	45,493	3·5	879	545	1,424	0·0

* The figures have been adjusted for these years.

Proportion Convicted in all Jurisdictions.

Year.	Magistrates' Courts.	Quarter Sessions.	Central Criminal and Circuit Courts.	Total.	Proportion Total Populat
					per cent
1891	50,766*	771	193	51,730*	4·5
1892	51,334*	709	187	52,230*	4·[illegible]
1893	50,014*	677	197	50,888*	
1894	46,210	673	219	47,102	
1895	46,894	685	186	47,765	
1896	45,493	708	171	46,372	

* The figures have been adjusted for these years.

No. 21.—Extraditions, 1887-96.

Treaties of Extradition.—For dates of Extradition Treaties see "Statistical Register" for 1895.

Year.	Number of Persons.	Country.	Year.	Number of Persons.	Country.
1887 ...	4	New Caledonia (French).	1892 ...	2	New Caledonia (French).
1888 ...	6	" "	1893 ...	1	" "
1889 ...	1	" "	1894 ...	8	" "
1890 ...	Nil.	.....	1895 ...	2	" "
1891 ...	Nil.	.....	1896 ...	Nil.	.....

No. 22.—Fugitive Offenders—Fugitives Arrested in any part of Her Majesty's Dominions, or in any Foreign Country, and returned to New South Wales, 1896.

Offences.	Persons.			How disposed of—							
				Withdrawn		Discharged		Summarily Convicted.		Committed	
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Wife Desertion	5	...	5	2	...	1	...	1	...	1	...
Child Desertion	2	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Bigamy	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Larceny	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
Stealing in a Dwelling	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Cattle Stealing	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Horse Stealing	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Embezzlement	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Larceny as a Bailee	2	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
False Pretences	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Fraudulent Appropriation	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Forgery and Uttering	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
Disobeying Maintenance Order	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Total	24	1	25	3	...	3	...	5	...	13	1

No. 23.—Fugitive Offenders from other Portions of Her Majesty's Domi Arrested in New South Wales and brought before Magistrates' Courts, 18

Offence.	Persons.			How disposed of.								
				With-drawn.		Dis-charged.		Remands.		Remanded t		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Victoria.	Queensland.	Tasmania.
Inflicting grievous bodily harm ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...
Wife desertion	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...
Child desertion	2	...	2	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...
Procuring abortion	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...
Obtaining money by threats ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Accessory	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Larceny	12	1	13	...	...	...	1	12	...	3	8	...
Stealing from dwelling	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...
Cattle-stealing	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...
Horse stealing	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	...
Dog stealing	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...
False pretences	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...
Larceny as a bailee...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fraudulent appropriation of shares	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Forgery	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2
Uttering valueless cheque	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...
Riotous behaviour	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...
Threatening language	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...
No lawful means of support ...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...
Perjury	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Breach of Insolvency Act ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...
Disobeying summons	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...
Total	35	5	40	1	...	2	1	32	4	13	16	2

Section II.—PRISONERS AND PENAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

No. 24.—Gaol Accommodation, 1896.

Gaols.	Accommodation for Prisoners. In separate cells.	Accommodation for Prisoners. Total.
Principal Gaols—		
Darlinghurst (Sydney)	173	698
Bathurst	308	924
Berrima	79	103
Biloela	15	265
Goulburn	310	930
Maitland	120	193
Parramatta ...	304	442
Trial Bay	64	172
Total ...	1,373	3,727
Minor Gaols—		
Albury	26	78
Armidale	26	72
Broken Hill ...	17	53
Deniliquin ...	18	80
Dubbo	15	70
Forbes	7	30
Grafton	47	150
Hay	12	58
Mudgee	24	72
Tamworth... ...	14	56
Wagga Wagga ...	12	36
Wilcannia ...	8	54
Wollongong ...	12	36
Yass	16	48
Young	15	50
Total ...	269	943
Police Gaols—		
Balranald	4	12
Bega	4	7
Bingara	4	20
Bombala	3	9
Bourke	12	36
Police Gaols—*contd.*		
Braidwood ...	12	36
Burrowa	3	11
Campbelltown ...	4	12
Casino	6	33
Cobar	3	12
Cooma	2	14
Coonabarabran ...	5	20
Coonamble ...	5	20
Cootamundra ...	6	26
Cowra	4	12
Glen Innes ...	5	20
Grenfell	4	12
Gundagai	6	30
Gunnedah ...	5	20
Hillston	4	10
Inverell	6	18
Kempsey, West ...	4	8
Moree	6	23
Murrurundi ...	4	12
Narrabri	7	28
Newcastle... ...	10	16
Orange	8	33
Port Macquarie ...	9	27
Queanbeyan ...	3	20
Singleton	3	15
Taree	4	12
Tenterfield ...	6	18
Walgett	6	30
Wellington ...	5	20
Wentworth ...	12	42
Windsor	13	39
Total ...	207	733
Total all Gaols ...	1,849	5,403

Parramatta Gaol Lunatic Ward.—At this gaol there is a separate lunatic ward with twenty-two separate cells, which are not included in the number given in the foregoing table.

Trial Bay.—In addition to the accommodation shown, there are "Associated Huts" at Trial Bay Prison, in which 108 prisoners may be placed.

No. 25.—Gross and Net Expenditure on Gaols, 1891–96.

Year.	Expenditure on Principal and Minor Gaols. Construction.	Expenditure on Principal and Minor Gaols. Repairs, &c.	Maintenance. (All Gaols.) Services.	Maintenance. (All Gaols.) Stores and Stationery.	Total Expenditure.	*Net value of Prison Labour.	Net Expenditure.† Total.	Net Expenditure.† Per Inhabitant.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	s. d.
1891	7,771	10,423	121,070	8,308	147,572	24,602	122,970	2 2
1892	19,393	9,654	119,578	8,151	156,776	23,400	133,376	2 3
1893	20,558	9,248	117,328	8,039	155,173	22,941	132,232	2 2
1894	1,204	6,449	117,077	7,334	132,064	22,469	109,595	1 9
1895	1,625	6,956	114,754	10,957	134,292	21,817	112,475	1 9
1896	9,391	4,258	108,891	18,488	141,028	20,537	120,491	1 10

* The amounts set down in the above table as the value of prison labour have been reduced from those shown in previous issues of the Statistical Register, inasmuch as it was found that it had been the practice to allow a certain sum for unproductive services. As they are now presented, the figures only represent the labour of a productive character.
† The figures in respect of previous years adjusted.

). 27.—Birthplaces, and Number of times Convicted during year, of Distinct Persons Received into Gaol under Sentence, 1896.

Number of times Convicted.	Australasia.															
	New South Wales.		Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.		Total, Australasia.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1	2,339	320	364	49	119	16	76	9	7	1	60	22	86	16	3,051	433
2	413	87	70	7	23	3	20	3	..	..	13	9	10	7	549	116
3	125	47	25	8	6	5	3	1	..	..	3	8	4	2	166	71
4	52	33	4	5	2	1	3	..	..	1	1	1	2	3	64	44
5	18	14	2	3	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	23	19
6	12	12	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	13	15
7	6	3	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	7	7
8	1	9	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	2	13
9	2	8	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	11
10	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
11	3	3	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3
12	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	5
13	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
14	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
15	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
17	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
20	..	1	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
24	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
26	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Total ..	2,973	550	467	77	153	27	102	13	8	2	77	49	102	32	3,882	750

Number of times Convicted.	United Kingdom and other British Possessions.												Foreign Countries.					
	England and Wales.		Scotland.		Ireland.		India and Ceylon.		Other British Possessions.		Total, United Kingdom and other British Possessions.		France.		Germany.		Russia.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1	1,356	70	409	32	844	138	48	..	71	3	2,728	243	63	3	120	7	12	..
2	240	26	66	11	175	40	4	..	9	2	494	79	7	..	16	..	8	..
3	60	14	21	4	45	26	1	..	1	..	128	44	1	..	6	..	..	..
4	18	4	9	..	22	8	1	..	2	..	52	12	1	..	2	..	..	..
5	12	5	4	2	11	8	..	..	..	..	27	15	..	..	..	..	..	..
6	6	9	3	2	2	3	..	..	..	..	11	14	..	..	..	..	..	..
7	2	6	2	..	4	2	..	..	..	..	8	8	..	..	..	..	..	..
8	..	..	..	1	2	6	..	..	1	..	3	7	..	..	1	..	..	..
9	..	2	..	..	1	5	..	..	..	..	1	7	..	..	..	..	..	..
10	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
11	1	1	1	1	1	3	..	..	..	..	3	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
12	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
13	1	2	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
14	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	..
17	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
18	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	..
20	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
30	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	1,697	140	516	58	1,112	245	54	1	84	5	3,463	449	72	3	145	7	20	..

Number of times Convicted.	Foreign Countries—*continued.*														At Sea.		Total, all Countries.		
	Italy.		Denmark.		Sweden and Norway.		China.		United States.		Other Foreign Countries.		Total, Foreign Countries.						
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.
1	20	..	38	1	181	..	124	..	113	7	104	3	775	21	13	3	6,567	700	7,267
2	4	..	5	..	29	1	9	..	33	1	15	2	126	4	2	2	1,171	201	1,372
3	..	..	..	..	7	..	1	.	7	3	3	1	25	4	2	..	321	119	440
4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	2	..	8	1	1	..	125	57	182
5	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	54	31	88
6	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	28	29	57
7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	16	16	32
8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	6	20	26
9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	18	21
10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	6	9
11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	8	14
12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	8	8
13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	6	9
14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4
15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	4
17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3
18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
24	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
26	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
30	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Total ..	24	..	43	1	219	1	134	..	163	14	124	6	944	32	19	6	8,308	1,2[illegible]	

No. 28.—Birthplaces and Ages of Distinct Persons received into Gaol un Sentence during 1896.

Age Groups.	Australasia.														
	New South Wales.		Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.		To Austr
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.
8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
9	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
10	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
11	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
12	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
13	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13
14	12	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	16
15	32	1	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	39
16	58	5	4	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	67
17	85	6	6	2	7	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	6	..	106
18	109	14	7	1	3	1	5	1	1	..	1	..	2	1	125
19	96	15	12	1	3	4	5	..	..	..	1	1	2	1	119
20	80	13	7	2	4	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	6	2	1[illegible]
21 and under 25	304	94	39	7	16	6	7	4	..	..	1	12	16	6	383
25 ,, 30	931	113	155	22	73	7	31	5	..	1	24	9	36	6	1,2[illegible]
30 ,, 35	421	92	112	17	30	4	19	2	1	..	14	10	20	8	617
35 ,, 40	330	75	64	16	9	3	7		2	..	6	10	8	4	4[illegible]
40 ,, 45	202	51	39	5	2	..	8		1	1	11	3	3	3	2[illegible]
45 ,, 50	115	36	14	3	3	..	10		1	..	7	1	2	1	152
50 ,, 55	80	23	4	..	..	..	1		1	..	2	..	..	..	8[illegible]
55 ,, 60	44	8	..	1	..	..	1		..	..	3	..	..	..	4[illegible]
60 ,, 65	25	1	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	3	..	..	..	2[illegible]
65 ,, 70	13	1	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	13
70 ,, 75	3	1	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	3
75 ,, 80	2	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	2
80 and upwards..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	2,973	550	467	77	153	27	102	13	8	2	77	49	102	32	3,[illegible]

Age Groups.	United Kingdom and other British Possessions.										
	England and Wales.		Scotland.		Ireland.		India and Ceylon.		Other British Possessions.		Total, United dom and th British Posse
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.
8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
15	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
16	3	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	6
17	5	1	4	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	1[illegible]
18	14	1	4	2	3	2	..	..	..	..	21
19	28	2	5	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	3[illegible]
20	29	2	6	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	2[illegible]
21 and under 25	104	11	26	7	36	6	4	1	8	..	17[illegible]
25 ,, 30	290	18	76	6	140	23	13	..	23	1	542
30 ,, 35	228	30	84	8	167	36	17	..	10	..	[illegible]
35 ,, 40	217	22	81	10	179	31	8	..	15	1	5[illegible]
40 ,, 45	211	21	67	12	150	48	3	..	12	..	443
45 ,, 50	175	14	60	5	120	33	4	..	5	1	364
50 ,, 55	120	10	39	3	97	27	1	..	2	..	259
55 ,, 60	90	3	22	2	73	11	..	..	5	1	190
60 ,, 65	73	3	19	2	74	15	2	..	1	1	169
65 ,, 70	68	2	12	1	35	6	1	..	2	..	118
70 ,, 75	31	..	7	..	13	3	..	..	1	..	52
75 ,, 80	14	..	2	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	26
80 and upwards..	3	..	..	..	4	2	..	..	..	..	7
Total	1 097	140	516	58	1,112	245	54	1	84	5	3,463

No. 28.—Birthplaces and Ages of Distinct Persons received into Gaol under Sentence during 1896—*continued.*

Age Groups.	Foreign Countries.																					
	France.		Germany.		Russia.		Italy.		Denmark.		Sweden and Norway.		China.		United States.		Other Foreign Countries.		Total, Foreign Countries.		At Sea.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
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.. .. ..	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	7	..	2	..
.. .. ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	9	2	1	..
.. .. ..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	11	..	..	1
and under 25	1	..	14	2	2	..	3	..	3	..	33	..	2	..	11	1	11	..	80	3	..	..
,, 30	9	..	31	..	3	..	5	..	9	..	53	..	8	..	40	..	29	2	187	2	1	1
,, 35	8	1	15	2	4	..	2	..	3	..	39	..	29	..	26	3	24	..	150	6	5	3
,, 40	17	1	16	..	3	..	6	..	9	1	34	1	24	..	30	6	18	..	157	9	1	1
,, 45	10	1	18	1	1	..	2	..	2	..	25	..	27	..	20	2	11	2	116	6	4	..
,, 50	6	..	11	..	2	..	2	..	11	..	8	..	7	..	10	..	7	1	64	1	1	..
,, 55	7	..	16	1	4	..	..	..	..	..	11	..	12	..	8	..	8	..	66	1	1	..
,, 60	5	..	5	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	5	..	8	..	8	..	35	..	1	..
,, 65	5	..	6	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	4	..	6	..	4	..	3	..	31	..	1	..
,, 70	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	5	..	1	..	1	..	12	..	..	..
,, 75	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	1	..	1	..	9	..	..	..
,, 80	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4	..	..	1	6	1	..	..
Total	72	3	145	7	20	..	24	..	43	1	219	1	134	..	163	14	124	6	944	32	19	6

ALL COUNTRIES.

Age Groups.	British Empire.								Foreign Countries, including those born at Sea.		All Countries.		
	Australasia.		United Kingdom.		Other Parts of Empire.		Total.						
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.
.. .. ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
.. .. ..	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	4	..	4
.. .. ..	7	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	7	..	7
.. .. ..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	2
.. .. ..	5	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	5	..	5
.. .. ..	13	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	..	..	13	..	13
.. .. ..	16	..	..	..	..	..	16	..	2	..	18	..	18
.. .. ..	38	1	4	..	..	..	42	1	..	..	42	1	43
.. .. .	67	6	6	..	..	..	73	6	1	1	74	7	81
.. .. ..	105	10	12	2	..	..	117	12	1	..	118	12	130
.. .. ..	128	18	21	5	..	..	149	23	9	..	158	23	181
.. .. ..	119	22	37	2	1	..	157	24	10	2	167	26	193
.. .. ..	100	19	28	3	..	..	128	22	11	1	139	23	162
and under 25	383	129	166	24	12	1	561	154	80	3	641	157	798
,, 30	1,250	163	506	47	36	1	1,792	211	188	3	1,980	214	2,194
,, 35	617	133	479	74	27	..	1,123	207	155	9	1,278	216	1,494
,, 40	428	108	477	63	23	1	928	172	158	10	1,086	182	1,268
,, 45	266	63	428	81	15	..	709	144	120	6	829	150	979
,, 50	152	41	355	52	9	1	516	94	65	1	581	95	676
,, 55	88	23	256	40	3	..	347	63	67	1	414	64	478
,, 60	48	10	185	16	5	1	238	27	36	..	274	27	301
,, 65	28	1	166	20	3	1	197	22	32	..	229	22	251
,, 70	13	1	115	9	3	..	131	10	12	..	143	10	153
,, 75	3	1	51	3	1	..	55	4	9	..	64	4	68
,, 80	2	..	26	..	..	..	28	..	6	1	34	1	35
and upwards	..	1	7	2	..	..	7	3	..	..	7	3	10
Total	3,882	750	3,325	443	138		7,345	,199	63	38	8,308	1,237	

No. 29.—Heights and Ages of Distinct Persons received into Gaol under Sentence, 1896.

MALES.

Heights.	Age Groups.																									
	8 yrs	9 yrs	10 yrs	11 yrs	12 yrs	13 yrs	14 yrs	15 yrs	16 yrs	17 yrs	18 yrs	19 yrs	20 yrs	21 and under 25	25 and under 30	30 and under 35	35 and under 40	40 and under 45	45 and under 50	50 and under 55	55 and under 60	60 and under 65	65 and under 70	70 and under 75	75 and under 80	80 years and over
Under 4ft. 6in.	1	4	6	1	3	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 ft. 6 in. ..	..	..	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 ft. 7 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 ft. 8 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
4 ft. 9 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 ft. 10 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	4	3	2	1	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
4 ft. 11 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	3	3	1	..	1	..	2	2	4	2	..	..	1	..	2	2	1	1	..
5 ft.	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	4	8	4	3	2	1	3	18	12	5	4	5	8	4	8	1	2	1	..
5 ft. 1 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	5	9	7	2	3	1	15	32	23	21	14	10	17	6	7	6	3	2	..
5 ft. 2 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	3	11	17	8	7	20	54	42	30	43	30	12	14	12	7	5	4	..
5 ft. 3 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	11	11	18	14	11	32	109	87	54	61	33	26	18	17	13	6	3	1
5 ft. 4 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2	8	23	29	21	17	72	175	169	109	71	64	57	32	23	22	8	3	1
5 ft. 5 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	11	11	22	22	16	82	227	137	144	97	77	51	30	29	19	7	1	1
5 ft. 6 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	4	18	24	20	24	114	336	192	154	139	84	62	49	33	16	8	4	1
5 ft. 7 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	12	19	25	18	91	292	263	190	148	90	41	33	26	20	13	3	—
5 ft. 8 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	10	11	20	14	80	265	167	143	100	74	37	24	30	15	7	3	1
5 ft. 9 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	3	13	12	57	212	121	96	69	49	35	24	16	10	3	1	2
5 ft. 10 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	9	9	29	123	87	71	43	32	21	13	16	6	..	..	..
5 ft. 11 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	6	7	13	63	48	37	17	14	12	8	6	1	..	..	..
6 ft.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	9	48	29	24	14	14	8	6	4	2	..	..	..
6 ft. 1 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	2	12	13	3	4	2	5	1	1	..	..	..	..
6 ft. 2 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	3	2	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
6 ft. 3 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
6 ft. 5 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
6 ft. 6 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	1	4	7	2	5	13	18	42	74	118	158	167	139	641	1,980	1,278	1,086	829	581	414	274	229	143	64	34	7

FEMALES.

Heights.	Age Groups.																			
	15 yrs.	16 yrs.	17 yrs.	18 yrs.	19 yrs.	20 yrs.	21 and und. 25.	25 and und. 30.	30 and und. 35.	35 and und. 40.	40 and und. 45.	45 and und 50.	50 and und 55.	55 and und 60.	60 and und 65.	65 and und 70.	70 and und 75.	75 and und 80.	80 years and over.
Under 4ft. 6 in.	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 ft. 6 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 ft. 7 in. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 ft. 8 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	3	4	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
4 ft. 9 in. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	1	5	5	4	1	3	..	..	1	..	..	..
4 ft. 10 in. ..	..	1	2	1	5	..	11	5	5	6	10	3	3	2	1	1	..	..	..
4 ft. 11 in. ..	..	..	1	4	3	3	13	18	14	11	13	5	5	2	..	1	1	1	..
5 ft.	..	1	1	4	5	4	26	26	33	34	29	11	9	5	4	4	3	..	2
5 ft. 1 in. ..	1	1	4	6	5	2	20	29	29	29	21	19	10	2	5	1	..	..	1
5 ft. 2 in. ..	..	1	4	3	2	2	23	41	45	37	23	17	8	2	3	1	..	..	..
5 ft. 3 in. ..	..	1	..	3	1	4	13	24	39	24	16	12	9	3	6	..	..	..	..
5 ft. 4 in. ..	..	1	..	1	1	3	24	26	17	11	13	12	4	4	3	1	..	..	..
5 ft. 5 in. ..	..	..	..	..	3	3	15	20	16	11	11	5	6	4	..	..	..	..	..
5 ft. 6 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	10	8	5	3	3	3	2	..	..	..	..	..
5 ft. 7 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	5	2	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
5 ft. 8 in. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
5 ft. 9 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
5 ft. 10 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
6 ft. 1 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	1	7	12	23	26	23	15	214	216	182	150	95	64	27	22	10	4	1	3

30.—Professed Religions of Distinct Persons received into Gaol under Sentence, 1896.

Age Groups.	Church of England.		Roman Catholic.		Presbyterian.		Wesleyan.		Congregational.		Baptist.		Lutheran.		Primitive Methodist.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
.. .. ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. .. ..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. .. ..	2	..	3	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. .. ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. .. ..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
.. .. ..	5	..	6	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. .. ..	8	..	6	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
.. .. ..	12	..	24	1	4	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. .. ..	32	1	35	4	2	1	3	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
.. .. ..	48	6	57	5	7	..	5	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
.. .. ..	65	6	70	15	7	2	8	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..
.. .. ..	76	14	67	11	11	..	4	1	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..
.. .. ..	59	13	64	9	10	1	5	..	1	..	..	..	7	..	..	..
and under 25 ..	254	55	270	96	45	3	22	2	2	..	3	1	35	..	..	..
,, 30 ..	710	65	1,006	132	100	11	57	1	..	1	4	..	57	..	..	..
,, 35 ..	474	76	591	123	98	11	28	2	3	1	7	..	31	1	..	..
,, 40 ..	410	75	483	86	79	14	37	2	1	1	4	..	28	1	1	..
,, 45 ..	345	47	331	89	69	7	24	4	3	..	1	1	15	..	..	..
,, 50 ..	248	31	230	60	55	4	13	..	2	..	1	..	12	..	..	.
,, 55 ..	157	25	165	33	34	5	11	..	5	..	1	..	16	..	..	..
,, 60 ..	109	4	122	21	23	2	6	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..
,, 65 ..	92	7	95	14	21	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..
,, 70 ..	74	3	41	7	15	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
,, 75 ..	34	1	18	3	7	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
,, 80 ..	16	..	14	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
and upwards ..	6	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	3,234	429	3,702	712	590	61	240	14	18	4	24	2	220	2	2	..
Total	3,663		4,414		651		254		22		26		222		2	

Age Groups.	Salvation Army.		Other Protestants.		Hebrews.		Mahomedans.		Pagans.		Free-thinkers.		Others, and not specified.		Total.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.
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.. .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	13
.. .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	18	..	18
.. .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42	1	43
.. .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	74	7	81
.. .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	118	12	130
.. .. ..	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	158	23	181
.. .. ..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	167	26	193
.. .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	139	23	162
and under 25 ..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	5	..	641	157	798
,, 30 ..	1	..	..	..	9	2	3	..	6	..	2	..	25	2	1,980	214	2,194
,, 35 ..	1	..	..	..	4	..	3	..	16	..	3	..	19	2	1,278	216	1,494
,, 40 ..	..	..	..	..	6	1	4	..	13	..	7	..	13	2	1,086	182	1,268
,, 45 ..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	18	..	2	1	16	1	829	150	979
,, 50 ..	..	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	12	..	581	95	676
,, 55 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	2	..	14	1	414	64	478
,, 60 ..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	5	..	274	27	30[illegible]
,, 65 ..	1	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	3	..	1	..	3	1	229	22	2[illegible]
,, 70 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	4	..	143	10	7
,, 75 ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	64	4	
,, 80 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	34	1	
and upwards ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	3	
	3	..	1	..	41	3	14	..	80	..	19	1	120	9			
Total	3		1		44		14		80		20		129		8,308	1,7[illegible]	

No. 31.—Offences according to Ages of Distinct Persons received into G under Sentence, 1896.

NOTE.—When a person has been convicted for the committal of more than one offence, only the more or most ser offence has been classified.

Age Groups.	Against the Person.			Against Property with Violence.			Against Property without Violence.			Forgery and Offences against the Currency.			Against Good Order.			Offences n included in preceding		
	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	T
8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	
9	..	..	..	1	..	1	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
10	..	..	..	3	..	3	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	
11	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	
12	..	..	..	1	..	1	3	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	
13	..	..	..	1	..	1	8	..	8	..	..	..	4	..	4	..	..	
14	1	..	1	..	..	..	11	..	11	..	..	..	4	..	4	2	..	
15	1	..	1	2	..	2	25	..	25	..	..	..	11	..	11	3	1	
16	3	..	3	5	..	5	30	2	32	2	..	2	29	4	33	5	1	
17	6	1	7	4	..	4	54	4	58	1	..	1	50	7	57	3	..	
18	13	2	15	11	..	11	53	6	59	2	..	2	66	15	81	13	..	
19	16	..	16	5	..	5	46	5	51	2	..	2	70	21	91	28	..	
20	11	..	11	8	..	8	39	3	42	..	..	..	60	19	79	21	1	
21 and under 25	81	4	85	18	1	19	155	17	172	4	1	5	395	133	528	117	1	
25 " 30	249	6	255	59	8	67	566	20	586	19	1	20	892	179	1,071	195	..	
30 " 35	134	12	146	43	6	49	293	22	315	10	..	10	639	172	811	139	4	
35 " 40	95	10	105	34	7	41	231	14	245	14	..	14	603	146	749	109	5	
40 " 45	92	4	96	15	3	18	146	16	162	8	1	9	486	123	609	82	3	
45 " 50	44	2	46	18	2	20	94	9	103	4	..	4	365	81	446	53	1	
50 " 55	23	..	23	10	..	10	60	6	66	1	..	1	282	56	338	34	2	
55 " 60	16	..	16	3	..	3	39	..	39	2	..	2	190	27	217	24	..	
60 " 65	15	..	15	2	..	2	48	4	52	1	..	1	148	16	164	15	1	
65 " 70	9	..	9	6	..	6	22	1	23	..	..	..	95	9	104	11	..	
70 " 75	7	..	7	..	..	..	11	1	12	..	..	..	40	3	43	6	..	
75 " 80	3	..	3	2	..	2	5	..	5	..	..	..	22	1	23	2	..	
80 and upwards	1	..	1	3	..	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	3	4	1	..	
Total	820	41	861	254	27	281	1,946	130	2,076	70	3	73	4,354	1,015	5,369	867	21	

Males, 8,808; Females, 1,237; Total, 9,545.

No. 32.—Education and Ages of Distinct Persons received into Gaol un Sentence during 1896.

Age Groups.	Read and Write.						Illiterate.			Total.		
	English.			Foreign only.								
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	To
8	1	....	1	..	..	....	..	..	....	1	....	
9	2	....	2	..	..	....	2	..	2	4	....	
10	7	....	7	..	..	....	..	..	....	7	....	
11	2	....	2	..	..	....	..	..	....	2	..	
12	5	....	5	..	..	....	..	..	....	5	....	
13	12	....	12	..	..	....	1	..	1	13	....	
14	16	....	16	1	..	1	1	..	1	18	....	
15	40	1	41	..	..	....	2	..	2	42	1	
16	72	6	78	..	..	....	2	1	3	74	7	
17	112	12	124	..	..	....	6	..	6	118	12	1
18	142	22	164	4	..	4	12	1	13	158	23	1
19	146	24	170	5	..	5	16	2	18	167	26	1
20	128	23	151	7	..	7	4	..	4	139	23	1
21 and under 25	561	150	711	41	..	41	39	7	46	641	157	7
25 " 30	1,790	201	1,991	66	..	66	124	13	137	1,980	214	2,1
30 " 35	1,123	199	1,322	48	1	49	107	16	123	1,278	216	1,4
35 " 40	953	164	1,117	45	1	46	88	17	105	1,086	182	1,2
40 " 45	713	132	845	34	1	35	82	17	99	829	150	9
45 " 50	513	71	584	9	..	9	59	24	83	581	95	6
50 " 55	359	45	404	18	..	18	37	19	56	414	64	4
55 " 60	232	20	252	6	..	6	36	7	43	274	27	3
60 " 65	188	15	203	9	..	9	32	7	39	229	22	2
65 " 70	115	10	125	4	..	4	24	..	24	143	10	1
70 " 75	50	2	52	1	..	1	13	2	15	64	4	6
75 " 80	28	1	29	..	..	....	6	..	6	34	1	3
80 and upwards	5	2	7	..	..	....	2	1	3	7	3	1
Total	7,315	1,100	8,415	298	3	301	696	134	829	8,308	1,237	

o. 33.—Ostensible Occupations of Distinct Persons received into Gaol under Sentence, 1896.

MALES.

Accountants	5	Draughtsmen and Surveyors	7	Quarrymen	15
Agents and Auctioneers	37	Drovers	21	Ragpickers	5
Architects and Builders	7	Engine-drivers	21	Saddlers and Harnessmakers	24
Artists and Photographers	10	Engineers and Fitters	72	Sailmakers	22
Bakers	61	Farmers and Graziers	58	Salesmen	9
Barmen	9	Farriers	5	Sawyers	7
Blacksmiths & Wheelwrights	103	Fellmongers	7	Schoolboys	10
Boiler makers	20	Firemen	183	Seamen	919
Bookkeepers and Clerks	169	Fishermen	44	Shearers	37
Bookmakers	5	French polishers	11	Shipbuilders	7
Bookbinders	7	Gardeners	83	Selectors	8
Bootmakers	184	Greengrocers	8	Soldiers and Marines	15
Brass-workers	6	Grocers	25	Solicitors	6
Bricklayers	62	Grooms	118	Slaughtermen	5
Brickmakers	20	Hairdressers	67	Stewards	22
Butchers	161	Ironmongers	5	Storekeepers	8
Cabinet-makers	12	Ironmoulders	12	Stonemasons	42
Cabmen	49	Ironworkers (various)	10	Tailors	105
Canvassers	11	Jewellers and Watchmakers	19	Teachers and Tutors	8
Carpenters and Joiners	148	Jockeys	51	Tinsmiths	56
Carters and Carriers	132	Journalists	10	Tobacco-workers	7
Chemists	7	Labourers	3,352	Trainers	48
Commercial travellers	21	Machinists	7	Upholsterers	6
Compositors	14	Miners	330	Veterinary Surgeons	8
Contractors	7	Musicians	14	Waiters	25
Cooks	236	Newsboys	20	Woodcutters	7
Coopers	7	Omnibus drivers	8	Woolclassers	5
Cordial Manufacturers	7	Packers and Storemen	7	Woolwashers	13
Dairymen and Milkmen	18	Painters and Signwriters	100	*Others (see note)	243
Dealers and Hawkers	294	Plasterers	19		
Dentists	6	Plumbers and Gasfitters	25	Total, Males	8,308
Drapers	26	Printers	36		

FEMALES.

Barmaids	8	Housekeepers	11	Waitresses	8
Charwomen	10	Laundresses	48	*Others (see note)	115
Cooks	15	Machinists	10		
Dealers	5	Sempstresses	8	Total, Females	1,237
Domestic duties	571	Servants	390		
Dressmakers	22	Tailoresses	16		

* **Others.**—Under this heading are included all occupations represented by less than five persons, and those described being "of no occupation."

No. 34.—Ages and Punishments of Males received into Gaol under Sentence, 1896.

(Counted once every time they were received.)

Age Groups.	Imprisonment.										Death.	Total Males.
	2 days and under.	3 days and under 1 week.	1 week and under 1 month.	1 month and under 6.	6 months and under 12.	1 year and under 2.	2 years and under 5.	5 years and under 10.	10 years and under 15.	Until Order complied with.		
8 and under 9	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
9 ,, 10	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
10 ,, 11	2	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
11 ,, 12	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
12 ,, 13	1	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
13 ,, 14	4	1	7	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	15
14 ,, 15	3	1	6	5	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	19
15 ,, 16	5	3	21	16	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	48
16 ,, 17	14	18	32	16	4	4	1	1	..	..	..	90
17 ,, 18	13	24	59	52	12	6	..	..	..	..	..	166
18 ,, 19	16	24	82	53	11	5	4	1	..	..	..	196
19 ,, 20	18	25	70	76	8	8	5	1	1	..	2*	214
20 ,, 21	18	17	49	62	10	10	4	1	..	..	..	171
21 ,, 25	79	81	276	262	43	29	24	7	1	4	..	806
25 ,, 30	316	245	851	912	192	69	61	24	4	15	..	2,689
30 ,, 35	259	194	575	521	103	29	41	14	1	11	..	1,748
35 ,, 40	216	175	517	408	71	24	32	11	..	9	..	1,463
40 ,, 45	184	125	404	302	47	23	13	5	2	4	1	1,110
45 ,, 50	141	124	314	201	33	14	8	1	..	6	..	842
50 ,, 55	118	80	209	125	31	4	11	2	..	5	..	5[illegible]
55 ,, 60	76	49	144	80	14	9	2	3	..	3	..	[illegible]
60 ,, 65	55	37	101	69	15	7	1	3	..	2	..	
65 ,, 70	34	22	79	62	19	2	5	..	..	2	..	
70 ,, 75	7	12	22	20	7	1	3	..	..	1	..	
75 ,, 80	8	6	33	15	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	
80 and upwards.	3	..	2	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Total	1,591	1,268	3,860	3,267	623	247	219	75	9	62	3†	11,21[illegible]

* Commuted. † Two commuted.

No. 35.—Offences and Punishments of Males received into Gaol under Sentence, 1896.

(Counted once every time they were received.)

Offences.	2 days and under.	3 days and under 1 week.	1 week and under 1 month.	1 month and under 6.	6 months and under 12.	1 year and under 2.	2 years and under 5.	5 years and under 10.	10 years and under 15.	Until Order complied with.	Death.
Offences against the Person—											
Murder	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Manslaughter	..	..	2	2	1	1	1	1	..	..	..
Inflicting grievous bodily harm	..	..	..	3	3	5	2	1	..	..	..
Shooting with intent to inflict grievous bodily harm	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Wounding with intent to inflict grievous bodily harm	..	..	..	1	7	3	9	5	1	..	..
Assault and robbery	..	..	..	2	1	3	3	7	..	..	..
Assault with intent to rob	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..
Common assault	4	3	163	261	17	4	..	..	..	..	..
Obstructing workmen by violence, or threat of violence	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Assaulting, resisting, or obstructing the Police	6	3	99	155	24	1	1	..	..	..	..
Maliciously endangering life by obstructing railway	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Rape	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	1	1	..	..
Carnally knowing a girl over 10 and under 14 years, or attempts at	..	..	..	..	1	2	7	5	1	..	..
Sodomy, or attempts at	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	..	..	..
Bestiality, or attempts at	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	1	..	..	..
Indecent assault	..	..	1	1	4	6	9	..	..	..	..
Abduction	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Bigamy	..	..	..	..	3	2	4	..	..	..	..
Procuring miscarriage	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Suicide, attempt to commit	..	..	8	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Garrotting	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..
Attempt to place explosives against a building with intent to do grievous bodily harm..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	10	6	273	441	61	36	47	22	5	..	2
Offences against Property with violence—											
Breaking and entering with intent to steal, or attempts at	1	..	..	15	14	22	27	10	..	..	..
Burglary	..	..	..	..	..	4	4	5	..	..	..
Maliciously injuring property	2	2	87	77	..	2	1	..	..	..	..
Feloniously killing or wounding sheep, cattle, or horses	..	..	2	2	..	2	1	1	..	..	..
Total	3	2	89	94	14	30	33	16	..	..	..
Offences against Property without violence—											
Stealing in company	1	..	23	67	25	..	..	1	..	..	..
Simple larceny	18	7	340	722	184	18	21	6	..	..	..
Stealing from the person	..	..	4	29	29	2	2	2	..	..	..
Stealing from a dwelling	..	..	1	9	10	7	14	7	..	..	..
Stealing from a vessel in port	..	..	2	2	7	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle stealing	..	..	..	1	2	5	6	1	..	..	
Horse stealing	..	..	..	5	7	17	10	2	..	..	
Sheep stealing	..	..	..	2	6	7	10	2	..	..	..
Dog stealing	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Embezzlement	1	..	4	27	13	10	8	..	..	..	
Attempt to steal	1	..	7	9	8	1	..	1	..	..	
False pretences	..	..	12	96	48	18	11	3	..	..	
Larceny as a bailee or agent	..	..	2	18	5	1	4	..	..	..	
Receiving stolen property	..	..	..	6	9	13	12	..	2	..	..
Having possession of suspected stolen property	3	3	61	120	5	..	..	..	..	..	
Illegally pawning	..	..	..	3	5	2	..	..	..	..	
Illegally using cattle or horses	..	..	8	12	5	1	1	..	..	..	
Fraudulent appropriation	..	..	8	24	1	..	..	..	..	..	
Being in a public place with intent to steal	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Being found at night with intent to commit a felony	..	..	1	3	..	..	1	1	..	..	
Being unlawfully on premises	2	..	10	28	9	..	..	..	..	..	..
Careless use of fire	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Setting fire to house	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	..	..	..
Destroying Government property.. ..	..	..	12	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tampering with a letter in Post Office ..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Being accessory to a crime..	..	..	..	3	..	4	1	..	..	..	..
Detention of property	..	1	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Retaining a letter	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	26	11	499	1,198	379	108	104	31	2	..	..

* 2 commuted.

No. 35.—Offences and Punishments of Males received into Gaol under Sentence, 1896—*continued.*

(Counted once every time they were received.)

Offences.	2 days and under.	3 days and under 1 week.	1 week and under 1 month.	1 month and under 6.	6 months and under 12.	1 year and under 2.	2 years and under 5.	5 years and under 10.	10 years and under 15.	Until Order complied with.	Death.	Total Males.
Forgery and Offences against the Currency—												
Forgery	..	..	..	1	2	3	1	..	..	..	..	7
Uttering	..	..	..	2	7	6	4	..	..	..	..	19
Forgery and uttering	..	..	..	2	7	19	16	3	1	.	..	48
Having or putting off counterfeit coin	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	3
Having possession of coining implements	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	3
Total	..	..	..	5	16	29	24	3	2	1	..	80
Offences against Good Order—												
Drunkenness	958	279	508	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,745
Drunkenness, habitual	1	..	2	16	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	21
Drunkenness, with disorderly conduct	259	533	471	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,263
Riotous or indecent behaviour	84	148	364	40	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	637
Throwing missiles	6	6	8	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26
Furious or negligent driving or riding	..	1	11	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22
Obscenely exposing the person	6	11	61	61	24	1	1	..	..	..	..	165
Using obscene, threatening, or abusive language	87	96	968	701	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1,854
Being an idle and disorderly person	..	..	5	9	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	15
Vagrancy	5	7	68	355	56	..	..	..	..	..	..	489
Being a suspected person	..	..	3	68	46	..	..	..	..	..	..	117
Begging alms	10	12	25	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	53
Breach of the peace	..	..	..	5	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	7
Cruelty to animals	1	5	25	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	45
Gambling	16	19	24	14	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	74
Other offences against Police Acts	35	28	19	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	87
Inciting a prisoner to resist police	1	2	4	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12
Total	1,469	1,147	2,566	1,313	131	4	2	..	..	..	..	6,632
Offences not included in the preceding—												
Perjury	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	2	..	..	..	6
Making a false statement on oath	1	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	5
Tampering with a witness	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Conspiracy	..	..	..	..	4	2	1	1	..	..	..	8
Refusing to pay fare (by steamer)	5	5	26	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	37
Refusing to pay for liquor	10	4	21	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	44
Absent without leave from ship	3	20	102	29	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	157
Desertion from ship	..	5	21	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40
Wilful disobedience on board ship	10	6	93	33	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	142
Naval deserter	..	..	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12
Military deserter	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Defamatory libel	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Escaping from lawful custody	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Trespass	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Breach of Abattoirs Act	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
" Aborigines Act	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
" Adulteration of Food and Drink Act	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
" Birds Protection Act	..	..	1	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
" Carriage Regulations Act	1	2	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11
" Crown Lands Regulations Act	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
" Customs Laws	..	..	..	6	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	10
" Diseases in Sheep and Stock Act	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
" Distillation Act	..	..	..	7	1	2	..	..	..	..	.	10
" Distress Act	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
" Dog Registration Act	4	24	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40
" Electoral Act	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
" Enclosed Land Act	..	2	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
" First Offenders' Probation Act	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
" Fisheries Act	..	..	4	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
" Gaol Regulations Act	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
" Hawkers' Act	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
" Impounding Act	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
" Industrial and Reformatory Schools Acts	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
" Licensing Act	1	7	2	12	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	23
" Lottery Act	..	..	5	25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30
" Merchant Shipping Act	21	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26
" Mining Act	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
" Municipal or Corporation By-laws	3	8	12	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25
" Nuisance Acts and Health Laws	..	..	4	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17
" Obscene Publications Act	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
" Public Instruction Act	10	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13
" Quarantine Act	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
" Railway Act	4	4	35	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	49

[illegible]

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[illegible]

Offences.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total Males	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible]

No. 39.—Ages and Punishments of Females received into Gaol under Sentence, 1896.

Counted once every time they were received.

Age Groups.	3 days and under.	3 days and under 1 week.	1 week and under 1 month.	1 month and under 6.	6 months and under [illegible]	1 year and under [illegible]	[illegible] years and under [illegible]	Death.	[illegible]
15 and under 16				2	...	...	...	...	
16 .. 17	1	2	4	4	...	...	1	...	
17 .. 18		2	10	5	...	...	...	...	
18 .. 19	6	6	17	12	2	...	1	...	
19 .. 20	1	10	24	17	1	1	...	...	
20 .. 21	2	11	18	4	1	1	...	...	
21 .. 25	28	53	167	70	15	3	4	...	
25 .. 30	57	76	275	108	19	1	...	...	
30 .. 35	66	84	304	131	19	2	1	...	
35 .. 40	68	92	227	108	15	4	4	...	
40 .. 45	51	51	140	57	14	1	...	1*	
45 .. 50	44	72	116	42	9	2	...	...	
50 .. 55	19	29	70	32	5	...	...	...	
55 .. 60	9	6	29	12	3	...	...	...	
60 .. 65	4	3	21	5	3	...	...	...	
65 .. 70	7	5	26	6	1	...	...	...	
70 .. 75		1		5	...	...	...	...	
75 .. 80	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
80 and upwards	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	
Total ..	344	298	1,405	600	107	15	12	1	

* Commuted.

No. 37.—Offences and Punishments of Females received into Gaol under Sentence, 1896.

(Counted once every time they were received.)

Offences.	Imprisonment.										Death.	Total Females
	2 days and under.	3 days and under 1 week.	1 week and under 1 month.	1 month and under 6.	6 months and under 12.	1 year and under 2.	2 years and under 5.	5 years and under 10.	10 years and under 15.	Until Order complied with.		
Offences against the Person—												
Murder	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1*	1
Manslaughter	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
Inflicting grievous bodily harm	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Shooting at with intent to do grievous bodily harm	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Wounding with intent to inflict grievous bodily harm	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
Common assault	1	1	15	9	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	28
Assaulting, resisting, or obstructing police	..	..	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
Bigamy	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Procuring miscarriage	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Suicide, attempt to commit	2	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
Aiding and abetting to carnally know a female under 14 years	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Total	4	1	20	16	3	5	1	..	..	..	1	51
Offences against Property with Violence—												
Maliciously injuring property	..	..	29	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	35
Total	..	..	29	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	35
Offences against Property without Violence—												
Stealing in company	..	..	..	7	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
Simple larceny	..	1	46	58	11	..	4	..	..	..	..	120
Stealing from the person	..	..	4	8	4	2	3	..	..	..	..	21
Stealing from a dwelling	..	..	..	2	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	8
Stealing from a vessel in port	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
False pretences	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Larceny as a bailee or agent	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Receiving stolen property	..	..	..	3	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	9
Having possession of suspected stolen property	..	..	8	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
Fraudulent appropriation	..	..	2	1	1*	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Destroying Government property	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Total	..	1	62	81	26	7	8	..	..	..	..	185
Forgery and Offences against the Currency—												
Forgery and uttering	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	3
Total	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	3
Offences against Good Order—												
Drunkenness	238	68	534	1	..	..	..	.	..	.		841
Drunkenness, habitual	..	..	6	23	2	..	..	..	..	..	.	31
Drunkenness, with disorderly conduct	74	242	333	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	656
Riotous or indecent behaviour	6	29	112	85	26	..	..	..	..	..	..	258
Throwing missiles	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Obscenely exposing the person	..	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Using obscene, threatening, or abusive language	16	27	330	217	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	590
Being an idle and disorderly person	..	..	1	10	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	13
Vagrancy	2	1	41	244	42	..	..	..	..	..	..	330
Being a suspected person	..	..	.	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Begging alms	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Breach of the peace	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Keeping a common brothel or disorderly house	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	.
Other offences against Police Acts	..	16	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
Total	337	384	1,374	590	76	1	..	..	..	..	..	2,76

* Commuted.

No. 37.—Offences and Punishments of Females received into Gaol unde Sentence, 1896—*continued.*

(Counted once every time they were received.)

Offences.	Imprisonment.										Death.
	2 days and under.	3 days and under 1 week.	1 week and under 1 month.	1 month and under 6.	6 months and under 12.	1 year and under 2.	2 years and under 5.	5 years and under 10.	10 years and under 15.	Until order complied with.	
Offences not included in the Preceding—											
Perjury	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Making a false statement on oath	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Breach of Betting-houses Suppression Act	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Carriage Regulations Act ..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Children's Protection Act ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
,, Dog Registration Act ..	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Licensing Act	..	8	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Municipal or Corporation By-laws	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Railway Act	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	2	6	4	5	..	1	2	..	..	..	..
Persons and Cases of Persons brought before the Court for not forthwith finding Sureties for fulfilment of and non-compliance with Orders—											
Disobeying orders of Court	1	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Total	344	393	1,491	699	107	15	11	..	..	..	1
TOTAL, FEMALES.											
Offences against the person	4	1	20	16	3	5	1	..	..	..	*1
Offences against property, with violence ..	..	..	29	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Offences against property, without violence	..	1	62	81	26	7	8	..	..	..	..
Forgery and offences against the currency	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..
Offences against good order	337	384	1,374	590	76	1	..	..	..	..	..
Offences not included in the preceding ..	3	7	6	6	..	1	2	..	..	..	
Total, Females...	344	393	1,491	699	107	15	11	..	..	..	1

* Commuted.

No. 38.—Summary of Offences committed by Persons received into Gaol u Sentence, 1896.

(Counted once every time they were received)

Offences.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Offences against the person	904	51	95
Offences against property, with violence	281	35	31
Offences against property, without violence	2,358	185	2,54
Forgery and offences against the currency	80	3	8
Offences against good order	6,632	2,762	9,39
Offences not included in the preceding	969	25	99
Total	11,224	3,061	14,28

o. 39.—Classification of Sentences of Persons received into Gaol under Sentence, 1896.

(Counted once every time they were received.)

ge Groups.	To Death.		Sentenced to Imprisonment— With Penal Servitude.			With Hard Labour.			Without Labour.			Total Persons Sentenced.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
nd under 9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	....	1
,, 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	4	4	....	4
,, 11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	7	7	....	7
,, 12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	2	....	2
,, 13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	5	..	5	5	....	5
,, 14	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	14	..	14	15	....	15
,, 15	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	7	12	..	12	19	....	19
,, 16	..	..	..	..	..	20	1	21	28	..	28	48	1	49
,, 17	..	..	1	1	2	23	4	27	66	11	77	90	16	106
,, 18	..	..	..	..	..	68	5	73	98	12	110	166	17	183
,, 19	..	..	3	..	3	77	16	93	116	24	140	196	40	236
,, 20	*2	..	2	..	2	93	25	118	117	29	146	214	54	268
,, 21	..	..	3	..	3	82	17	99	86	22	108	171	39	210
,, 25	..	..	9	..	9	366	118	484	431	239	670	806	357	1,163
,, 30	..	..	38	..	38	1,274	199	1,473	1,377	395	1,772	2,689	594	3,283
,, 35	..	..	23	..	23	684	166	850	1,041	414	1,455	1,748	580	2,328
,, 40	..	..	19	3	22	535	125	660	909	329	1,238	1,463	457	1,920
,, 45	1	*1	12	..	12	361	95	456	736	248	984	1,110	344	1,454
,, 50	..	..	2	..	2	276	68	344	564	186	750	842	254	1,096
,, 55	..	..	4	..	4	190	43	233	391	112	503	585	155	740
,, 60	..	..	2	..	2	110	17	127	268	31	299	380	48	428
,, 65	..	..	3	..	3	96	11	107	191	29	220	290	40	330
,, 70	..	..	2	..	2	77	2	79	146	53	199	225	55	280
,, 75	..	..	1	..	1	26	3	29	46	3	49	73	6	79
,, 80	..	..	1	..	1	27	..	27	37	1	38	65	1	66
nd upwards	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	5	6	2	8	10	3	13
Total	3	1	125	4	129	4,397	916	5,313	6,699	2,140	8,839	11,224	3,061	14,285

* Commuted.

No. 40.—Executions, 1873–96.

apital Offences.—In New South Wales the death penalty is attached to the following crimes:—Murder, attempted , rape, and setting fire to a dwelling knowing that a person is therein.

	Male.	Female.	Total.	Year.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Year.	Male.	Female.	Total.
3	4	...	4	1881	2	...	2	1889	2	1	3
4	3	...	3	1882	3	...	3	1890	1	...	1
5	2	...	2	1883	1	...	1	1891	3	...	3
6	4	...	4	1884	2	...	2	1892	1	...	1
7	2	...	2	1885	3	...	3	1893	5	...	5
8	1	...	1	1886	2	...	2	1894	5	...	5
9	1	...	1	1887	4	...	4	1895	1	...	1
0	4	...	4	1888	2	...	2	1896	1	...	1

No. 41.—Prisoners in Goal at close of year, 1887–96.

In Gaols on the 31st December (Tried and Untried), exclusive of debtors.			Tried.			Untried.			Debtors. Received into Gaol during the year.		Debtors. In Gaol at end of year.	
M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	M.	F.
2,053	327	2,380	1,919	316	2,235	134	11	145	48	2	*	*
2,035	309	2,344	1,922	301	2,223	113	8	121	56	1	9	...
2,036	322	2,358	1,920	313	2,233	116	9	125	71	1	12	...
2,138	281	2,419	2,018	272	2,290	120	9	129	59	2	3	1
2,325	291	2,616	2,204	285	2,489	121	6	127	45	...	...	...
2,345	268	2,613	2,230	254	2,484	115	14	129	54	...	9	...
2,232	208	2,440	2,091	204	2,295	141	4	145	55	3	5	...
2,350	252	2,602	2,226	243	2,469	124	9	133	54	4	8	...
2,257	240	2,497	2,122	223	2,345	135	17	152	70	4	3	...
2,137	217	2,354	2,004	212	2,216	133	5	138	52	2	3	...

* Debtors.—Included in the column "Tried."

No. [illegible].—Prisoners in each Gaol at close of Year 1886.

Gaols.	Tried.			Untried.			Total.			Delivered.		
										Received into Gaol during the year.		In [illegible]
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.
Principal Gaols—												
Darlinghurst (Sydney) ...	417	90	507	36	2	38	453	92	545	36	2	3
Bathurst	238	15	253	3	...	3	241	15	256	...	...	...
Berrima	69	...	69	...	...	...	69	...	69	...	...	...
Biloela	114	70	184	...	...	...	114	70	184	...	...	...
Goulburn	258	9	267	6	...	6	264	9	273	2	...	...
Maitland	113	4	117	2	...	2	115	4	119	1	...	...
Parramatta	303	...	303	1	...	1	304	...	304	...	...	...
Trial Bay	105	...	105	...	...	...	105	...	105	...	...	...
Total, Principal Gaols...	1,617	188	1,805	48	2	50	1,665	190	1,855	39	2	3
Minor Gaols—												
Albury	27	1	28	4	...	4	31	1	32	...	...	...
Armidale	23	2	25	3	...	3	26	2	28	...	...	...
Broken Hill	29	3	32	4	1	5	33	4	37	...	...	...
Deniliquin	19	2	21	2	...	2	21	2	23	...	...	...
Dubbo	25	2	27	5	...	5	30	2	32	...	...	...
Forbes	7	1	8	4	...	4	11	1	12	1	...	...
Grafton	20	...	20	2	1	3	22	1	23	...	...	...
Hay	12	...	12	...	...	...	12	...	12	...	...	...
Mudgee	12	3	15	2	...	2	14	3	17	...	...	...
Tamworth	35	2	37	6	...	6	41	2	43	...	...	...
Wagga Wagga	12	...	12	3	1	4	15	1	16	...	...	...
Wilcannia	13	...	13	2	...	2	15	...	15	...	...	...
Wollongong	11	...	11	...	...	...	11	...	11	2	...	...
Yass	3	...	3	2	...	2	5	...	5	...	...	...
Young	26	2	28	4	...	4	30	2	32	1	...	...
Total, Minor Gaols ...	274	18	292	43	3	46	317	21	338	4	...	...
Police Gaols—												
Balranald	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Bega	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	...
Bingara	3	...	3	4	...	4	7	...	7	1	...	...
Bombala	...	...	...	3	...	3	3	...	3	...	...	...
Bourke	6	1	7	3	...	3	9	1	10	...	...	...
Braidwood	3	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	3	1	...	...
Burrowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Campbelltown	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Casino	2	1	3	1	...	1	3	1	4	1	...	...
Cobar...	7	...	7	3	...	3	10	...	10	...	...	...
Cooma	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...
Coonabarabran	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...
Coonamble	4	...	4	3	...	3	7	...	7	...	...	...
Cootamundra	9	1	10	3	...	3	12	1	13	...		
Cowra	4	...	4	4	...	4	8	...	8	1		
Glen Innes	4	...	4	...	...	...	4	...	4	...		

No. 42.—Prisoners in each Gaol at close of Year 1896—*continued.*

Gaols.	Tried.			Untried.			Total.			Debtors. Received into Gaol during the year.		Debtors. In Gaol at end of year.	
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Police Gaols—*continued.*													
Grenfell	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gundagai	5	...	5	...	...	...	5	...	5	...	...	...	...
Gunnedah	6	...	6	...	...	...	6	...	6	...	...	...	...
Hillston	3	...	3	2	...	2	5	...	5	...	...	...	...
Inverell	2	1	3	2	...	2	4	1	5	...	...	...	...
Kempsey, West	2	...	2	1	...	1	3	...	3	...	...	...	...
Moree	6	...	6	4	...	4	10	...	10	...	...	...	...
Murrurundi	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Narrabri	12	...	12	1	...	1	13	...	13	...	...	...	...
Newcastle	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Orange	13	2	15	2	...	2	15	2	17	...	...	...	...
Port Macquarie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Queanbeyan	...	..	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...
Singleton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Taree	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tenterfield	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Walgett	4	...	4	...	...	...	4	...	4	1	...	...	...
Wellington	5	...	5	3	...	3	8	...	8	...	...	...	...
Wentworth	3	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	3	1	...	...	...
Windsor	1	...	1	1	...	1	2	...	2	...	...	...	...
Total, Police Gaols ...	113	6	119	42	...	42	155	6	161	9	...	...	...
Total, all Gaols ...	2,004	212	2,216	133	5	138	2,137	217	2,354	52	2	3	...

No. 43.—Offences Committed by or charged against Prisoners in Gaol, 31st December, 1896.

Classification.	Offences against the Person.		Offences against Property, with Violence.		Offences against Property, without Violence.		Forgery and Offences against the Currency.		Offences against Good Order.		Offences not included in the preceding.		Total.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F	M.	F.	Total.
Tried	459	13	227	1	812	40	108	...	305	151	93	7	2,004	212	2,216
Untried	34	...	20	...	47	...	13	...	5	3	14	2	133	5	138
Total	493	13	247	1	859	40	121	...	310	154	107	9	2,137	217	2,35

No. 44.—Employment of Prisoners in Gaols at close of year 1896.

Classification.	Principal Gaols.								Minor Gaols.	To
	Darlinghurst (Sydney).	Bathurst.	Berrima.	Biloela.	Goulburn.	Maitland.	Parramatta.	Trial Bay.		
Employed—Occupations.										
Carpenters and Assistants... ...	6	9	2	2	9	3	6	...	5	
Painters	5	...	1	1	2	1	2	...	2	
Blacksmiths and Assistants ...	9	4	...	1	2	2	7	...	1	
Tinsmiths	6	4	1	...	3	1	2	...	1	
Masons	...	...	...	1	...	3	5	...	...	
Stonecutters and Assistants ...	...	15	...	...	...	11	13	...	...	
[illegible]ourers	22	59	...	15	23	19	50	...	40	
[illegible]king outside	...	[illegible]	[illegible]	...	17	10	5	...	37	
[illegible]hmakers	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
[illegible]akers	...	...	...	...	23	5	27	...	3	
[illegible]akers	63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
[illegible]makers	23	19	1	1	33	5	13	1	3	
[illegible]rs	19	23	5	1	41	1	36	1	4	
[illegible]king at Breakwater	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	74	...	
[illegible]binders	10	6	...	...	2	3	2	...	4	
[illegible]rs	7	3	1	...	4	3	6	...	1	
[illegible] and Water Gang	1	...	2	1	2	...	...	4	21	
[illegible]men	3	1	...	1	1	1	2	1	2	
[illegible]s and Cleaners	48	18	12	27	41	18	39	3	52	
[illegible]ssistants	17	10	3	7	10	8	16	4	23	
[illegible]ing	30	8	2	11	9	2	10	...	3	
School Assistants	5	1	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	
Hospital Attendants	10	3	...	2	3	1	4	1	9	
Barbers	3	1	...	1	2	1	2	...	5	
Lunatic Keepers	5	1	...	...	...	1	3	...	1	
Messengers	8	1	1	1	2	3	1	1	2	
Picking Oakum	7	...	...	42	...	...	7	...	...	
Needlework	37	4	...	39	2	...	...	...	5	
Servants	9	5	2	5	3	2	2	5	4	
Otherwise employed	62	30	31	2	22	7	9	4	33	
Employed in Police Gaols... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total Employed	425	241	68	161	257	111	271	99	261	2,01
Unemployed—Causes of Exemption from Employment.										
In Hospital	32	6	...	6	8	1	13	6	4	
In Cells	1	4	...	1	...	4	...	...	2	
Under Separate Treatment ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
Medical treatment	14	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	1	
Exempt from work...	1	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	4	
Delegate	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	...	9	
Transit	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Keeping themselves	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Incapable	11	...	...	12	1	...	3	...	5	
Debtors	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Received too late to be set to work.	17	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	
Not under sentence...	38	3	...	...	6	2	1	...	49	
In Police Gaols not under Sentence	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total Unemployed	123	15	1	23	16	8	33	6	77	3
Total, Employed and Unemployed...	548	256	69	184	273	119	304	105	338	2,3

Trial Bay Prison and Breakwater.—Prisoners under sentences to penal servitude, or to hard labour on the [illegible] and public works, or to imprisonment with hard labour, become eligible for employment upon the pub[illegible] Trial Bay Prison under the following conditions, viz. :—Prisoners under sentences from three to five years, [illegible] been punished for misconduct within the previous six months, and favourably recommended by [illegible] period twelve months before they would become eligible for discharge under the ordinary remission [illegible] anticipation of such discharge; in sentences of five to ten years similarly at a period of two years [illegible] sentences of ten years and upwards at a period of two years and six months [illegible] under construction is being supervised by Officers of the Public Works Departme[illegible] d the [illegible] who are entirely under the control of the Comptroller-General of Prisons, receive a [illegible] rations and clothing which is not of the prison pattern.

No. 45.—Punishments inflicted on Prisoners for Breaches of Gaol Discipline, 1887–96.

Year.	Prisoners in Gaol. (See Note.)			Solitary Confinement.		Whipping.	Other Punishments.		Total Punishments.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1887	10,051	1,942	11,993	1,268	177	Included with Other Punishments.	397	19	1,665	196	1,861
1888	10,186	2,145	12,331	1,194	108		233	13	1,427	121	1,548
1889	8,992	2,058	11,050	1,095	100		309	22	1,404	122	1,526
1890	8,476	1,696	10,172	1,385	73		240	26	1,625	99	1,724
1891	9,425	1,656	11,081	1,176	59		263	41	1,439	100	1,539
1892	9,832	1,614	11,446	1,335	77		260	57	1,595	134	1,729
1893	10,211	1,642	11,853	1,000	53		187	47	1,187	100	1,287
1894	10,102	1,553	11,655	928	54		273	27	1,201	81	1,282
1895	10,146	1,621	11,767	1,014	63	8	202	18	1,224	81	1,305
1896	10,565	1,477	12,042	868	56	2	234	11	1,104	67	1,171

Prisoners in Gaol.—Distinct persons convicted during the year have been added to those prisoners, exclusive of debtors, who were in Gaol at close of the previous year.

No. 46.—Punishments inflicted on Prisoners for Breaches of Gaol Discipline, 1896.

Age Groups.	Solitary Confinement.			Whipping.	Other Punishments.			Total Punishments.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
15 and under 20	89	8	97	...	15	2	17	104	10	114
20 " 25	159	13	172	1	23	2	25	183	15	198
25 " 30	278	12	290	...	92	3	95	370	15	385
30 " 35	145	9	154	...	51	1	52	196	10	206
35 " 40	101	5	106	1	26	2	28	128	7	135
40 " 45	32	5	37	...	9	1	10	41	6	47
45 " 50	30	2	32	...	7	...	7	37	2	39
50 years and over	34	2	36	...	11	...	11	45	2	47
Total	868	56	924	2	234	11	245	1,104	67	1,171

No. 47.—Deaths in and Death-rates of Gaols, 1887–96.

Year.	Prisoners in Gaol. (See Note.)			Deaths (exclusive of Executions).			Death-rate per Thousand Prisoners in Gaol.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1887	2,086	355	2,441	38	10	48	18·22	28·17	19·66
1888	2,049	318	2,367	30	8	38	14·64	25·16	16·05
1889	2,046	316	2,362	30	5	35	14·66	15·82	14·82
1890	2,096	302	2,398	24	2	26	11·45	6·62	10·84
1891	2,234	287	2,521	37	3	40	16·56	10·45	15·86
1892	2,340	279	2,619	36	4	40	15·38	14·34	15·27
1893	2,296	238	2,534	28	6	34	12·20	25·21	13·42
1894	2,298	230	2,528	22	2	24	9·57	8·70	9·49
1895	2,309	246	2,555	19	3	22	8·23	12·20	8·61
1896	2,200	229	2,429	28	2	30	12·73	8·73	12·35

This table has been adjusted for previous years, and is based on the average obtained for every year by taking the mean of the numbers in confinement at the end of that year and at the end of the preceding year. It has been found impracticable to supply the absolute figures for 1896. The daily average number of prisoners confined during 1896 was 2,2[illegible] males and 220 females, a total of 2,442 persons. The death-rate per thousand [illegible]s, therefore, for males, 12·65; for females, [illegible]; and a total of 12·28.

No. 48.—Prisoners Liberated upon License, 1891–96.

Year.	Licenses issued.	Amount of Sureties. Nil.	£10 to £20.	Over £20 to £30.	Over £30 to £50.	Over £50 to £100.	Over £100.	Licenses expired and current. Licenses expired.	Balance of sentence remitted and license cancelled.	Returned to Gaol for misbehaviour to complete sentence.	Li in
*1891	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
1892	11	1	1	3	4	2	..	4	..	1	
1893	†13	†4	4	1	4	..	..	†3	2	..	
1894	‡25	..	..	1	1	5	†16	10	5	..	†
1895	†20	..	..	..	..	†1	19	†16	2	1	†
1896	23	..	..	..	..	5	18	2	3	..	†
Total since operation of Act	92	†7	5	5	9	†13	†53	‡35	12	2	

* From September only. † Including 1 female. ‡ Including 3 females.

No. 49.—Offences and Sentences of Prisoners who were liberated upon Lice

Offence for which convicted.	Number of Prisoners.	Period for which sentenced. Six months and under.	Over 6 months and under 1 year.	One year and under 2 years.	Two years and under 5 years.	Five years and over.	De yea with
Offences against the Person—							
Murder	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Manslaughter	*2	*1	..	1	..	..	..
Attempting to shoot with intent to murder	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Wounding with intent	2	..	..	1	..	1	..
Maliciously wounding	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Assault	5	1	..	2	1	1	..
Assaulting a Constable	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Soliciting to commit murder	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Assault with intent to carnally know a girl under 14	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Bigamy	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Supplying a drug with intent to procure abortion	1	..	..	1	..	..	..
Total	*17	*2	..	5	5	4	1
Offences against Property with violence—							
Burglary	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Breaking and Entering	*1	..	..	*1	..	..	..
Total	*2	..	..	*1	1	..	..
Offences against Property without violence—							
Stealing	7	2	..	4	1	..	..
Stealing from the Person	3	..	..	..	3	..	..
Stealing in a dwelling	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Cattle-stealing	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Horse-stealing	3	..	..	1	2	..	..
Sheep-stealing	2	..	..	1	1	..	..
Larceny as a servant	2	..	..	..	2	..	..
Larceny by persons in the Public Service	2	..	..	..	2	..	..
Making false entries with intent to defraud	3	..	..	..	2	1	..
Receiving stolen property	6	..	..	2	3	1	..
Embezzlement	17	1	..	1	14	1	..
False pretences	2	..	..	1	..	1	..
Setting fire to a dwelling	*3	..	..	..	..	*3	..
Stealing letters sent by Post	7	1	..	5	1	..	..
Total	*59	4	..	15	32	*8	..
Offences against the Currency—							
Forging and uttering	3	..	..	..	2	1	..
Forgery (only)	1	..	..	..	..	1	..
Total	4	..	..	..	2	2	..
Offences against Good Order—							
Vagrancy	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Riot	2	1	..	1	..	..	..
Total	3	2	..	1	..	..	..
Offences not included in the preceding—							
Perjury	3	..	..	..	3	..	
Libel	1	1	..	..	..	..	
Conspiracy to defraud	3	..	..	2	1	..	
Total	7	1	..	2	4	..	
Total to 31st December, 1896 ..	†92	*9	..	*24	44	*	

* Including 1 female. † Including 3 females.

No. 50.—Persons Liberated during 1896 under Provisions of the First Offenders Probation Act.

Persons Convicted at Higher Courts, 1896.

Offences.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Offences against the Person—			
Manslaughter	1	....	1
Inflicting grievous bodily harm	1	....	1
Inflicting grievous bodily harm by wanton riding or driving	1	....	1
Bigamy	....	1	1
Sodomy, attempt at	1	....	1
Sending threatening letter ..	1	....	1
Wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm ..	2	....	2
Total	7	1	8
Offences against Property with Violence—			
Breaking and entering and stealing..	1	....	1
Maliciously injuring property	1	....	1
Feloniously killing or wounding sheep, cattle, or horses..	1	....	1
Total	3	....	3

Offences.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Offences against Property without Violence—			
Larceny	2	....	2
Stealing from a dwelling ..	2	....	2
Horse stealing	1	....	1
Sheep stealing	2	....	2
Embezzlement	1	....	1
Total	8	....	8
Forgery and Offences against the Currency—			
Forgery and uttering	2	....	2
Total	2	....	2
Offences not included in the preceding—			
Making a false statement on oath	....	2	2
Breach of Stamp Duties' Act	1	....	1
Total	1	2	3

Higher and Lower Courts.

Offences.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Higher Courts—			
Offences against the person	7	1	8
Offences against property with violence	3	....	3
Offences against property without violence	8	....	8
Forgery and offences against the currency	2	....	2
Offences against good order	....	....	....
Offences not included in the preceding	1	2	3
Total	21	3	24
* Lower Courts (Magistrates')—			
Metropolitan	6	1	7
Country	29	2	31
Total	35	3	38
Total Convicted at all Courts	56	6	62

First Offenders Probation Act of 1894 (57 Vic. No. 23).—Under the provisions of this Act any person, convicted on the first offence, may be set at liberty on certain conditions instead of being sent to prison. Although the sentence is passed in the usual form, the Court has power to suspend its execution, upon the offender entering into a recognizance, with or without sureties, for his good behaviour, for a period of not less than twelve months. The offender is examined for the purpose of future identification, and must report himself to the police at least once in every three months. Should he fail to do so, or seriously misconduct himself during the period of probation, he is liable to be arrested, the recognizance forfeited, and committed to prison to complete his sentence. If, however, his conduct shall have been satisfactory, he shall be discharged from the sentence, and the conviction for which it was imposed shall not be brought against him on any subsequent occasion.

Breaches of the Act.—During 1896 no offenders, who were at liberty under the provisions of the First Offenders Probation Act, had their recognizances forfeited.

* Particulars of Offences for which prisoners were convicted at Magistrates' Courts, and liberated under the provisions of the First Offenders Probation Act, are not available for 1895.

No. 51.—Disposal of all Persons brought before Magistrates in 1896, and deemed to be Insane.

District.	Persons brought before Magistrates' Courts and deemed to be Insane.			How disposed of.					
				Sent to Hospitals for Insane.			Discharged.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Metropolitan	221	71	292	106	45	151	115	26	141
Country	479	116	595	219	73	292	260	43	303
Total	700	187	887	325	118	443	375	69	444

Section III.—CIVIL JURISDICTION.

No. 52.—Lower Courts:—Particulars of Licenses which may be granted by Magistrates.

Class of License.	Act under which issued.	Period for which issued.	Date of expiration of License.	Annual Fee.	Amount collected, 1888.	Remarks.
				£	£	
Publican's	45 Vic. No. 14 and 46 Vic. No. 24.	1 year ..	12 months from issue.	15 and 30	90,031	If no other licensed house is 10 miles, and premises are sary for public accommo the license fee is reduced to
Packet	" ..	" ..	" ..	3 to 15	131	Passenger vessels under 25 pay £3; 250 and under 500 £10; 1,000 tons and over, £
Booth or Stand ..	" ..	Not exceeding 7 days, or including Christmas, 28 days.	At termination of period for which issued.	2 (For period for which issued.)	3,172	Issued to holder of pub license to sell liquor at an meeting or other place of amusement.
Colonial Wine, Cider and Perry.	" ..	1 year ..	12 months from issue.	3	1,682	For the sale of Wine, Cid Perry, the produce of fruit in an Australian colony in ities not exceeding gall
Brewer's	" ..	" ..	" ..	20 and 30	1,240	Within the City of Sydney is £30, and for places outsid They are renewable annu the Treasury on payment without application in The licensee st quantity than gall same kind of liquor at time.
Spirit Merchant's ..	" ..	" ..	" ..	20 and 30	5,430	
Auctioneer's General	11 Vic. No. 16	" ..	" ..	15	3,924	The General Licenses are av for all parts of the Colony District Licenses are available within Police District where District licenses not ne the Metropolitan District, Act 43 Vic. No. 3 (clause 2 sums received by the Colonia surer for licenses issued certificates granted by any of Petty Sessions held with City are paid over to the Ci and form part of the City Fu
District	" ..	" ..	" ..	2		
Pawnbroker's ..	13 Vic. No. 37	Not exceeding one year.	12 months from issue.	10	600	The hours for receiving pledg from a.m. to 9 p.m. with exceptions. No limit is plac the rate of interest chargeab
Hawker's & Pedlar's, trading on foot.	13 Vic. No. 36 and 26 Vic. No. 2.	" ..	31 Dec. ..	At the rate of £1 per annum.	2,545	The City Council formerly i Hawkers' Licenses, but he a rity do tested in Supreme Court and he ca sulting adversely none have issued since.
Hawker's & Pedlar's, with pack animals or vehicles.	" ..	" ..	" ..	At the rate of £2 per annum.		
Billiard	45 Vic. No. 24	1 year ..	" ..	10	6,828	License granted after 1st Jul any year is only chargeable one half the annual fee.
Bagatelle	" ..	" ..	" ..	10	50	

53.—Applications for Licenses made to Licensing Benches of Magistrates or Magistrates acting singly, 1896.

Class of License.	Act under which application is made.	Granted.	Refused.	Not proceeded with.	Total applications made.
METROPOLITAN.					
cans'—New	45 Vic. No. 14 and 46 Vic. No. 24	3	.....	3	6
Removals		.....	.....	.....	.....
Transfers		333	10	44	387
Renewals		802	9	9	820
Cancellations		1	.....	2	3
Conditional		1	3	6	10
ial Wine—New		56	23	33	112
Transfers...		34	2	7	43
Renewals...		215	.....	2	217
ers' and Spirit Merchants'—New		11	.....	.....	11
Transfers ...		1	.....	.....	1
ı or Stand		630	.....	2	632
t		18	.....	2	20
Permit		939	.....	1	940
Applications—Leave of Absence, Permis-on for Landlord's executors to carry on for rtain period, &c.		112	3	11	126
rd and Bagatelle—New	45 Vic. No. 24	92	.....	.....	92
Transfers		26	.....	5	31
Removals		.....	.....	.....	.....
oneers'	11 Vic. No. 16	175	.....	3	178
ers'	13 Vic. No. 36, 26 Vic. No 2	687	144	70	901
brokers'	13 Vic. No. 37	58	.....	1	59
and Stage Carriage	6 Wm. IV, No. 2	9	.....	.....	9
... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	.....	4,203	194	201	4,598
COUNTRY.					
ans'—New	45 Vic. No. 14 and 46 Vic. No. 24	86	18	15	119
Removals		20	2	1	23
Transfers		641	18	30	689
Renewals		2,333	16	21	2,370
Cancellations		12	2	.....	14
Conditional		87	22	23	82
ial Wine—New		64	29	10	103
Transfers		17	.....	.....	17
Renewals		223	6	4	233
rs' and Spirit Merchants'—New		15	1	.....	16
Transfers ...		10	.....	1	11
or Stand		1,050	10	5	1,065
t		1	.....	.....	1
Permit		803	27	8	838
Applications—Leave of Absence, Permis-n for Landlord's executors to carry on for tain period, &c.		136	7	3	146
l and Bagatelle—New	45 Vic. No. 24	489	3	17	509
Transfers		79	1	1	81
Removals		.....	.....	.....	.....
neers'	11 Vic. No. 16	847	9	11	867
ers'	13 Vic. No. 36, 26 Vic. No. 2	1,360	63	36	1,459
rokers'	13 Vic. No. 37	3	.....	1	
and Stage Carriage	6 Wm. IV, No. 2	972	7	12	99
... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Total	.....	9,198	241	199	9,638

No. 55.—Convictions for Breaches of Licensing Act during 1896.

District.	Convictions for selling— On Sundays, and keeping premises open during that day.	During prohibited hours other than Sundays.	Liquor without a License.	Adulterated liquor, including Convictions under "Adulteration of Foods Act."	Total Convictions obtained.
METROPOLITAN.					
ey—					
ntral Police Court..	10	10	1	...	21
ater Police Court...	50	7	6	...	63
town	13	1	1	1	16
ern	13	...	1	...	14
e	6	...	1	...	7
ain	2	1	...	...	3
ington	16	5	1	...	22
h Sydney	8	1	1	...	10
Total	118	25	12	1	156
COUNTRY.					
ry	4	3	...	...	7
dale	1	...	...	...	1
urst	2	2	...	...	4
... ...	...	1	...	...	1
gan	2	...	...	...	2
ra...	...	...	1	...	1
abri	...	...	1	...	1
ke	1	...	...	...	1
arrina	1	...	1	...	2
en Hill	27	4	...	...	31
endore	1	...	...	...	1
len	...	...	1	...	1
windra	1	...	...	...	1
r	2	1	1	...	4
obolin	...	1	...	...	1
a	...	...	1	...	1
amble	...	...	1	...	1
amundra	...	1	...	...	1
a	3	...	...	...	3
liquin	...	...	2	...	2
aan	1	...	...	...	1
o	1	..	...	...	1
aville	...	...	2	...	2
es	...	...	1	...	1
ton	1	1	...	...	2
... ...	...	1	...	...	1
edah	...	1	1	...	2
raves	...	1	...	...	1
... ...	1	...	...	...	1
ton	...	2	...	...	2
e	...	...	1	...	1
omba	...	1	...	...	1

District.	Convictions for selling— On Sundays, and keeping premises open during that day.	During prohibited hours other than Sundays.	Liquor without a License.	Adulterated liquor, including Convictions under "Adulteration of Foods Act."	Total Convictions obtained.
Kempsey	1	...	...	...	1
Kiama	...	1	...	...	1
Leadville	1	...	1	...	2
Lismore	2	...	...	...	2
Lithgow	...	1	4	...	5
Liverpool	1	...	...	...	1
Maitland West ...	...	3	...	...	3
Marsden's	1	...	...	...	1
Millie	...	...	2	...	2
Milton	1	2	...	...	3
Morpeth	3	...	...	...	3
Moss Vale	...	1	...	...	1
Mudgee	...	2	...	...	2
Narrandera	...	...	1	...	1
Newcastle	6	6	...	...	12
Nyngan...	1	1	...	...	2
Orange	2	2	...	...	4
Parkes	...	...	1	...	1
Parramatta	3	2	1	...	6
Penrith	...	...	1	...	1
Pilliga	...	...	1	...	1
Richmond	1	...	...	...	1
Ryde	...	...	1	...	1
Scone	1	...	...	...	1
Singleton	...	3	...	...	3
Stuart Town	...	...	1	...	1
Sunny Corner	3	...	...	...	3
Tamworth	1	...	...	...	1
Tarrawingee	3	...	...	...	3
Tenterfield	...	...	1	...	1
Trangie...	...	1	...	...	1
Tumut	1	...	...	...	1
Uralla	1	...	...	...	1
Urana	...	2	...	...	2
Walbundrie	...	...	2	...	2
Walgett	1	...	...	...	1
Wallsend and Plattsburg	2	2	...	...	4
Warren	...	3	...	...	3
Wellington	...	...	1	...	1
Wilcannia	1	...	...	...	1
Wollongong	...	1	4	...	5
Wyalong	...	1	...	...	1
Yass	...	1	...	...	1
Young	...	1	1	...	2
Total, Country ...	86	56	37	...	
Total, Metropolitan.	118	25	12		
New South Wales...	204	81	49		

No. 56.—Licenses issued during 1896.

District.	Booth or Stand.	Colonial Wine, Cider, and Perry.	Brewers'.	Spirit Merchants'.	Publicans'.	Pawn-brokers
Metropolitan	544	266	7	104	789	5
Albury	22	7	2	2	42	.....
Armidale	19	.....	1	3	24	.....
Ballina	9	5	.....	.....	25	.....
Balranald	4	.....	.....	2	13	.....
Barraba	5	1	.....	.....	5	.....
Bathurst	17	3	2	1	64	.....
Bega	17	2	1	1	19	.....
Bellingen	12	.....	.....	.....	9	.....
Berrima	11	1	.....	.....	21	.....
Bingara...	6	7	.....	.....	6	.....
Bombala	8	1	.....	.....	10	.....
Bourke	21	1	1	2	56	.....
Braidwood	9	1	.....	2	16	.....
Brewarrina	9	.....	.....	4	23	.....
Brisbane Water	5	.....	.....	.....	11	.....
Broken Hill	21	5	6	2	64	.....
Broulee...	8	.....	.....	.....	17	.....
Burrowa	8	6	.....	1	12	.....
Camden...	2	.....	.....	.....	6	.....
Campbelltown	2	.....	.....	.....	8	.....
Carcoar...	13	.....	1	.....	30	.....
Cassilis	4	1	.....	.....	15	.....
Cobar	9	.....	.....	2	27	.....
Condobolin	7	.....	1	.....	17	.....
Cooma	13	.....	.....	1	19	.....
Coonabarabran...	4	3	.....	1	12	.....
Coonamble	20	1	1	3	24	.....
Cootamundra	5	.....	2	1	18	.....
Copeland	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
Corowa	8	6	1	1	25	.....
Cowra	9	1	1	.....	15	.....
Deniliquin	17	.....	2	5	39	.....
Dowling	2	1	.....	.....	5	.....
Dubbo	21	2	2	2	68	.....
Dungog...	3	2	.....	.....	6	.....
Eden	4	1	.....	.....	10	.....
Emmaville	6	2	.....	.....	8	.....
Forbes	11	8	1	2	31	.....
Germanton	3	1	.....	2	7	.....
Glen Innes	5	6	.....	1	13	.....
Goulburn	18	8	2	4	56	.....
Grafton...	16	6	.....	2	37	.....
Grenfell	8	2	1	1	13	.....
Gundagai	12	1	1	.....	20	.....
Gunnedah	9	2	.....	.....	21	.....
Hartley...	6	.....	2	3	25	.....
Hay	11	1	2	4	33	.....
Hillgrove	9	.....	.....	.....	8	.....
Hillston	8	.....	1	4	28	.....
Hill End	2	.....	.....	.....	5	.....
Inverell...	6	16	1	2	25	.....
Jerilderie	11	3	.....	1	10	.....
Kiama	3	.....	.....	1	12	.....
Lismore	8	1	.....	.....	15	.....
Liverpool	31	4	.....	.....	15	.....
Maclean	7	.....	1	.....	15	.....
Macleay River...	6	2	.....	1	16	.....
Maitland	12	13	1	6	56	.....
Manning River	8	4	.....	.....	14	.....

No. 56.—Licenses issued during 1896—*continued.*

District.	Booth or Stand.	Colonial Wine, Cider, and Perry.	Brewers'.	Spirit Merchants'.	Publicans'.	Pawn-brokers'.
... ...	7	.....	.....	.....	11	.....
a	6	2	.....	1	19	.....
... ...	8	.....	1	1	32	.....
... ...	2	.....	.....	1	10	.....
... ...	9	.....	1	.....	21	.....
... ...	10	1	.....	.....	25	.....
... ...	15	9	1	4	38	.....
di	1	5	.....	.....	8	.....
rook	9	8	.....	1	10	.....
... ...	18	8	.....	.....	38	.....
ra	17	.....	1	2	21	.....
... ...	23	6	1	6	110	3
... ...	2	3	.....	1	7	.....
... ...	4	.....	.....	.....	16	.....
... ...	18	.....	2	1	37	.....
... ...	11	9	.....	.....	22	.....
ta	38	7	.....	2	41	.....
... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	5	.....
Plains	6	15	.....	1	19	.....
... ...	4	10	.....	1	27	.....
... ...	.....	1	.....	.....	7	.....
quarie	9	3	.....	.....	12	.....
hens	4	3	.....	.....	10	.....
an	6	.....	.....	.....	15	.....
... ...	6	2	.....	1	10	.....
Terrace	.....	2	.....	.....	5	.....
l River	14	1	.....	1	16	.....
... ...	2	5	.....	1	14	.....
... ...	3	.....	.....	1	4	.....
... ...	7	3	.....	.....	10	.....
n	13	.....	.....	.....	14	.....
... ...	5	.....	.....	.....	10	.....
... ...	13	9	1	4	37	.....
... ...	6	.....	1	1	28	.....
d	10	3	.....	.....	14	.....
a	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
nba	5	.....	1	1	8	.....
... ...	14	1	1	1	19	.....
ver	3	.....	.....	.....	19	.....
... ...	5	1	.....	.....	7	.....
... ...	2	.....	.....	.....	6	.....
'agga...	31	6	1	4	59	.....
... ...	.....	.....	.....	1	6	.....
... ...	7	.....	1	6	22	.....
and Plattsburg ...	8	3	.....	.....	58	.....
g	2	.....	.....	1	3	.....
... ...	4	.....	.....	1	18	.....
... ...	7	3	.....	.....	11	.....
n	16	6	1	.....	21	.....
h	7	1	1	.....	15	.....
... ...	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....
... ...	11	7	.....	2	21	.....
... ...	.....	3	.....	.....	1	.....
ng	9	3	.....	.....	26	.....
... ...	8	2	.....	.....	24	.....
... ...	9	2	.....	1	16	.....
... ...	18	2	2	2	36	.....
otals	1,586	561	61	227	3,176	61

No. 57.—Licenses in force on 31st December, 1896.

District.	Auctioneers' General.	Auctioneers' District.	Railway Refreshment.	Brandy Distillation.	Licenses under Distillation Act.	Billiard.	Bagr
Metropolitan	188	.....	.....	2	12	136	...
Albury	1	14	1	10	.....	7	....
Angledool	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Armidale	.....	22	1	.....	.....	9	....
Ballina	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	5	....
Balranald	2	2	.....	.....	.....	2	....
Barraba	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	....
Bathurst	.....	15	1	.....	.....	19	
Bega...	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	8	....
Bellingen	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	....
Berrigan	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Berrima	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	11	....
Bingara	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	2	....
Blayney	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	....
Boggabilla	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Bombala	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	4	....
Bourke	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	15	
Braidwood	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	4	....
Brewarrina	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	5	....
Brisbane Water	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	....
Broken Hill...	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	11	
Broulee	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	....
Burrowa	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	4	....
Camden	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	4	....
Campbelltown	.....	5	.....	7	.....	2	....
Carcoar	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	12	....
Cassilis	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	5	....
Cobar	1	11	.....	.....	.....	10	....
Collector	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Condobolin	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	3	....
Cooma	.....	8	.....	1	.....	6	...
Coonabarabran	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	2	...
Coonamble	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	9	...
Cootamundra	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	...
Copeland	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	...
Corowa	.....	5	.....	8	.....	5	...
Cowra	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	4	...
Crookwell	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Deniliquin	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	9	...
Dowling	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	...
Dubbo	.....	17	.....	.....	.....	22	...
Dungog	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	1	...
Eden	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	3	...
Emmaville	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	2	...
Forbes	.....	10	.....	2	.....	9	...
Germanton	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	2	...
Glen Innes	.....	6	1	1	.....	4	...
Goodooga	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Gosford	.....	2	1	.....	.....	.....	...
Goulburn	1	17	1	.....	.....	9	...
Grafton	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	3	...
Grenfell	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	2	...
Gundagai	.....	12	.....	1	.....	3	...
Gulgong	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Gundaroo	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Gunnedah	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	3	...
Gunning	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Harden	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	...
Hartley	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	5	...
Hay	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	8	...

No. 57.—Licenses in force on 31st December, 1896—*continued.*

District.	Auctioneers'		Railway Refreshment.	Brandy Distillation.	Licenses under Distillation Act.	Billiard.	Bagatelle.
	General.	District.					
ove	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
n	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	9	.....
nd	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
ng	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
ll	.....	13	.....	3	.....	10	.....
rie	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	7	.....
... ...	.....	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
... ...	1	4	.....	.....	.....	7	.....
w	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
e	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
ool	.....	3	.....	1	.....	3	.....
n	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
y River	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	7	.....
nd	4	17	.....	17	.....	7	1
ng River	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
die	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
inka	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
ll	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	9	.....
a	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
g	.....	9	.....	3	.....	3	.....
... ...	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	7	.....
a	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vale	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Victoria	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
e	.....	10	.....	2	.....	6	.....
la	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
rundi	.....	10	1	.....	.....	2	.....
ilumbah	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
llbrook	1	9	.....	2	.....	3	.....
ori	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	8	.....
ndera	.....	11	.....	1	.....	6	.....
stle	.....	21	1	.....	1	13	.....
e	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
gee	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
n	.....	2	1	.....	.....	1	.....
e	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	11	.....
la	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
... ...	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	8	.....
natta	1	14	.....	4	.....	12	.....
on	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
k's Plains	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
h	1	7	1	2	.....	8	.....
... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Macquarie	.....	8	.....	1	.....	2	.....
Stephens	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
beyan	.....	8	1	.....	.....	4	.....
di	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	.....
ond Terrace	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
ond River	.....	16	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
... ...	.....	2	.....	1	.....	1	.....
ne	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
... ...	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
aven	1	5	.....	.....	.....	5	.....
... ...	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
on	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
ton	.....	10	1	3	.....	.....	.....
a	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
orth	1	17	.....	3	.....	7	...
a	.....	4	.....	1	.....	3	..
field	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	4	.
burra	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.

No. 57.—Licenses in force on 31st December, 1896—*continued.*

District.	Auctioneers'		Railway Refreshment.	Brandy Distillation.	Licenses under Distillation Act.	Billiard.	Bag
	General.	District.					
Tumberumba	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	3	..
Tumut	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	5	..
Tweed River	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	..
Uralla	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	3	..
Urana	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2	..
Wagga Wagga	.....	13	.....	1	.....	16	..
Walcha	.....	5	.....	.....	1	3	..
Walgett	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	4	..
Wallsend and Plattsburg	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	11	..
Wanaaring	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	..
Warren	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	5	..
Warialda	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2	..
Wellington	1	6	1	1	.....	6	..
Wentworth	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	3	
Werris Creek	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	..
Wilcannia	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	1	..
Windsor	.....	8	.....	1	.....	6	..
Wollombi	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
Wollongong	.....	10	1	.....	.....	6	..
Wyalong	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	10	..
Yass	.....	5	1	.....	.....	4	..
Young	1	9	.....	.....	.....	10	..
Total	205	799	21	79	14	723	

No. 58.—Registration of Dogs.

Number Registered and Fees Collected, 1896.

District.	Dogs Registered.	Fees Collected.		
		Dog Tax.	Dog Forms Sold.	Total.
	No.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s.
Metropolitan	37,159	4,644 17 6	.....	4,644 17
Country	84,574	10,571 15 0	243 1 9	10,814 16
Total...	121,733	15,216 12 6	243 1 9	15,459 14

Fees Collected, 1882–96.

Year.	Fees from Dog Tax.	Year.	Fees from Dog Tax.	Year.	Fees from Dog Tax.
	£		£		£
1882	8,802	1887	12,561	1892	13,464
1883	9,274	1888	13,190	1893	14,243
1884	10,952	1889	13,775	1894	14,086
1885	10,743	1890	13,264	1895	14,855
1886	10,373	1891	13,749	1896	15,460

No. 59.—Local Option Vote, 1895–97.

Voting.—Although the Local Option Vote is taken triennially in every Municipality or Ward of a e year when it is taken is not necessarily the same.

unicipality or Ward.	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
City of Sydney.					
Vard	1897	Against.	185	In favour.	186
"	1897	Against.	76	Against.	76
"	1897	Against.	901	Against.	813
"	1897	Against.	227	In favour.	229
"	1897	Against.	267	In favour.	270
"	1897	In favour.	383	Against.	382
"	1897	Against.	32	Against.	32
"	1897	Against.	59	Against.	57
Total	.....	.....	2,130	.....	2,045
Suburbs.					
—					
Ward	1897	In favour.	13	Against.	9
"	1897	Against.	18	Against.	19
"	1897	In favour.	47	In favour.	41
field "	1897	Against.	95	Against.	86
... ...	1895	Against.	171	Against.	171
Vard	1897	Against.	62	Against.	63
"	1897	Against.	216	Against.	212
"	1897	Against.	341	Against.	337
est Ward	1897	Against.	553	In favour.	484
ıst "	1897	Against.	233	Against.	223
ıst "	1897	In favour.	181	In favour.	166
"	1897	Against.	363	In favour.	364
Ward	1895	Against.	34	Against.	37
"	1895	In favour.	7	Against.	7
"	1895	In favour.	35	Against.	34
Vard	1897	Against.	58	Against.	56
"	1897	Against.	60	Against.	62
"	1897	Against.	32	Against.	32
n—					
'ard	1897	Against.	75	Against.	75
"	1897	Against.	134	In favour.	134
"	1897	In favour.	12	In favour.	12
—					
Vard	1897	Against.	114	Against.	112
"	1897	Against.	106	Against.	105
"	1897	Against.	17	In favour.	17
"	1897	Against.	10	Against.	10
... ...	1897	Against.	32	Against.	32
s—					
oyne Ward	1897	In favour.	5	In favour.	5
"	1897	Against.	69	Against.	69
ead "	1897	Against.	11	In favour.	11
Ward...	1897	Against.	59	Against.	55
"	1897	Against.	9	In favour.	7
"	1897	In favour.	5	In favour.	

No. 59.—Local Option Vote, 1895–97—*continued.*

Municipality or Ward.	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
		SUBURBS—*continued.*			
Erskineville—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	88	In favour.	8
Middle „	1897	Against.	63	Against.	6
South „	1897	Against.	7	Against.	
Five Dock...	1897	Against.	29	Against.	2
Glebe—					
Outer Glebe Ward	1897	Against.	9	Against.	
Bishopthorpe „	1897	Against.	185	Against.	18
Forest Lodge „	1897	Against.	124	In favour.	12
Inner Glebe „	1897	Against.	15	Against.	1
Hunter's Hill—					
West Ward	1897	Against.	36	In favour.	3
Central „	1897	(No vote taken.)			
East „	1897	In favour.	2	In favour.	
Hurstville—					
Hurstville Ward	1897	Against.	182	Against.	18
Bexley „	1897	Against.	140	Against.	1
Peakhurst „	1897	In favour.	53	In favour.	7
Ingleburn	1897	(No vote taken.)			
Kogarah—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	7	Against.	
Middle „	1897	Against.	40	Against.	3
West „	1897	Against.	15	Against.	1
Lane Cove...	1896	Against.	21	In favour.	1
Leichhardt—					
Norton Ward	1897	In favour.	9	Against.	9
Wentworth „	1897	Against.	419	In favour.	31
Kendall „	1897	In favour.	30	In favour.	2
Cook „	1897	Against.	193	Against.	17
Manly—					
Steyne Ward	1897	Against.	131	Against.	12
Fairlight „	1897	Against.	82	Against.	8
Wentworth „	1897	Against.	120	Against.	12
Marrickville—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	199	Against.	20
West „	1897	Against.	19	In favour.	1
North „	1897	Against.	238	Against.	23
South „	1897	Against.	267	Against.	27
Marsfield—					
East Ward	1895	Against.	45	Against.	4
West „	1895	Against.	81	In favour.	7
Mosman—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	162	Against.	21
West „	1897	Against.	83	Against.	8
East „	1897	Against.	2	Against.	1
Newtown—					
Camden Ward	1897	Against.	108	Against.	10
Enmore „	1897	Against.	21	Against.	2
Kingston „	1897	Against.	145	Against.	14
O'Connell „	1897	Against.	25	Against.	2
North Botany—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	149	In favour.	15
Central „	1896	Against.	2	In favour.	1
South „	1896	In favour.	4	In favour.	4
North Sydney—					
Victoria Ward	1897	Against.	60	Against.	6
Kirribilli „	1897	In favour.	30	In favour.	3
Belmore „	1897	Against.	272	Against.	25
Tunks „	1897	Against.	28	Against.	27
Warringa „	1897	Against.	33	Against.	31

No. 59.—Local Option Vote, 1895–97—*continued.*

nicipality or Ward.	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
		SUBURBS—*continued.*			
'ard...	1897	In favour.	66	Against.	67
,, ...	1897	Against.	115	In favour.	116
,, ...	1897	Against.	119	Against.	118
,, ...	1897	Against.	65	Against.	65
e Ward	1897	Against.	32	Against.	32
,, ...	1897	Against.	12	Against.	12
gston ,, ...	1897	Against.	115	Against.	115
,, ...	1897	Against.	275	Against.	273
rd	1897	Against.	31	Against.	31
,, ...	1897	Against.	10	In favour.	10
,, ...	1897	In favour.	35	Against.	33
,, ...	1897	Against.	62	Against.	63
s Ward	1897	In favour.	20	In favour.	20
,, ...	1897	Against.	108	Against.	108
,, ...	1897	Against.	3	Against.	3
'ove ,, ...	1897	Against.	12	Against.	12
Ward	1897	Against.	8	In favour.	8
,, ...	1897	Against.	23	Against.	23
gh ,, ...	1897	Against.	27	Against.	27
d	1897	Against.	50	Against.	51
... ...	1897	Against.	35	Against.	34
... ...	1897	Against.	50	Against.	51
Ward	1897	Against.	174	In favour.	168
er ,, ...	1897	Against.	107	Against.	94
,, ...	1897	Against.	51	Against.	48
Ward	1895	In favour.	18	In favour.	16
,, ...	1895	Against.	5	Against.	5
n ,, ...	1895	Against.	4	Against.	4
... ...	1896	Against.	89	Against.	87
rd	1897	Against.	37	Against.	35
... ...	1897	Against.	80	Against.	77
... ...	1897	Against.	57	Against.	53
... ...	1897	Against.	61	Against.	53
'ard...	1897	Against.	158	Against.	159
,, ...	1897	Against.	226	Against.	219
,, ...	1897	Against.	32	Against.	33
,, ...	1897	Against.	39	Against.	40
Ward	1897	Against.	170	Against.	170
arbour ,, ...	1897	Against.	67	In favour.	56
n ,, ...	1897	Against.	11	Against.	11
Ward	1897	Against.	4	In favour.	4
,, ...	1897	In favour.	14	In favour.	14
,, ...	1897	In favour.	1	Against.	1
y ,, ...	1897	Against.	66	Against.	66
'otal	.....	.....	9,894	.....	9,399

No. 59.—Local Option Vote, 1895-97—*continued.*

Municipality or Ward.	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Public Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total ca
		COUNTRY.			
Aberdeen	1896	Against.	5	Against.	
Adamstown—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	1	Against.	
East „	1897	In favour.	50	In favour.	
South „	1897	Against.	11	Against.	
Albury	1897	Against.	280	In favour.	
Armidale—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	78	Against.	
Central „	1897	Against.	18	In favour.	
West „	1897	Against.	61	In favour.	
Auburn—					
North Ward	1896	Against.	38	In favour.	
East „	1896	Against.	77	Against.	
West „	1896	Against.	45	Against.	
Ballina	1895	In favour.	54	In favour.	
Balranald	1896	Against.	21	Against.	
Bankstown	1896	Against.	91	Against.	
Bathurst—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	6	In favour.	
East „	1897	Against.	2	In favour.	
West „	1897	Against.	9	Against.	
South „	1897	Against.	12	Against.	
Bega	1896	Against.	75	Against.	
Berry	1897		(No vote taken.)		
Bingara	1897	In favour.	45	Against.	
Blayney	1896	In favour.	27	In favour.	
Bombala	1895	Against.	25	In favour.	
Bourke—					
East Ward	1897	In favour.	51	In favour.	
Central „	1897	In favour.	94	In favour.	
West „	1897	Against.	50	In favour.	
Bowral—					
Glebe Ward	1897	Against.	19	Against.	
Oxley „	1897	Against.	26	In favour.	
Merilbah „	1897	Against.	14	Against.	
Braidwood	1895	Against.	88	Against.	
Broken Hill	1896	Against.	345	In favour.	
Broughton Vale	1897	Against.	44	Against.	
Burrowa	1896	Against.	8	In favour.	
Cabramatta and Canley Vale—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	54	In favour.	
West „	1897	Against.	35	In favour.	
Camden	1896	Against.	116	Against.	
Campbelltown	1897	Against.	63	Against.	
Carcoar	1897	Against.	23	Against.	
Carrington	1897	Against.	170	Against.	
Casino	1897	Against.	2	Against.	
Castlereagh	1896	In favour.	71	In favour.	
Cobar	1897	In favour.	66	In favour.	
Condobolin	1897	Against.	62	Against.	
Cooma	1897	In favour.	10	In favour.	
Coonamble	1897	In favour.	58	In favour.	
Cootamundra	1897	Against.	124	In favour.	
Coraki	1897		(No vote taken.)		
Cowra	1895	In favour.	64	In favour.	
Cudal	1897	Against.	7	Against.	
Cudgegong	1897	In favour.	66	In favour.	

No. 59.—Local Option Vote, 1895–97—*continued.*

Municipality or Ward.	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
COUNTRY—*continued.*					
— Ward	1897	Against.	13	In favour.	13
,, ...	1897	Against.	36	In favour.	34
,, ...	1897	Against.	46	In favour.	46
Ward	1897	Against.	33	Against.	33
,, ...	1897	In favour.	46	In favour.	47
,, ...	1897	Against.	25	Against.	25
Ward	1897	Against.	44	Against.	37
,, ...	1896	Against.	9	Against.	9
... ...	1897	Against.	38	Against.	38
ge— west Ward	1895	Against.	33	Against.	32
west ,, ...	1895	In favour.	1	In favour.	2
,, ...	1895	Against.	4	Against.	6
ı and Rydalmere	1895	Against.	28	Against.	28
... ...	1896	In favour.	15	In favour.	15
g	1897	Against.	13	Against.	12
s— Ward	1897	Against.	96	Against.	96
l ,, ...	1897	Against.	30	Against.	30
,, ...	1897	In favour.	21	In favour.	21
Ward	1897	Against.	1	Against.	1
,, ...	1897	Against.	18	In favour.	17
— l Ward...	1897	Against.	6	Against.	5
,, ...	1897	Against.	6	Against.	6
,, ...	1897	Against.	8	Against.	8
,, ...	1897	Against.	3	Against.	3
Ward	1897	In favour.	65	In favour.	72
,, ...	1897	In favour.	74	In favour.	73
,, ...	1897	Against.	3	Against.	3
,, ...	1897	Against.	5	Against.	5
— Ward	1897	Against.	85	In favour.	84
,, ...	1897	Against.	22	Against.	21
,, ...	1897	Against.	120	Against.	119
,, ...	1897	Against.	53	Against.	53
... ...	1897	In favour.	65	In favour.	64
... ...	1897	Against.	21	Against.	21
... ...	1897	In favour.	4	Against.	4
... ...	1897	Against.	19	In favour.	18
... ...	1895	Against.	28	Against.	28
... ...	1897	Against.	78	In favour.	75
Ward	1897	Against.	52	Against.	50
,, ...	1897	In favour.	47	In favour.	47
,, ...	1897	Against.	47	In favour.	45
... ...	1897	In favour.	6	In favour.	5
... ...	1896	In favour.	30	Against.	31
Central— Ward	1897	.....	.....	.....	.....
,, ...	1897	.....	.....	.....	.....
,, ...	1897	In favour.	9	In favour.	9

No. 59.—Local Option Vote, 1895–97—*continued.*

Municipality or Ward.	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
		COUNTRY—*continued.*			
Illawarra, North—					
Middle Ward	1897	Against.	4	Against.	8
North „	1897	Against.	7	Against.	7
South „	1897	Against.	87	Against.	85
Inverell—					
South Ward	1897	.....	.....	.....	.....
East „	1897	Against.	2	In favour.	2
West „	1897	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jamberoo—					
North Ward	1897	In favour.	3	Against.	3
South „	1897	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central „	1897	Against.	5	Against.	5
Jerilderie	1896	Against.	30	Against.	3[illegible]
Junee—					
North Ward	1895	Against.	32	Against.	3[illegible]
South „	1895	Against.	52	Against.	4[illegible]
East „	1895	Against.	36	Against.	3[illegible]
Katoomba	1897	Against.	112	Against.	10[illegible]
Kempsey	1895	Against.	42	In favour.	6
Kiama	1897	Against.	147	Against.	13[illegible]
Lambton	1897	In favour.	99	In favour.	4[illegible]
Lismore	1897	Against.	13	In favour.	1[illegible]
Lithgow	1896	Against.	126	Against.	12[illegible]
Liverpool—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	102	In favour.	10[illegible]
South „	1897	Against.	14	Against.	1[illegible]
West „	1897	Against.	47	In favour.	4[illegible]
Maclean	1897	Against.	61	In favour.	5[illegible]
Maitland, East	1897	Against.	19	Against.	2[illegible]
Maitland, West	1897	Against.	101	In favour.	9[illegible]
Merewether	1897	Against.	66	Against.	6[illegible]
Mittagong...	1897	Against.	54	Against.	4[illegible]
Moama	1895	Against.	79	In favour.	7[illegible]
Molong	1897	In favour.	64	In favour.	6[illegible]
Moree	1895	Against.	49	Against.	4[illegible]
Morpeth	1895	Against.	9	In favour.	[illegible]
Moruya	1895	Against.	49	Against.	4[illegible]
Moss Vale	1895	Against.	83	In favour.	8[illegible]
Mudgee	1897	In favour.	181	In favour.	1[illegible]
Mulgoa	1897	Against.	9	Against.	[illegible]
Murrumburrah—					
Murrumburrah Ward	1897	Against.	60	Against.	[illegible]
Harden „	1897	In favour.	29	In favour.	[illegible]
Demondrille „	1897	Against.	14	In favour.	[illegible]
Murrurundi	1897	Against.	93	Against.	[illegible]
Muswellbrook	1897	In favour.	148	Against.	1[illegible]
Narrabri—					
South Ward	1897	Against.	38	Against.	[illegible]
North „	1897	Against.	5	Against.	[illegible]
Dangar „	1897	Against.	2	In favour.	[illegible]
Narrandera	1895	Against.	35	In favour.	[illegible]
Newcastle—					
City Ward	1897	Against.	165	In favour.	2[illegible]
Honeysuckle Ward	1897	Against.	96	Against.	9[illegible]
Macquarie „	1897	Against.	62	Against.	6[illegible]
Belmore „	1897	Against.	98	In favour.	9[illegible]

No. 59.—Local Option Vote—1895-97—*continued.*

Municipality or Ward	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
COUNTRY—*continued.*					
ıbton—					
Ward	1896	In favour.	7	In favour.	7
l „	1896	Against.	2	In favour.	2
„	1896	In favour.	1	In favour.	1
Ward	1897	Against.	18	Against.	18
ıl „	1897	Against.	45	In favonr.	45
„	1897	In favour.	4	In favour.	4
... ...	1895	Against.	64	In favour.	64
; Ward	1897	Against.	99	Against.	98
·ia „	1897	Against.	91	In favour.	87
ıgton „	1897	Against.	57	In favour.	56
... ...	1895	In favour.	162	In favour.	154
ta—					
'son Ward	1897	In favour.	15	In favour.	15
·en „	1897	Against.	21	Against.	21
„	1897	Against.	10	In favour.	10
ıt „	1897	Against.	15	In favour.	15
... ...	1896	In favour.	90	Against.	79
Ward	1897	Against.	39	Against.	40
„	1897	Against.	32	Against.	32
reagh Ward	1897	Against.	11	Against.	11
... ...	1896	Against.	82	In favour.	82
g...	1897	In favour.	21	In favour.	21
quarie	1897	Against.	88	In favour.	88
and Sherwood	1897	In favour.	66	In favour.	65
'an	1897	Against.	84	In favour.	84
... ...	1895	In favour.	22	In favour.	22
Terrace	1897	Against.	60	In favour.	59
l...	1897	Against.	12	Against.	12
l—					
Ward	1897	Against.	37	In favour.	36
ıl „	1897	In favour.	87	Against.	85
„	1897	In favour.	107	In favour.	104
... ...	1896	Against.	39	Against.	39
our	1897	Against.	70	In favour.	70
... ...	1897		(No vote taken.)		
... ...	1897	In favour.	59	In favour.	59
l and Fairfield—					
ect Ward	1895	Against.	29	Against.	29
field „	1895	Against.	8	Against.	8
eld „	1895	Against.	4	Against.	4
ıalhaven	1896	In favour.	36	In favour.	53
ıgleton	1895	Against.	20	Against.	20
s—					
Ward	1897	Against.	13	In favour.	13
ıl „	1897	Against.	8	In favour.	8
„	1897	In favour.	27	In favour.	27
... ...	1896	Against.	88	In favour.	88
h—					
ı Ward	1897	Against.	20	In favour.	20
„	1897	Against.	10	Against.	10
„	1897	Against.	44	Against.	44
„	1897	Against.	10	In favour.	10

No. 59.—Local Option Vote, 1895–97—*continued.*

Municipality or Ward.	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
Country—*continued.*					
Taree	1897	Against.	55	Against.	55
Temora	1897	In favour.	67	In favour.	67
Tenterfield—					
North Ward	1897	In favour.	6	In favour.	5
South „	1897	In favour.	53	In favour.	55
West „	1897	In favour.	13	In favour.	13
Tumut	1897	In favour.	89	In favour.	80
Ulladulla—					
Milton Ward	1897	Against.	7	Against.	7
Ulladulla „	1897	In favour.	8	In favour.	8
Nurrawallee Ward	1897	Against.	2	Against.	2
Ulmarra—					
North Ward	1897	In favour.	2	In favour.	2
South „	1897	Against.	4	In favour.	4
East „	1897	Against.	1	Against.	1
Uralla	1895	Against.	51	Against.	52
Wagga Wagga—					
South Ward	1897	Against.	57	In favour.	56
East „	1897	Against.	111	In favour.	108
North „	1897	.....	.....	.....	.....
Walcha	1896	Against.	28	Against.	26
Wallendbeen	1897	In favour.	6	Against.	6
Wallsend—					
Pittown Ward	1897	In favour.	25	In favour.	24
Brookstown Ward	1897	In favour.	26	In favour.	20
Central „	1897	Against.	106	In favour.	98
Waratah	1897	Against.	217	In favour.	213
Warren	1896	In favour.	49	In favour.	49
Wellington	1897	In favour.	155	In favour.	142
Wentworth	1897	Against.	3	In favour.	3
West Narrabri	1897		(No vote taken.)		
Wickham—					
Wickham Ward	1897	Against.	133	Against.	125
Islington „	1897	Against.	23	Against.	22
North Wickham Ward	1897	Against.	90	Against.	87
Tighe's Hill Ward	1897	Against.	70	Against.	70
Wilcannia	1897	In favour.	108	In favour.	108
Windsor—					
North Ward	1897	In favour.	5	In favour.	5
Central „	1897	Against.	36	Against.	34
South „	1897	Against.	54	Against.	54
Wingham	1896	Against.	1	.....	.....
Wollongong—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	55	In favour.	51
East „	1897	Against.	97	Against.	97
West „	1897	Against.	24	Against.	3[illegible]
Yass—					
Hume Ward	1897	Against.	13	In favour.	2[illegible]
Hardy „	1897	Against.	3	Against.	3
O'Brien „	1897	In favour.	2	In favour.	2
Young	1895	In favour.	128	In favour.	2
Total	.....	.....	10,905	.....	10,[illegible]

No. 60.—Lower Courts: Adjudications and Orders of Justices, 1896.

Classification.	Orders made.		No orders made after evidence.		Cases withdrawn, &c.		Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.			
METROPOLITAN.									
maintenance—Wife	233	..	66	..	152	..	451	..	451
Child	172	..	30	..	99	..	301	..	301
ying order for maintenance	5	..	4	..	..	..	9	..	9
detention of property	163	84	59	34	121	76	343	194	537
fraudulently removing goods to evade distress for rent	8	2	16	7	57	23	81	32	113
ler—Children's Protection Act	2	1	..	..	..	..	2	1	3
Apprentices Act	4	2	1	..	2	1	7	3	10
Industrial Schools Act	84	25	49	10	9	1	142	36	178
Masters and Servants Act (Non-payment of Wages, &c.)	81	9	50	1	60	14	191	24	215
Public Instruction Act (Non-payment of School Fees)	6	..	..	..	1	..	7	..	7
Nuisances Prevention Act	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Tenancy Act	1,145	278	26	10	340	99	1,511	387	1,898
Diseases in Sheep and Stock Acts	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Land Acts	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Municipalities Act	103	6	..	1	342	26	445	33	478
Prohibition	6	1	..	..	2	..	8	1	9
Other Acts	6	2	42	19	7	2	55	23	78
Total	2,019	410	343	82	1,192	242	3,554	734	4,288
COUNTRY.									
maintenance—Wife	90	..	48	..	97	..	235	..	235
Child	224	..	38	1	166	1	428	2	430
ying order for maintenance	5	..	1	..	4	..	10	..	10
detention of property	159	16	80	7	91	9	330	32	362
fraudulently removing goods to evade distress for rent	7	..	11	2	13	1	31	3	34
ler—Children's Protection Act	8	2	..	..	1	..	9	2	11
Apprentices Act	28	6	8	..	3	..	39	6	45
Industrial Schools Act	49	35	6	1	2	3	57	39	96
Masters and Servants Act (Non-payment of Wages, &c.)	524	13	163	10	314	14	1,001	37	1,038
Public Instruction Act (Non-payment of School Fees)	105	..	2	..	55	1	162	1	163
Nuisances Prevention Act	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tenancy Act	56	10	11	1	46	5	113	16	129
Diseases in Sheep and Stock Acts	19	5	..	..	22	1	41	6	47
Land Acts	5	..	..	..	3	..	8	..	8
Municipalities Act	32	1	1	..	43	..	76	1	77
Prohibition	71	4	5	..	24	4	100	8	108
Other Acts	85	9	76	11	12	2	173	22	195
Total	1,467	101	450	33	896	41	2,813	175	2,988
NEW SOUTH WALES.									
maintenance—Wife	323	..	114	..	249	..	686	..	686
Child	396	..	68	1	265	1	729	2	731
ying order for maintenance	10	..	5	..	4	..	19	..	19
detention of property	322	100	139	41	212	85	673	226	899
fraudulently removing goods to evade distress for rent	15	2	27	9	70	24	112	35	147
er—Children's Protection Act	10	3	..	..	1	..	11	3	14
Apprentices Act	32	8	9	..	5	1	46	9	55
Industrial Schools Act	133	60	55	11	11	4	199	75	274
Masters and Servants Act (Non-payment of Wages, &c.)	605	22	213	11	374	28	1,192	61	1,253
Public Instruction Act (Non-payment of School Fees)	111	..	2	..	56	1	169	1	170
Nuisances Prevention Act	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Tenancy Act	1,201	288	37	11	386	104	1,624	403	2,027
Diseases in Sheep and Stock Acts	19	5	..	..	22	1	41	6	47
Land Acts	5	..	..	..	3	..	8	..	8
Municipalities Act	135	7	1	1	385	26	521	34	555
Prohibition	77	5	5	..	26	4	108	9	117
Other Acts	91	11	118	30	19	4	228	45	273
Total	3,486	511	793	115	2,088	283	6,367	909	7,276

Adjudications and Orders are, as a rule, classified as coming within Civil Jurisdiction. There are, however, lications and Orders which come within the range of Quasi-Criminal Jurisdiction, and are treated accordingly. The given above include all Adjudications and Orders, as in no instance can the defendant be peremptorily imprisoned, econd proceeding must be taken before this can be effected.

No. 61.—Persons brought before Lower Courts for non-compliance with Orde 1896.

Offences of Persons brought before Magistrates' Courts for not finding Sureties for fulfilment of and non-compliance with orders.	Persons brought before the Court— By Arrest. M.	By Arrest. F.	By Summons. M.	By Summons. F.	Persons whose Cases were withdrawn or discharged. M.	F.	Orders subsequently complied with. M.	F.	Imprison M.
METROPOLITAN.									
Wages	1	...	13	...	7	...	2	...	5
Maintenance	52	...	306	2	296	2	23	...	39
Detention of property	...	...	24	12	15	8	4	2	5
School fees	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Other (costs, &c.)...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...
Total, Metropolitan	53	...	347	14	321	10	29	2	50
COUNTRY.									
Wages	1	...	22	...	10	...	1	...	12
Maintenance	25	...	108	...	80	...	17	...	36
Detention of property	...	...	5	1	2	...	2	...	1
School fees	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other (costs, &c.)...	1	...	10	...	8	...	...	...	3
Failing to find Sureties of the Peace ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
Total, Country	27	...	145	2	100	...	20	1	52
NEW SOUTH WALES.									
Wages	2	...	35	...	17	...	3	...	17
Maintenance	77	...	414	2	376	2	40	...	75
Detention of property	...	...	29	13	17	8	6	2	6
School fees	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Other (costs, &c.)...	1	...	13	...	11	...	...	...	3
Failing to find Sureties of the Peace ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
Total, New South Wales	80	...	492	16	421	10	49	3	102

No. 62.—Lower Courts—Small Debts Cases, 1896.

How dealt with.	Under £1.	£1 and under £5.	£5 to £10 inclusive.	Over £10 and under £15.	£15 and under £20.	£20 to £30 inclusive.	Total.
METROPOLITAN.							
icts for Plaintiffs	1,464	3,496	1,143	.....	.....	.....	6,103
Do Defendants	28	122	57	.....	.....	.....	207
in which persons were non-suited ...	14	61	27	.....	.....	.....	102
withdrawn or struck out	1,084	2,086	724	1	.....	.....	3,895
Total Metropolitan	2,590	5,765	1,951	1	.....	.....	10,307
COUNTRY.							
icts for Plaintiffs	1,081	5,010	2,246	582	308	325	9,552
Do Defendants	49	204	134	37	13	23	460
in which persons were non-suited ...	35	149	119	41	22	29	395
withdrawn or struck out	885	3,562	1,500	361	163	193	6,664
Total Country	2,050	8,925	3,999	1,021	506	570	17,071
WHOLE COLONY.							
icts for Plaintiffs	2,545	8,506	3,389	582	308	325	15,655
Do Defendants	77	326	191	37	13	23	667
in which persons were non-suited ...	49	210	146	41	22	29	497
withdrawn or struck out	1,969	5,648	2,224	362	163	193	10,559
Total, New South Wales ...	4,640	14,690	5,950	1,022	506	570	27,378

o. 63.—Garnishee, Interpleader Cases, &c. (Small Debts Court), 1896.

District.	Garnishee Cases.	Interpleader Cases.	New Trial Applications.	Examination of Judgment Debtors.
politan	264	64	22	77
try	1,020	134	8	25
Total	1,284	198	30	102

arnishee Cases.—The Court may, upon the *ex parte* application of any creditor obtaining a judgment, order that due by a third person (the garnishee) to the defendant shall be attached to meet the judgment debt, and may, by ment order, direct the garnishee to pay as much of the amount owing by him as will be sufficient to satisfy the t debt.

terpleader Cases.—When a claim is made to goods held under a writ of execution by a person not party to the Court may, upon application to the bailiff, decide the claim.

ew Trial Applications.—When a judgment has been given against the defendant in his absence the Court may de and grant a new trial.

amination of Judgment Debtors.—The Court may, on the application of a judgment creditor, order the t debtor to be orally examined as to whether any and what debts are owing to him.

No. 64.—Sheriff's Office.

Transactions, 1896.

Classification.	Number.	Amount involved.	Amount received.	Fees paid.
		£	£	£ s. d.
Facias (Fi. Fa.)	656	152,369	7,172	104 11 5
e Facias Possessionem (Ha. Fa.)	54	.....	.....	10 6 0
s ad Respondendum (Ca. Re.)	39	8,384	111	20 13 6
s ad Satisfaciendum (Ca. Sa.)	6	668	.....	2 8 0
hment	16	2,167	.....	7 9 0
vin	.....	.....	.....	.....
and Estreats	306	3,251	492	.....
of Summons—Supreme Court—for service ...	830	.....	.....	226 19 3

No. 65.—District Courts—Transactions, 1888-97.

Year ending 1st March.	Summonses.					Total amount sued for. £	Causes tried. Verdict for—	
	Causes Tried.	Causes settled without hearing, and not proceeded with.	Causes referred by parties to arbitration.	Causes left in arrear.	Total summonses issued.		Plaintiff.	Defendant.
1888	5,575	5,055	3	610	11,243	299,433	5,006	569
1889	5,567	4,520	7	476	10,570	290,454	4,983	584
1890	6,320	3,768	19	2,724	12,831	331,098	5,707	613
1891	6,352	6,799	7	317	13,475	311,691	5,804	548
1892	5,962	6,817	11	704	13,494	335,528	5,379	583
1893	6,299	6,630	4	513	13,446	323,888	5,734	565
1894	5,839	5,549	8	321	11,717	297,106	5,293	546
1895	4,689	4,000	8	281	8,978	224,364	4,221	468
1896	4,766	3,574	9	221	8,570	214,420	4,343	423
1897	4,170	3,214	4	200	7,588	178,681	3,770	400

No. 66.—Nature of Transactions of District Courts, year ended 1st March

Nature of Causes.	Summonses.					Total amount sued for. £	Causes tried. Verdict for—	
	Causes Tried.	Causes settled without hearing, and not proceeded with.	Causes referred by parties to arbitration.	Causes left in arrear.	Total summonses issued.		Plaintiff	Defendant.
SYDNEY.								
*Sydney District Court ...	2,324	1,911	2	...	4,237	80,106	2,142	182
COURTS OUTSIDE METROPOLIS.								
Goods sold	734	550	2	98	1,384	22,043	705	29
Promissory Notes	251	154	...	22	427	14,786	241	10
Rent	72	38	...	7	117	2,767	64	8
Board and Lodging	10	16	...	2	28	381	9	1
Trespass on Land	31	22	...	1	54	3,619	22	9
Trespass on Person	8	4	...	2	14	1,915	5	3
Illegal Distraint	5	1	...	...	6	760	...	5
Trover	10	7	...	...	17	862	8	2
Breach of Contract	54	19	...	7	80	7,453	31	23
Wages, Work, and Labour ...	220	160	...	27	407	8,873	184	36
Libel, Slander, and Defamation	57	33	...	3	93	14,818	37	20
Commission on Agency ...	10	7	...	...	17	444	7	3
Sales of Live Stock	9	4	...	1	14	330	9	...
Money Lent	99	60	...	5	164	5,916	92	7
Partnership	Nil	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
Interpleader	11	2	...	...	13	48	6	5
Intestacy	Nil	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
Legacy	1	.....	...	...	1	50	...	1
Possession of Tenements ...	2	2	...	...	4	...	2	...
Replevin	Nil	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...
Consent Jurisdiction	1	1	...	...	2	200	1	...
Causes of Action not specified above	261	223	...	25	509	13,310	205	56
Total	1,846	1,303	2	200	3,351	98,575	1,628	218
NEW SOUTH WALES.								
Total	4,170	3,214	4	200	7,588	178,681	3,770	400

Sydney District Court.—The transactions of this Court under the heading of each cause, were not ava

7.—Transanctions of each District Court, Year ended 1st March, 1897.

rict Court Year.—Under the provisions of Section 103 of the "District Courts Act of 1858" (22 Vic. No. 18), the urt Year ends on the 1st March.

istrict.	Summonses. Causes Tried.	Causes settled without hearing, and not proceeded with.	Causes referred by parties to arbitration.	Causes left in arrear.	Total Summonses Issued.	Total amount sued for. £	Causes Tried. Verdict for— Plaintiff.	Defendant.	The costs of the suits. £
METROPOLITAN, SUBURBAN, AND HUNTER.									
.. .. ..	2,324	1,911	2	.....	4,237	80,106	2,142	182	6,496
own	14	7	.....	4	25	391	11	3	51
.. .. ..	80	28	.....	19	127	3,225	74	6	261
ook	19	14	.....	.....	33	801	17	2	22
.. .. ..	90	72	.....	.....	162	3,836	81	9	327
a	68	38	.....	3	109	2,542	59	9	222
.. .. ..	24	17	.....	.....	41	683	19	5	102
.. .. ..	41	21	.....	.....	62	1,426	40	1	74
.. .. ..	9	12	.....	1	22	266	8	1	17
tal	2,669	2,120	2	27	4,818	93,276	2,451	218	7,572
SOUTHERN.									
.. .. ..	41	74	.....	4	119	1,938	37	4	58
.. .. ..	9	12	.....	.....	21	795	9	.....	78
l..	9	5	.....	.....	14	656	8	1	75
.. .. ..	21	25	.....	1	47	1,595	17	4	111
.. .. ..	2	7	.....	1	10	579	2	.....	24
.. .. ..	76	61	.....	21	158	4,724	66	10	248
.. .. ..	10	24	.....	.....	34	789	9	1	99
.. .. ..	10	6	.....	.....	16	287	9	1	40
.. .. ..	19	10	.....	.....	29	590	16	3	38
.. .. ..	32	22	.....	.....	54	1,295	28	4	52
.. .. ..	18	7	.....	4	29	995	17	1	32
an	5	4	.....	.....	9	432	4	1	9
ig .. .	24	13	.....	.....	37	1,693	22	2	150
.. .. ..	19	13	.....	.....	32	1,416	13	6	61
tal	295	283	.....	31	609	17,784	257	38	1,075
SOUTH-WESTERN.									
.. .. ..	49	26	.....	3	78	2,288	46	3	369
.. .. ..	3	2	.....	.....	5	227	2	1	18
.. .. ..	21	6	.....	.....	27	409	19	2	71
dra	51	27	.....	1	79	1,469	43	8	134
.. .. ..	14	5	.....	2	21	610	13	1	53
.. .. ..	21	11	.....	.....	32	694	18	3	138
.. .. ..	16	8	.....	.....	24	1,161	16	.....	107
.. .. ..	45	30	.....	.....	75	1,746	43	2	118
.. .. ..	8	7	.....	2	17	724	7	1	35
.. .. ..	11	2	.....	2	15	693	9	2	81
.. .. ..	2	8	.....	.....	10	224	2	.....	12
irrah	13	10	.....	.....	23	522	13	.....	15
a	27	17	.....	.....	44	1,511	23	4	114
.. .. ..	8	.....	.....	.....	8	171	7	1	33
.. .. ..	32	10	.....	.....	42	1,117	30	2	88
gga	19	26	.....	2	47	1,660	16	3	151
.. .. ..	17	4	.....	6	27	1,485	11	6	113
.. .. ..	10	7	.....	.....	17	989	8	2	236
tal	367	206	.....	18	591	17,700	326	41	1,886

No. 67.—Transactions of each District Court, Year ended 1st March, 1897—*cont*

District.	Summonses. Causes tried.	Causes settled without hearing, and not proceeded with.	Causes referred by parties to arbitration.	Causes left in arrear.	Total Summonses Issued.	Total amount sued for. £	Causes Tried. Verdict for— Plaintiff.	Defendant.	The cost of the suits. £
WESTERN.									
Bathurst	31	32	.....	.....	63	1,709	31	.....	119
Carcoar	10	2	.....	.....	12	906	9	1	25
Coonabarabran	8	4	.....	1	13	345	8	.....	40
Coonamble	11	5	.....	7	23	410	9	2	69
Cowra..	2	12	.....	3	17	552	2	.....	38
Dubbo	35	70	.....	3	108	2,883	32	3	53
Forbes	76	25	.....	1	102	5,107	68	8	221
Lithgow	2	7	.....	.....	9	597	2	.....	14
Molong	6	2	.....	.....	8	517	4	2	73
Mudgee	16	10	.....	.....	26	729	12	4	14
Orange	7	9	.....	5	21	1,381	6	1	31
Walgett	6	4	.....	8	18	1,550	5	1	73
Warren	11	6	.....	4	21	1,399	9	2	67
Wellington..	7	7	.....	2	16	934	6	1	91
Total	228	195	.....	34	457	19,019	203	25	928
NORTHERN.									
Armidale	34	48	....	7	89	1,792	30	4	138
Ballina	41	41	....	....	82	1,021	38	3	32
Bellingen	3	5	....	....	8	162	1	2	9
Casino	30	17	....	3	50	1,605	26	4	169
Glen Innes..	4	27	....	....	31	484	4	....	13
Grafton	87	36	....	16	139	5,065	76	11	[illegible]
Inverell	27	20	....	5	52	1,281	24	3	95
Kempsey, West	57	45	....	3	105	1,704	50	7	199
Lismore	45	30	....	13	88	2,51	40	5	150
Maclean	34	16	....	5	55	1,115	31	3	29
Murwillumbah	27	9	....	....	36	1,603	21	6	23
Port Macquarie	18	2	....	8	28	1,166	16	2	[illegible]
Tamworth	39	11	....	3	53	1,100	34	5	[illegible]
Taree	5	3	....	....	8	137	5	....	[illegible]
Tenterfield..	14	11	....	....	25	352	12	2	[illegible]
Total..	465	321	....	63	849	21,098	408	57	1,[illegible]4
NORTH-WESTERN.									
Bingara	6	5	....	....	11	979	3	3	[illegible]
Bourke	35	29	....	3	67	2,705	29	6	[illegible]
Broken Hill	13	12	2	....	27	1,097	12	1	12[illegible]
Cobar	12	8	....	....	20	627	7	5	[illegible]
Gunnedah	12	8	....	2	22	496	11	1	[illegible]
Moree	15	4	....	3	22	1,203	14	1	[illegible]
Murrurundi	9	4	....	....	13	188	9	....	[illegible]
Narrabri	16	7	....	18	41	1,657	14	2	113
Nyngan	15	5	....	....	20	248	15	....	[illegible]
Wentworth	11	3	....	1	15	462	9	2	[illegible]
Wilcannia	2	4	....	....	6	142	2	....	[illegible]
Total..	146	89	2	27	264	9,804	125	21	[illegible]
NEW SOUTH WALES.									
Metropolitan and Hunter.	2,669	2,120	2	27	4,818	93,276	2,451	218	7,[illegible]
Southern	295	283	....	31	609	17,784	257	38	1,[illegible]
South-western	367	206	....	18	591	17,700	326	41	1,[illegible]
Western	228	195	....	34	457	19,019	203	25	[illegible]
Northern	465	321	....	63	849	21,098	408	57	1,[illegible]
North-western	146	89	2	27	264	9,804	125	21	[illegible]
Total	4,170	3,214	4	200	7,588	178,681	3,770	400	13,[illegible]

Appeals and New Trial Motions.—During the year ended 1st March, 1897, there were 13 appeals from the judgments of these Courts, of which 9 were affirmed and 1 reversed. There were also 14 motions for new trials, of which 9 were granted. The right of appeal can only be exercised in causes in which the amount claimed exceeds £10, and must be made either on points of law or in respect to the admission or rejection of evidence.

Causes tried by Jury.—Of the 4,170 causes tried during the year 1896-97, only 39 were tried by Jury. When the amount in dispute exceeds £20 either of the parties may, by giving notice to the Registrar of the Court, have a Jury summoned

No. 68.—Supreme Court.—Common Law Jurisdiction.

WRITS ISSUED, AND AMOUNT FOR WHICH JUDGMENT SIGNED, 1891-96.

ar.	Writs issued.*	Judgments signed.†	Year.	Writs issued.*	Judgments signed.†
	No.	£		No.	£
.. ..	6,144	537,231	1894	4,866	489,054
.. ..	6,219	739,419	1895	4,118	478,225
.. ..	6,205	724,211	1896	3,775	388,332

s of Supreme Court.—There are seven Judges attached to the Supreme Court, the Chief Justice, and the udges. The Chief Justice and four Puisne Judges devote attention chiefly to Common Law and criminal cases, ge to Equity, another to Bankruptcy and Probate, and another Puisne Judge is Judge of the Divorce Court.
.—There are four Terms during each year, the dates of which are fixed by the Judges, as are also the days ittings commence, the duration of Vacations, and the dates for holding Circuits.
e-Admiralty Court.—The Chief Justice was appointed Judge Commissary of the Vice-Admiralty Court by the and one of the Puisne Judges acts as Deputy. The Supreme Court has no jurisdiction in this Court.
ts issued.—The number of writs issued includes those for claims subsequently settled by the parties.
gments signed.—The amounts for judgments signed include taxed costs, and relate to undefended and tried

CAUSES, 1891-96.

Causes.	1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.	
	Sydney	Circuit Courts.	Sydney	Circuit Courts.	Sydney	Circuit Courts.	Sydney	Circuit Courts.	Sydney	Circuit Courts.	Sydney	Circuit Courts.
d—												
r plaintiff.. ..	177	27	180	32	168	29	194	37	177	19	132	22
r defendant ..	59	12	48	5	54	15	50	14	31	4	36	9
greed	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	1
.. .. ..	* ..	* ..	* ..	* ..	* ..	* ..	* ..	* ..	9	4	13	2
tal	237	39	228	38	222	44	244	52	218	27	182	34
ded with	221	31	163	21	166	24	170	26	152	16	158	21
arbitration ..	* ..	* ..	* ..	* ..	* ..	* .	* ..	* ..	13	..	4	..
auses set down ..	458	70	391	59	388	68	414	78	383	43	344	55
	528		450		456		492		426		399	

* Information not readily available.

CAUSES, 1896.

Court.	Causes tried.					Referred to Arbitration.	Not proceeded with.	Total Causes set down.
	Verdict for plaintiff.	Verdict for defendant	Jury disagreed.	Non-suit.	Total.			
ourt, Sydney	132	36	1	13	182	4	158	344
urts—								
.. ..	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
.. ..	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	3
.. ..	.....	.....	.....	1	1	.....	1	2
ill	1	1	.....	1	3	.....	2	5
n..	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	3	5
.. ..	2	1	.....	.....	3	.....	1	4
.. ..	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	3	4
.. ..	6	3	.....	.....	9	.....	1	10
.. ..	1	.....	1	.....	2	.....	.....	2
.. ..	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	4	5
.. ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
h..	3	1	.....	.....	4	.....	1	5
agga	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	2	4
.. ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
.. ..	1	1	.... .	.....	2	.....	2	4
al, Circuit Courts ..	22	9	1	2	34	.....	21	55
, N.S.W.	154	45	2	15	216	4	179	399

EES—COMMON LAW JURISDICTION—PAID INTO CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND, 1887-96.

r.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
	£		£		£
	7,118	1891	6,639	1895	5,334
	6,737	1892	7,159	1896	5,505
	9,041	1893	6,930		
	7,236	1894	6,149		

No. 69.—Supreme Court: Equity Jurisdiction.

TRANSACTIONS, 1891–96.

Classification.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	18
Statements of Claims	212	246	240	221	222	1
Statements of Defence	135	103	115	144	126	1
Petitions	137	143	139	112	128	1
Summonses	*.....	*.....	*.....	148	131	1
Motions	*.....	*.....	*.....	253	201	2
Decrees	712	829	835	169	155	1
Orders on Motions and Petitions				336	312	3
Chamber Orders				310	387	3
Master's Orders				84	43	
Master's Certificates—Taxation	*.....	*.....	*.....	202	211	1
Other	*.....	*.....	*.....	100	90	
Fees received .. .. £	3,007	3,386	3,199	3,360	3,561	4,0

* Information not obtained prior to 1894.

MASTER IN EQUITY.

AMOUNT HELD IN TRUST, 1891–96.

Classification.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	18
Amount invested in—	£	£	£	£	£	
Treasury Bills..	340,000	312,000	302,000	302,000	172,000	172
Debentures	36,700	33,000	32,600	31,300	31,300	31
Fixed Deposits	46,808	44,547	28,152	23,818	29,265	28
Mortgages	14,595	39,245	48,841	48,104	57,032	86
Promissory Notes	.....	.....	.....	3,215	908	
Securities lodged in lieu of Bonds	523	1,054	2,601	1,375	1,060	1
Cash..	11,596	17,713	55,278	49,426	40,785	57
Funded Stock	.....	.....	.....	.....	110,000	104
Total ... ... £	450,222	447,559	469,472	459,238	442,290	479

Master in Equity.—The office of Master in Equity in New South Wales combines the duties of "Acco General," "Registrar," "Head of the Records and Writ Office," and of "Taxing Officer," as well as those performed in E by the Judges in Chambers through their Chief Clerks.

Funds held in Trust by Master in Equity.—The Trust moneys received by the Master in Equity are inve various ways; the bulk of the funds, however, is placed to the Government Account, and either invested in secur used in the "General Banking Account" in the Bank of New South Wales.

Interest earned by Trust Funds.—Cash and Treasury Bills bear interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per a Debentures, 5 per cent.; Fixed Deposits, 3½ to 4½ per cent.; mortgages, 5½ to 7 per cent.; and promissory notes, 7 p

MASTER IN LUNACY.

(Transactions outside Equity Jurisdiction.)

MAINTENANCE AND FEES, 1891–96.

Classification.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1
	£	£	£	£	£	
Collections—Maintenance	12,191	13,240	13,351	13,568	13,772	1
Fees	96	110	129	131	142	
Percentage	.....	.....	.....	671	577	
Unclaimed moneys (sub-sec. 2, sec. 32, 56 Vic. No. 23)	.....	.....	.....	.....	65	
Paid into the Consolidated Revenue .. £	12,287	13,350	13,480	14,370	14,556	1

Maintenance and Fees paid into Consolidated Revenue.—The figures given in the foregoing table for nance comprise the sums contributed by the friends of the insane persons, and also those paid for that purpose from under the control of the Master in Lunacy.

TRUST FUNDS OF INSANE PERSONS AND PATIENTS.

Year.	In Treasury Bills.	In New South Wales Government Debentures.	Cash.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
1894	41,784	11,800	16,215	69,799
1895	41,784	11,800	10,055	63,639
1896	41,784	9,200	16,909	67,893

Trust Funds held by the Master in Lunacy.—The Trust moneys held by the Master in Lunacy are pl the Government Account, and either invested in Government securities or used in the "General Banking Account" Bank of New South Wales.

No. 70.—Supreme Court: Probate Jurisdiction.

PROBATE AND LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED, 1890-96.

Year.	Number of Estates on which—			Value of Estates on which—		
	Probate was granted.	Letters of Administration were granted.	Total.	Probate was granted.	Letters of Administration were granted.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1890	1,131	680	1,811	6,605,545	922,577	7,528,122
1891	1,192	767	1,959	4,734,228	722,568	5,456,796
1892	1,287	842	2,129	4,619,164	1,150,163	5,769,327
1893	1,183	782	1,965	3,508,264	635,537	4,143,801
1894	1,372	791	2,163	4,370,217	928,567	5,298,784
1895	1,321	833	2,154	4,185,497	672,729	4,858,226
1896	1,548	940	2,488	5,939,540	755,376	6,694,916

Probate and Administration.—By the Probate Act of 1890 (54 Vic. No. 25), the jurisdiction previously vested in e Primary Judge in Equity was transferred to the Supreme Court and its Probate Jurisdiction, and such Judge as might appointed Probate Judge. The duties performed by the Prothonotary and Ecclesiastical Clerk were at the same time nsferred to the Registrar of Probates.

Gross and Net Value of Estates.—The figures from the Probate Court and Stamp Duties Department (see rt "Public Finance") relating to transactions in the estates of deceased persons do not agree. The Court gives e gross value of the estates, and includes those estates which, after investigation, are found not to be subject to duty. e number of petitions is also swollen by probates on some estates being taken out a second time. The amount given the Stamp Duties Department represents the net value of the estates.

PROBATE AND LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED BY REGISTRAR, 1896.

(Figures are included in the above Table.)

Estates.	Probate.		Administration.		Total.	
	Number.	Value sworn to.	Number.	Value sworn to.	Number.	Value sworn to.
		£		£		£
Personal applications without the intervention of a solicitor	92	15,306	129	20,208	221	35,514

Estates of the Value of £1,000—How dealt with.—Prior to the passing of the existing Act, all applications for obate and letters of administration (except where the gross amount of the estate did not exceed £100) were made in open urt, and also applications to pass accounts of executors or administrators. Under the present Act the Registrar grants obate and letters of administration where the estate does not exceed £1,000 in value, it being only necessary to apply in en Court in cases beyond that amount. It is now also only necessary to apply in Court for the allowance of executors d administrators' accounts where commission is applied for, or in case of appeal from the decision of the Registrar.

Small Estates—Value £300 and under.—In pursuance of the provisions of the "Probate Act of 1890 Amendment t" (56 Vic. No. 30), probate and letters of administration may be granted without the intervention of a solicitor in tates sworn not to exceed £300.

No. 71.—Supreme Court: Intestate Estates.

TRANSACTIONS, 1887–96.

Year.	Estates opened during year.			Estates opened in previous years.		Commission Fees.
	Number.	Amount received.	Amount paid.	Amount received.	Amount paid.	(Paid in Consolida Revenu
		£	£	£	£	£
1887	321	38,298	15,491	8,693	9,659	2,20
1888	319	11,088	9,957	6,891	10,426	1,53
1889	321	15,600	10,741	5,602	9,311	1,31
1890	331	71,904	32,404	14,204	16,741	4,40
1891	419	65,402	60,920	23,314	24,822	2,28
1892	436	25,821	7,400	15,364	29,986	1,34
1893	390	15,733	5,432	30,683	39,465	1,36
1894	386	17,242	5,591	31,781	46,002	1,47
1895	422	24,044	5,928	21,111	44,376	2,13
1896	463	18,054	6,605	16,160	38,031	1,94

Intestate Estates.—The Registrar of Probates is also Curator of Intestate Estates. He is empowered to ap an order to collect the estate of any deceased person leaving real and personal estate who shall have died intesta leaving no widow or next of kin resident within the jurisdiction of the Court, or when the person shall have died t but leaving no executor, or no executor willing and capable of acting in execution of his will, and in a few other inst

UNCLAIMED MONEYS, 1887–96.

Year.	Amount paid into Consolidated Revenue.	Amount claimed after being paid into Consolidated Revenue.	Year.	Amount paid into Consolidated Revenue.	Amount clai after being pai Consolidat Revenue.
	£	£		£	£
1887	2,393	91	1892	5,041	372
1888	4,301	Nil.	1893	7,101	1,151
1889	5,865	Nil.	1804	6,772	1,703
1890	9,050	928	1895	12,556	216
1891	7,348	102	1896	12,795	4,042

Unclaimed Moneys paid into Consolidated Revenue.—After paying all proved and allowed claims, in the hands of the Curator are paid into the Treasury to the Colonial Treasurer's "Curator of Intestate Estates Ac Moneys not claimed within six years are paid into the Consolidated Revenue Fund, and used for the public ser the Colony. A rightful claimant may afterwards, however, obtain payment thereof, but without interest from t of payment to the Treasury.

Balance of Intestate Estates belonging to Minors.—The moneys belonging to minors are paid under Court, and invested in the Savings Bank of New South Wales on account of minors, till they arrive at the age of 21 amount so invested on the 31st December, 1896, was £909.

.—Supreme Court: Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Jurisdiction, 1873–96.

DIVORCE PETITIONS.

Petitions.			Results to 31st December, 1896.			
			Petitions.		Decrees *Nisi*.	
Ordinary.	*In forma pauperis.*	Total.	Dismissed.	Not proceeded with and untried.	Made absolute.	Not made absolute.
5	.....	5	.....	1	3	1
10	.....	10	.....	4	5	1
19	.....	19	.....	2	15	2
22	.....	22	1	2	13	6
17	.....	17	.....	1	13	3
17	.....	17	.....	5	10	2
16	1	17	1	3	12	1
29	.....	29	2	2	20	5
24	.....	24	3	1	18	2
20	2	22	2	5	12	3
36	1	37	1	9	23	4
31	2	33	1	7	24	1
37	1	38	.....	4	32	2
41	4	45	.....	9	32	4
41	4	45	2	10	29	4
44	5	49	1	10	32	6
56	6	62	4	8	47	3
59	10	69	4	8	53	4
92	4	96	2	15	69	10
155	16	171	9	16	132	14
216	115	331	11	40	257	23
216	163	379	2	39	312	26
184	164	348	9	53	250	36
218	146	364	12	182	131	39
... 1,605	644	2,249	67	436	1,544	202

* Grounds for which Divorces were granted, see Table 73.

st year of Divorce Act.—Prior to the passing of the Matrimonial Causes Act of 1873 (36 Vic. No. 9), the Supreme .S.W. had no jurisdiction in divorce. **The existing Act** (55 Vic. No. 37) was assented to on the 9th May, 1892, t come into force, owing to an informality, till the 6th August. During 1893 an amending Act (56 Vic. No. 36) ed.

isdiction.—In addition to granting Decrees for Dissolution of Marriage, for Judicial Separation, for Nullity of for Restitution of Conjugal Rights, and for Jactitation of Marriage (no petitions for which have as yet been filed ony), the Court also deals with questions of alimony, custody, maintenance, and education of children, damages adulterer, and settlements of property.

uit *in forma pauperis* cannot be proceeded with without a Judge's order, and to obtain such it is necessary to e certificate of the Registrar and an affidavit of the party applying as to means of living, and, where a suit is by means of her husband, and that he or she (after the payment of just debts) is not worth £25, except wearing d household furniture.

rees Nisi.—After a Decree *Nisi* has been granted, it can be made absolute at any time subsequent to the date e Court for that purpose. Neither party can re-marry until after fourteen days from the date of the Decree g been made absolute.

No. 73.—Grounds for which Divorces were Granted, 1873–96.

Grounds for which Divorce was granted.	Decrees *Nisi* made Absolute.						
	Total Petitions filed under (Old) Act 36 Vic. No. 9.	Petitions filed under (New) Act 55 Vic. No. 37.					
	1873 to 5 August, 1892.	1892 (from 6 Aug).	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	Total under new Act.
Adultery	326	18	55	54	42	33	202
,, (Incestuous)	2	....	....	....	....	....	....
,, and Bigamy	20	1	4	2	....	1	8
,, and Cruelty	73	6	10	8	3	5	32
,, Cruelty and Habitual Drunkenness	.....	2	2	2	1	2	9
,, ,, and Desertion	27	3	3	1	....	1	8
,, and Desertion	38	5	18	11	8	3	45
,, Desertion and Habitual Drunkenness	.....	....	3	2	....	....	5
,, and Habitual Drunkenness	1	1	5	5	1	....	12
Cruelty	.....	....	4	7	4	2	17
,, and Desertion	.....	9	5	....	....	1	15
,, Desertion and Habitual Drunkenness	.....	6	11	13	5	2	37
,, and Habitual Drunkenness	.....	3	11	20	16	11	61
,, and Imprisonment for over three years	.....	....	1	1	....	....	2
,, and attempt to murder by poisoning	.....	....	....	....	....	1	1
Desertion	.....	47	108	156	141	61	512
,, and Habitual Drunkenness	.....	1	12	10	4	2	29
,, and frequent Convictions for Crime	.....	....	1	....	....	....	1
Habitual Drunkenness and neglect of Domestic Duties	.....	2	2	12	4	3	23
Habitual Drunkenness and Imprisonment for three years and upwards	.....	....	....	1	....	....	1
Imprisonment for three years and upwards	.....	....	1	5	2	2	10
Non-consummation of Marriage	.....	....	1	....	....	1	2
Total	487	104	257	309	231	131	1,032

Grounds for Divorce.—The chief grounds for divorce under the old Act were adultery since marriage on th of the wife, and adultery and cruelty on the part of the husband. In addition to the foregoing causes, petitions for d can now be granted on any one of the following grounds:—

Husband v. Wife—Desertion for not less than three years; habitual drunkenness for a similar period; imprisoned under a sentence of three years or upwards; attempt to murder or inflict grievous bodily harm, or re assaults on him within one year previously.

Wife v. Husband.—Adultery, provided that at the time of the institution of the suit the husband is domi New South Wales; desertion for not less than three years; habitual drunkenness for the same period; being imp for three years or upwards, or having within five years undergone various sentences amounting in all to not les three years; attempt to murder, or assault with intent to inflict grievous bodily harm, or repeated assaults within o previously.

Period of Domicile.—To entitle either party to seek relief on any one of these grounds he or she must ha domiciled in the colony at the time of instituting the suit for three years and upwards, and should not have re the colony for the purpose of the suit. When a wife seeks for a decree on the ground of three years desertion, if sh domiciled in New South Wales when the desertion commenced, she shall not be deemed to have lost her domicile by of her husband having thereafter acquired a foreign domicile.

No. 74.—Divorce Causes heard at Circuit Courts, 1892–96.

District where tried.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
Circuit Courts					
Albury	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Armidale	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
Bathurst	.....	.....	.....	3	1
Broken Hill	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Deniliquin	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Dubbo	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Goulburn	.....	.....	2	.....	1
Grafton	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Hay	.....	.....	1	1	.....
Tamworth	.....	1	2	1	.....
Wagga Wagga	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Total	1	2	7	5	10

Divorce Causes heard in Country.—Prior to 1892, Divorce Causes were not tried outside Sydney.

No. 75.—Judicial Separations, 1873-96.

Year.	Petitions.	Results to 31st December, 1896. Petitions. Dismissed.	Not proceeded with.	Judicial separations granted.	Year.	Petitions.	Results to 31st December, 1896. Petitions. Dismissed.	Not proceeded with.	Judicial separations granted.
1873	.....	....	.....	.....	1886	4	1	2	1
1874	.....	....	.....	.....	1887	3	....	2	1
1875	.....	....	.....	.....	1888	6	....	2	4
1876	1	....	1	.....	1889	8	....	6	2
1877	.....	....	.....	.....	1890	9	....	3	6
1878	.....	....	.....	.....	1891	19	....	5	14
1879	1	....	1	.....	1892	11	1	3	7
1880	2	....	2	.....	1893	19	....	7	12
1881	1	....	1	.....	1894	30	3	15	12
1882	.....	....	.....	.....	1895	22	2	8	12
1883	1	....	.....	1	1896	20	1	16	3
1884	8	....	5	3					
1885	4	....	2	2	Total ..	169	8	81	80

Judicial Separation.—In addition to the principal causes for which a divorce may be obtained, judicial separation may be granted for desertion without cause for not less than two years.

No. 76.—Restitution of Conjugal Rights and Nullity of Marriage, 1873-96.

Year.	Restitution of Conjugal Rights. Petitions.	Results to 31st December, 1896. Petitions. Dismissed.	Not proceeded with.	Decrees *Nisi*. Made absolute.	Not made absolute.	Nullity of Marriage. Petitions.	Results to 31st December, 1896. Petitions. Dismissed.	Not proceeded with.	Decrees of nullity granted.
1873	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1874	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1875	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1876	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1877	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1878	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1879	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1880	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1881	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1882	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1883	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1884	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1885	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1886	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1887	4	.....	3	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1888	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
1889	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1890	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	1	2
1891	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	1	2
1892	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1893	2	.....	2	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1894	2	.....	1	.....	1	2	.....	.....	2
1895	1	.....	1	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
1896	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....
Total ..	13	2	9	1	1	16	.....	3	13

Restitution of Conjugal Rights.—Before a suit can be brought there must have been a request of a conciliatory character to the other party to return to cohabitation.

Nullity of Marriage.—Petitions may be granted in cases of marriages which are void by the law of the land; where some statutory requirements have not been observed; or in which one of the parties is incapable to perform the duties of marriage, or joined in the marriage ceremony through coercion or threats or mental incapacity.

No. 77.—Fees of Divorce Court paid into Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1887-96.

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
	£		£		£
1887	311	1891	642	1894	720
1888	279	1892	850	1895	598
1889	440	1893	921	1896	65
1890	550				

No. 78.—Supreme Court: Bankruptcy Jurisdiction.

Transactions, 1896.

Sequestrations.	No.	Other Transactions.	No.
Sequestrations—		Compositions—	
Petitions during year—		Cases in which compositions were accepted ..	
Voluntary—		Amount of Liabilities upon which compositions were accepted	£3[illegible]
By Debtors, Executors, Trustees, &c.	936	Amount accepted as composition	£2[illegible]
„ Minister for Justice	1	Sequestration Orders annulled	
Compulsory—		Estates released	[illegible]
By Creditors	149	Certificates of Discharge granted	[illegible]
Total petitions	1,086	„ „ suspended	1[illegible]
Petitions withdrawn, refused, still pending, &c	46	„ „ refused	
Total Sequestrations	1,040	Judgment reserved	
According to Bankrupts' Schedules—		Trustees elected by Creditors to act with Official Assignee	
Liabilities	£627,314	Fees collected (paid into Treasury, &c.)	£15,[illegible]
Assets	£409,928		
Deficiencies	£217,386		

Bankruptcy.—The law is administered by a Judge in Bankruptcy, under Act 51 Vic. No. 19, and amending A[illegible] The existing Act came into force on the 1st January, 1888, prior to which date the transactions in Bankruptcy [illegible] Insolvency were carried out under a Commissioner of Insolvent Estates.

Releases and Certificates Issued under Existing Act to 31st December, 1896.

Year.	Estates Freed.					Total estates in which orders were made for sequestration to 31st December.	Estates Freed.	Estates still under sequestration on 31st December.	
	Sequestration Orders Annulled (a)	Estates Released. (b)	Certificates of Discharge Granted. (c)	Compositions accepted. (d)	Total.			Number.	Proportion to total sequestrations.
									per cent.
1888	.....	1	26	5	32	823	32	791	96·1
1889	.....	14	114	7	135	1,885	167	1,718	91·1
1890	.....	4	95	4	103	3,078	270	2,808	91·2
1891	.....	3	309	.....	312	4,267	582	3,685	86·4
1892	1	19	185	.....	205	5,730	787	4,943	86·3
1893	.....	6	152	2	160	7,415	947	6,468	87·2
1894	.....	.....	147	.....	147	8,880	1,094	7,786	87·7
1895	.....	12	142	.....	154	10,099	1,248	8,851	87·6
1896	1	21	95	1	118	11,139	1,366	9,773	87·8
Total under 1887 Act..	2	80	1,265	19	1,366	11,139	1,366	9,773	87·8

(a) **Sequestration Orders Annulled.**—The Judge annuls sequestration orders in cases where he is of opinion th[illegible] sequestration order ought not to have been made, or where it is shown that the debts of the bankrupt have been paid in [illegible]

(b) **Release of Estate.**—A bankrupt may have his estate released from sequestration after the acceptance and app[illegible] of a composition or scheme of arrangement, or if all the creditors are paid in full, or have given him a legal quittance of [illegible] debts due.

(c) **Certificate of Discharge.**—Three months from the date of sequestration a bankrupt may give notice by adver[illegible]ment of his intention to apply for a Certificate of Discharge. The application is heard within thirty days of the date of [illegible] first publication of the advertisement, and the Judge receives a report from the Official Assignee, and may either gra[illegible] refuse an absolute order of discharge.

(d) **Composition and Arrangement.**—The creditors have power to accept, and the Judge to approve, of a pro[illegible] for a composition, or for a scheme of arrangement, provided that it has been confirmed by a majority in number repre[illegible]ing three-fourths in value of all proved creditors.

Certificates Suspended and Refused under Existing Act to 31st December, 1896.

Year.	Certificates Suspended.						Certificates Refused.
	Under 6 months.	6 and under 9 months.	9 and under 12 months.	12 months and under 2 years.	2 to 4 years.	Total.	
1888	12	13	8	.....	.....	33	17
1889	13	13	12	4	.....	42	28
1890	34	44	34	18	.....	130	20
1891	41	49	17	18	.....	125	4
1892	30	43	27	40	2	142	11
1893	44	47	33	15	1	140	18
1894	25	24	32	24	8	113	11
1895	34	38	21	23	2	118	8
1896	29	36	15	41	2	123	9

Suspension or Refusal of Certificates.—The Judge may either grant or refuse an absolute order of discha[illegible] suspend the operation of the order for a specified time, or grant an order of discharge subject to any conditions with re[illegible] to future earnings or income.

No. 79.—Supreme Court: Bankruptcy Jurisdiction—*continued.*

SEQUESTRATIONS, ASSETS, LIABILITIES, &c., 1888–96.

	Gross Number of Petitions.			Petitions withdrawn, refused, &c.	Sequestrations during year.				Assignees and Trustees elected by Creditors to act with the Official Assignee.	Court Fees paid into the Treasury
	Voluntary.	Compulsory.	Total.		Net Number of Petitions.	According to Bankrupts' Schedules. Liabilities.	Assets.	Deficiency.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.		£	£	£	No.	£
	735	116	851	28	823	659,307	459,677	199,630	10	2,501
	935	166	1,101	39	1,062	794,603	396,723	397,880	6	4,594
	1,079	164	1,243	50	1,193	1,203,685	540,726	662,959	5	4,846
	1,016	222	1,238	49	1,189	989,778	454,211	535,567	8	5,590
	1,267	239	1,506	43	1,463	2,035,316	793,045	1,242,271	3	6,298
	1,535	209	1,744	59	1,685	1,527,985	905,763	622,222	4	7,009
	1,364	148	1,512	47	1,465	1,852,235	995,935	856,300	6	6,125
	1,080	200	1,280	61	1,219	1,142,637	747,053	395,584	7	5,207
	937	149	1,086	46	1,040	627,314	409,928	217,386	1	5,065
tal	9,948	1,613	11,561	422	11,139	10,832,860	5,703,061	5,129,799	50	47,235

he Assets and Liabilities are "according to Bankrupts' Schedules." The assets vary in many instances ably from the statements showing amounts realised; the original figures as to liabilities, however, represent fairly al indebtedness.

etitions withdrawn and refused.—Petitions withdrawn apply wholly to Creditors' petitions withdrawn in nce of payment of amount of claims, and the petitions refused represent those cases in which the Judge or Registrar tisfied that acts of Bankruptcy alleged have been committed.

No. 80.—Official Assignees—Transactions.

CHARGES, DIVIDENDS, &c., 1890–96.

	Charges and Fees.							Dividends and Undivided Balances.			
	Peremptory Charges.		Legal Costs.	Paid into Consolidated Revenue.		Commission to Official Assignees	Total.	Dividends Paid.	Moneys in hands of Official Assignees.		Balance of *Bankruptcy Estates Account.
	Auction.	Rent Valuation, Labour, &c.		Court Fees.	Percentage.				Unpaid and Unclaimed Balances.	Unpaid Dividends.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
o	4,268	9,613	3,064	70	382	3,443	20,840	26,289	1,987	287	22,037
1	3,019	18,439	6,202	1,508	726	5,386	35,280	52,304	1,449	432	21,651
2	3,692	10,350	7,192	1,582	891	5,581	29,288	45,084	1,145	591	20,284
3	3,952	13,743	7,133	1,473	652	5,691	32,644	40,433	9,532	132	27,287
4	3,571	18,308	7,139	1,528	1,143	8,610	40,299	70,381	863	305	30,985
5	2,780	16,752	8,519	1,414	718	6,182	36,365	50,640	314	530	16,738
6	1,955	22,488	6,113	1,321	551	4,665	37,093	31,557	9,610	747	23,553

fficial Assignees.—Official Assignees are appointed by the Executive Council when, in the opinion of the Judge, an to their number is required. On the 31st December, 1896, three held office. In each estate the Official Assignee 2½ per cent. commission on the amount realised, and 2½ per cent. on the amount of dividends declared. The ay also grant special remuneration. Each Official Assignee is obliged under the 94th section of the Act to furnish istrar with quarterly statements showing the transactions in each estate.

Bankruptcy Estates Account.—Each Official Assignee pays all moneys received by him to the Registrar in Ba- who places the amount to the credit of the "Bankruptcy Estates Account," from which all charges (other tory, such as auction charges, rent, &c.), fees, and dividends are met.

No. 81.—Trades and Occupations of Bankrupts, 1892–96.

Calling.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	189
Agent (Commission, General, &c.)	98	45	28	28	
Baker	11	16	21	13	
Blacksmith	15	18	21	16	
Bootmaker	1	.....	16	17	
Builder	31	34	27	16	
Butcher	21	24	27	14	
Cabinet-maker, Carpenter and Joiner ...	29	43	23	15	
Carrier, Carter, Teamster, &c.	18	40	13	31	
Clerk	30	32	34	30	
Contractor	42	45	48	31	
Dealer (Furniture and General)	4	12	17	13	
Engineer and Fitter	1	4	16	13	
Farmer	57	86	116	105	
Grazier	33	34	26	16	
Labourer	341	188	177	158	1
Licensed Victualler	90	71	81	65	
Miner	138	157	150	93	1
Shop and Storekeeper	42	36	41	32	
Out of business or employment	22	73	40	54	—
*Other Callings	430	727	543	559	4
Occupations not stated	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Total	1,463	1,685	1,465	1,219	1,0

* Other Callings.—Includes Callings in which the number of annual sequestrations averaged under 15.

No. 82.—Trades and Occupations of Bankrupts, 1896.

Callings.—The trades and occupations of Bankrupts in several instances are very vaguely defined, the officers of Court have therefore to use their discretion as to classification.

Calling.	No.	Calling.	No.	Calling.	
Accountant	2	Canvasser	3	Drover	—
Actor	4	Carpenter	24	Engine-driver ...	—
Agent—General	9	Carter	14	Engineer	—
„ Commission ...	6	Caterer	1	Ex-Bank Manager	—
„ Insurance ...	3	Chemist	1	Ex-Civil Servant ...	—
„ Stock and Station	1	Civil Engineer	3	Ex-Hotel Keeper...	—
„ Manufacturer's ...	1	Civil Servant	9	Ex-Police Officer ...	—
„ Mining	2	Clerk	20	Farmer	—
Architect	1	Clerk in Holy Orders ...	1	Farm Labourer ...	—
Artist	1	Coach-builder	4	„ Manager ...	—
Auctioneer	8	Coach-driver	4	Farrier	—
Baker	15	Colliery Manager	1	Fireman	—
Bank Clerk	1	„ Owner	1	Fish and Oyster Saloon	
Basketmaker	1	Commercial Traveller ...	6	Keeper... ...	—
Beamsman	1	Compositor	6	Fisherman... ...	—
Blacksmith	13	Contractor	23	Freeholder ...	—
Blacksmith's Improver ...	1	Cook	1	Free Selector ...	—
Boarding-house Keeper ...	12	Copper-smelter	1	French-polisher ...	—
Boilermaker	3	Cordial Manufacturer ...	2	Fruiterer	—
Boot Manufacturer ...	3	Council Clerk	1	Fruit-grower ...	—
Bootmaker	12	Currier	1	Furniture-dealer ...	—
Brewer	1	Dairy Employee	1	Furniture-maker ...	—
Bricklayer...	7	„ Farmer	2	Gaol Warder ...	—
Brickmaker	3	Dairymen	8	Gardener	—
Broom-maker	1	Dealer	8	Gas Manager ...	
Builder	13	Dentist	2	Grazier	
Business Manager ...	1	Drainers (Licensed) ...	2	Greengrocer ...	
Butcher	13	Draper	7	Grocer	
Butcher's Assistant ...	1	Draughtsman	1	Grocer's Assistant	
Butter Dealer	1	Drayman	1	Groom ...	
Cab-driver...	2	Drill Instructor	1	Gunsmith ...	

No. 82.—Trades and Occupations of Bankrupts, 1896—*continued.*

Calling.	No.	Calling.	No.	Calling.	No.
esser	7	Newspaper Manager ...	2	Stationer	1
r	4	Nurse	1	Station Employee ...	9
Specialist	1	Nurseryman	1	„ Manager	3
tead Lessee ...	1	No occupation	37	Stevedore	1
trainer	5	Painters	10	Stonemason	6
keeper	47	Pastrycook	1	Storekeeper	23
Manager	3	Plasterer	2	Storekeeper's Assistant ...	3
keeper	2	Platman	1	Store Manager	1
er	3	Plumber	4	Surgeon	1
tor of Nuisances ...	1	Potter	1	Surveyor	2
tor of Stock ...	1	Poundkeeper	1	Tailor	11
aster	1	Printer	2	Tallow Refiner	1
er	1	Produce Dealer	3	Tanner	1
alist	5	„ Merchant ...	11	Teamster	1
yman Butcher ...	1	Provision Merchant ...	1	Tea-room Proprietor ...	1
ker	138	Quarryman	1	Theatrical Speculator ...	1
Nurse	1	Railway employee ...	2	Ticket Collector	1
ress	1	Registry-office Keeper ...	1	Timber-cutter	2
lerk...	1	Retired Teacher	1	„ Merchant ...	3
sorter	1	Restaurant Keeper ...	2	Tinsmith	1
aist	1	Road Contractor	3	Tobacconist	3
ontractor	1	Road Superintendent ...	1	Toy-maker	1
river	1	Saddler	4	Turf Commission Agent ...	5
nance man ...	2	Salesman	1	Undertaker	2
er of Refreshment		Sawmill Proprietor ...	2	Vanman	1
oms	1	Sawyer	1	Veterinary Surgeon ...	1
er of Refrigerating		School-teacher	3	Vocalist	2
orks	1	Seed Merchant	1	Watchmaker	3
er of Wine and		Selector	3	Wharf Labourer	2
rit Co.	1	Sewing-machine Agent ...	1	Wheeler	1
r	4	Shearer	1	Wheelwright	5
t Gardener... ...	1	Shiftsman	1	Whipmaker	1
pial Shooter ...	1	Shipping Agent	1	Wholesale Stationer ...	1
Mariner	3	Shipwright	1	Winegrower	1
Exporter	1	Ship's Steward	1	Wood-cutter	1
ant	1	Smelter	1	Wood and Coal Merchant	2
Reader	1	Soap-maker	1	Wood-turner	2
... ...	1	Soap-vendor	1	Wool-broker	1
er	1	Soldier	1	Wool-scourer	1
... ...	107	Solicitor	12		
Manager	1	Spice and Pepper Manufacturer	1	Total	1,040
an	2				

No. 83.—Vice-Admiralty Court: Transactions, 1890–96.

Causes of Action.							Verdict for—		Not proceeded with.
Wages and Disbursements.	Goods supplied and Repairs.	Towage Service.	Loss by Collision.	Salvage.	Damages to Cargo.	Total.	Plaintiff.	Defendant.	
.....	1	.....	5	.....	.....	6	*3	*3	.....
5	.....	2	.....	2	1	10	9	1	.....
1	1	1	3	.....	.....	6	5	.....	1
4	6	2	3	3	.....	18	10	3	5
10	4	1	3	.....	.....	18	12	5	1
6	1	.....	4	.....	1	12	2	2	8
2	1	.....	6	1	.....	10	5	2	2

dges of Vice-Admiralty Court.—The Chief Justice was appointed by the Admiralty, Judge Commissary of the iralty Court, and a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court, has been appointed Deputy Judge.

Marine Board is in no way connected with the Vice-Admiralty Court, and appeal cannot be made from the Board's n connection with cancellations or suspensions of certificates.

ese verdicts leave to appeal to the Privy Council was granted in two instances, one appeal was dismissed, and the other not proceeded with.

No. 84.—Appellate Jurisdiction: Appeals from Magistrates' Courts to Co Quarter Sessions, 1890–96.

Year.	Not proceeded with.	Conviction or Order—			Total.	Year.	Not proceeded with.	Conviction or Order—		
		Confirmed.	Varied.	Quashed.				Confirmed.	Varied.	Quashed.
1890	4	18	1	9	32	1894	4	42	2	5
1891	9	32	..	16	57	1895	9	43	6	12
1892	11	50	2	21	84	1896	2	29	2	7
1893	10	23	2	15	50					

Criminal and Quasi-Criminal Appeals.—Appeal from Magistrates' Courts to Quarter Sessions is a r bringing the Orders and Convictions of Justices to the review of Quarter Sessions. When an appeal is given gen Court is Judge of law as well as fact. The right of appeal exists only when given by express enactments. When is allowed by Statute, it is usually upon certain conditions, either that a notice be given to the Justice whose act i from, and recognizances entered into to prosecute the appeal, or a deposit be made of the amount of the penalty a

No. 85.—Appeals from Magistrates' Courts to Supreme Court, 1887–9

PROHIBITION AND MANDAMUS APPLICATIONS.

Year.	Judge in Chambers.								Full Court.						
	Prohibition.				Mandamus.				Prohibition.				Mandamu		
	Not proceeded with.	Granted.	Refused.	Total.	Not proceeded with.	Granted.	Refused.	Total.	Not proceeded with.	Granted.	Refused.	Total.	Not proceeded with.	Granted.	Refused.
1887	..	13	2	15	..	..	..	..	..	7	7	14	2	2	..
1888	..	12	2	14	..	1	..	1	..	3	5‡	8	..	3	..
1889	..	11	5	16	1	2	2	5	2	8	5	15	2	..	..
1890	1	14*	4	19	1	1	..	2	1	12†	7	20	..	1	..
1891	1	17	6	24	..	1	..	1	..	6	7	13	..	4§	2
1892	..	16	4	20	1	1	..	2	2	14	5	21	..	4‖	3¶
1893	2	19	13	34	..	2†	..	2†	1	18	10	29	2	2	3*
1894	1	11	2	14	..	4	1	5	..	18	8	26	..	..	1
1895	5	13	8	26	..	2	2	4	9	18**	11	38	..	1	1
1896	1	23	6	30	1	2	..	3	4	11	3	18	..	3	..

Appeals from Magistrates and Wardens' Courts.—Application for Prohibition or Mandamus is made a Judge in Chambers, or to the Full Court. Appeals from the decisions of District Court Judges sitting in th Appeal Court, are made to the Supreme Court, under section 115 of Act 37 Vic. No. 13.

* Including 1 appeal from decision of Minister for Lands. † Warden's Court cases. ‡ Including 1 Mari case. § Including 2 cases Minister for Lands, and 1 case Prothonotary. ‖ Including 1 Collector of Custo ¶ Including 2 Collector of Customs cases. ** Including 5 Warden's Court and 2 Licensing Court cases.

SPECIAL CASES.

Year.	Judge in Chambers.			Full Court.					
	Magistrates' Courts.			Not proceeded with.		Decision Sustained.		Decision Rev	
	Not proceeded with.	Decision— Sustained.	Decision— Reversed.	Magistrates' Courts.	Land Cases.	Magistrates' Courts.	Land Cases.	Magistrates' Courts.	
1887	1	5	3	....	....	3	....	2	
1888	2	5	1	....	....	3	....	1†	
1889	1	3	1	....	1	1	....	2‡	
1890	....	4	1	....	....	....	4	2†	
1891	....	1	2	1	....	2†	4	4	
1892	....	2*	....	....	1	1†	3	....	
1893	....	6	6	....	1	....	4	3†‡	
1894	1	5	2	1	2	2	8	1	
1895	....	3*	1	....	1	2*‡	6	3	
1896	2	1	2	....	1	....	4	...	

Special Cases from Magistrates' Courts may be brought before either a Judge in Chambers o Land Cases before the Full Court only.

* Including 1 case from Licensing Court. † Including 1 case from Warden's Commissioner of Stamp Duties

-Appeals from District Courts to Supreme Court (Single Judge or Full Court), 1887-96.

Not proceeded with.	Appeal— Allowed.	Appeal— Refused.	Total.	Year.	Not proceeded with.	Appeal— Allowed.	Appeal— Refused.	Total.
3	12	13	28	1892	5	1	8	14
7	9	13	29	1893	3	3	4	10
8	12	10	30	1894	1	6	2	9
5	17*	20	42	1895	2	3	3	8
5	9*	9	23	1896	2	3	9	14

ct Court Appeals.—Appeals from the District Court to the Supreme Court are regulated by Section 94 of the t Act of 1858 (22 Vic. No. 18), and by Section 1 of the Amending Act (41 Vic. No. 30).

* Including 1 Mandamus.

.—Appeals against Decisions of Primary Judge to Full Court, 1887-96.

COMMON LAW.

Criminal Cases. (Quarter Sessions, Central Criminal and Circuit Courts.) Conviction— Sustained.	Quashed.	Total.[1]	Civil Cases. Motions *Nisi* for New Trial. Not proceeded with.	Granted.	Refused.	Total.	New Trial Motions. Not proceeded with.	Rule made absolute.	Rule discharged.	Total.
18	3	21	18	28	15	61	5	11	13	29
16	2	18	9	39	16	64	9	12	15	36
6	1	7	8	42	20	70	2	15	14	31
7	...	7	16	28	9	53	3	11	18	32
5	1	6	11	31	13	55	4	12	12	28
8	1	9	15	31	10	56	3	8	9	20
12	4	16	7	25	15	47	...	20	8	28
12	2	14	11	31	11	53	2	7	7	16
7	...	7	4	31	7	42	5	10	11	26
6	4	10	20	33	10	63	4	16	14	34

EQUITY, PROBATE, BANKRUPTCY, AND DIVORCE.

t - ed ı.	Equity. Sustained.	Disallowed.	Total.	Probate. Sustained.	Disallowed.	Total.	Bankruptcy. Not proceeded with.	Sustained.	Disallowed.	Total.	Divorce. Not proceeded with.	Sustained.	Disallowed.	Total.
.	9	12	21	...	...	...	1	1	1	3	...	...	...	...
	2	8	12	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	...	...	...	...
	11	11	23	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	1	1
	4	18	24	1	...	1	...	1	4	5	...	...	...	...
	3	11	15	...	1	1	...	...	2	2	...	1	1	2
	4	8	15	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...
	1	8	13	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	2
.	1	10	11	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
.	1	7	8	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	1
	3	7	18*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	3

ls to Full Court.—Appeals against orders or decisions of Judges of the Supreme Court are made, with few o the Full Court. Act 48 Vic. No. 13, passed August, 1884, provides that no Judge of the Supreme Court shall aring of an appeal from, or on a matter to set aside, any judgment, order, decree, ruling, or decision made by ct also provides that the Court on the hearing of such appeals or motions shall consist of three Judges.

* The appeal in one case was not heard at 31st December, 1896.

No. 88.—Appeals to Privy Council, 1887–96.

Year.	Applications for leave to Appeal.				Appeals to Privy Council.		
	Not proceeded with.	Granted.	Refused.	Total.	Not proceeded with.	Upheld.	Dismi
Common Law.							
1887	.....	5	.....	5	2	1	1
1888	1	12	3	16	5	1	6
1889	1	4	2	7	.....	1	3
1890	.....	11	.....	11	7	1	3
1891	1	9	.....	10	2	4	3
1892	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1893	.....	4	.....	4	1	2	1
1894	.....	6	.....	6	3	*.....	2
1895	.....	4	.....	4	.....	*.....	3
1896	.....	8	1	9	1	1	4
Equity.							
1887	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
1888	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....
1889	.....	11	.....	11	1	1	9
1890	.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	2
1891	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1892	.....	5	1	6	2	.....	3
1893	.....	3	.....	3	.....	1	2
1894	.....	2	†1	3	*.....	1	1
1895	.....	2	†1	3	*.....	2	.....
1896	.....	5	.....	5	1	1	‡.....
Bankruptcy.							
1890	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1891	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1892	.....	1	.....	1	.....	1	...
1893	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	
1894	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1895	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1896	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Vice-Admiralty.							
1890	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....
1891	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1892	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1893	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1894	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
1895	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
1896	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Judgment pending in 1 case. † Leave to appeal subsequently granted upon application to Privy Council in 1 case.
‡ Judgment not yet delivered in 3 cases.

No. 89.—Criminal Cases.—Appeals direct to Privy Council, 1890–96.

Year.	Cause.	Appeal.	Date of Judgment.	Subject matter of Appeal.
1890	The Queen *v.* M'Leod...	Upheld ...	23 July, 1891 ...	Bigamy—Foreign marriage.
1893	The Queen *v.* Makin ..	Dismissed ...	12 December, 1893	Murder.
1894	The Queen *v.* Kops ...	,, ...	9 June, 1894 ...	Attempted Arson.
1895	.....	.....	.....	.....
1896	.....	.....	.....	.....

No. 90.—Barristers practising in New South Wales, 1897.

n l.	Practising during 1897.	Year when admitted.	Practising during 1897.	Year when admitted.	Practising during 1897.	Year when admitted.	Practising during 1897.
	1	1873	2	1882	5	1891	7
	2	1874	1	1883	4	1892	12
	2	1875	2	1884	5	1893	7
	1	1876	2	1885	3	1894	9
	1	1877	3	1886	8	1895	11
	2	1878	1	1887	8	1896	5
	1	1879	3	1888	8		
	2	1880	2	1889	6	Total ...	143
	1	1881	4	1890	12		

ission to the Bar.—The Board for approval of qualified persons to be admitted as Barristers of the Supreme w South Wales, is formed under Act 11 Vic. No. 57, and consists of the Judges of the Supreme Court and the eneral for the time being and two elected members of the Bar.

n's Counsel.—A Queen's Counsel is appointed by Commission signed by the Governor, upon a recommendation Attorney-General to the Executive Council, and nine barristers held this appointment during 1896-97.

n Prosecutors.—Seven barristers, who receive an annual salary, hold appointments as Crown Prosecutors at of Quarter Sessions, and one at the Central Criminal Court. Others, who are paid by fees, are specially on the recommendation of the Attorney-General, for each sitting of the Circuit Courts.

No. 91.—Crown Solicitor's Office: Transactions, 1896.

Department.	Actions in which Department was Plaintiff.					Action in which Department was Defendant.				
	Commenced.	Settled or not proceeded with.	Tried.			Commenced.	Settled or not proceeded with.	Tried.		
			No.	Verdict.				No.	Verdict.	
				Plaintiff.	Defendant.				Plaintiff.	Defendant.
Common Law.										
cretary	1	1	...	...	...	3	1	1	...	1
Treasurer	12	2	9	8	1	5	4	1	1	...
Works	10	4	2	1	1	15	5	3	1	2
... ...	51	10	3	3	...	5	...	1	...	1
... ...	1	...	1	1	...	5	2	3	1	2
nstruction	3	...	2	2	...	1	...	1	1	...
... ...	7	4	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
ce	8	2	5	5	...	4	1	2	...	2
Total	93	23	22	20	2	39	14	12	4	8
Equity.										
cretary	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Treasurer	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Works	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
... ...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
... ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
nstruction	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
... ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ce	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	6	1	1	...	1	3	1	...	...	...

Section IV.—TRANSACTIONS IN REAL ESTATE, MORTGAGES, PATENTS, &c.

No. 92.—Area and Value of Land under Real Property (Torrens') Act 31st December, 1896.

Period.	Crown Lands conveyed under Real Property Act.		Private Lands brought under Real Property Act.		Total.	
	Area.	Value.	Area.	Value.	Area.	Value
	acres.	£	acres.	£	acres.	£
1863 to 1880	9,902,631	10,455,601	519,028	4,439,234	10,421,659	14,894
1881	909,866	1,002,402	17,515	701,804	927,381	1,704
1882	1,257,449	1,402,721	54,937	837,883	1,312,386	2,240
1883	1,040,558	1,301,850	22,006	803,553	1,062,564	2,105
1884	397,927	498,481	31,420	607,928	429,347	1,106
1885	503,565	666,169	31,230	1,157,000	534,795	1,823
1886	399,287	562,960	14,065	723,641	413,352	1,286
1887	382,649	470,661	47,318	1,140,155	429,967	1,610
1888	318,875	421,058	62,085	1,840,008	380,960	2,261
1889	355,330	512,237	45,309	1,348,812	400,639	1,861
1890	194,953	336,369	79,675	1,068,348	274,628	1,404
1891	279,247	403,421	51,145	1,163,044	330,392	1,566
1892	189,990	301,165	83,627	1,243,890	273,617	1,545
1893	253,941	306,842	44,999	962,413	298,940	1,269
1894	267,730	485,006	45,756	808,234	313,486	1,293
1895	289,157	261,262	22,230	755,114	311,387	1,016
1896	320,474	226,440	53,717	861,811	374,191	1,088
Total to 31st December, 1896 ...	17,263,629	19,614,645	1,226,062	20,462,872	18,489,691	40,077

No. 93.—Land Titles granted under Real Property (Torrens') Act, 189

Particulars.	Crown Lands conveyed under Real Property (Torrens') Act.	Private Lands brought under Real Property (Torrens') Act.	Total.
Number of Applications	2,279	353*	2,632
Area—	a. r. p.	a. r. p.	a. r.
Town and Suburban	2,935 2 1	2,158 1 19	5,093 3
Country	317,538 0 13	51,558 0 27	369,096 1
Total	320,473 2 14	53,716 2 6	374,190 0
Declared Value of Properties ... ... £	226,440	861,811	1,088,251
Fees received—			
Assurance ... ... £	475	1,820	2,295
Advertising ... ... £	.....	525	525
Certificates and other dealings ... £	.....	407	407
Total ... ... £	475	2,752	3,227
Stamp Duty ... ... £	†1,878	Not available.	Not availab

* Represents 509 properties.

† **Stamp Duty—Crown Lands.**—The amount of Stamp Duty is that which has been paid by applicants upon r of deeds from the Registrar-General, and does not represent the sum charged by the Commissioner of Stamp Duties d the year, on deeds forwarded to him by the Department of Lands. Although conveyances of land from the Crown are registered under the Real Property Act, the payment of the Stamp Duty, which is collected by the Registrar-General, be enforced until the application for deeds is made.

No. 94.—Mortgages under Deeds Registration Act of 1843 during years 1892–96.

Classification.	1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.	
	No.	Amount of Consideration	No.	Amount of Consideration	No.	Amount of Consideration	No.	Amount of Consideration.	No.	Amount of Consideration
CONTRACTED.										
Mortgages on—		£		£		£		£		£
Town Lands	1,284	1,637,477	1,286	1,313,760	1,113	975,021	854	887,929	882	934,171
Suburban Lands	1,413	961,861	1,100	730,341	1,113	604,648	807	435,385	940	441,171
Country Lands	7,635	6,522,680	6,501	4,849,854	6,333	4,066,249	6,301	5,374,775	5,674	3,776,646
Unclassified Lands ..	118	186,545	464	540,074	342	178,879	505	485,640	359	276,160
Total	10,450	9,328,563	9,351	7,434,029	8,901	5,824,797	8,467	7,183,729	7,555	5,428,148
DISCHARGED.										
All classes of Lands	3,981	2,718,350	3,338	1,864,021	3,630	2,060,696	3,769	2,505,730	4,433	3,106,361

Acts under which Registered.—Mortgages on Real Estate are registered either under the Deeds Registration Act 1843 (7 Vic. No. 16), or the Real Property (Torrens') Act of 1862 (26 Vic. No. 9.)

Amount of Consideration incomplete.—In many instances the amounts lent upon mortgage by banks are not ated, but simply the words "valuable consideration" or "cash credit" inserted in the deeds. As this occurs frequently en the properties mortgaged are evidently of great value, the absence of the amounts must materially affect the returns, d, as a consequence, the amounts under the head of "mortgages" are incomplete. It must be borne in mind, therefore, at the "Amount of Consideration" stated applies only to cases in which the specific amounts are stated in the deeds, ether the amounts be the sums actually advanced or not.

The Discharges do not include foreclosures, which, if not formally registered as discharges, are nevertheless ortgages cancelled. The returns of discharges are therefore incomplete, and the discrepancy between the mortgages ntracted and discharged is largely due to this cause.

o. 95.—Mortgages under Real Property (Torrens') Act of 1862 during years 1892–96.

Classification.	1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.	
	No.	Amount of Consideration.	No.	Amount of Consideration.	No.	Amount of Consideration	No.	Amount of Consideration.	No.	Amount of Consideration.
CONTRACTED.										
All classes of Lands	4,644	6,770,594	4,704	6,034,324	4,277	5,624,968	3,886	4,741,877	3,677	4,652,779
DISCHARGED.										
All classes of Lands	2,644	2,809,272	2,661	1,927,794	2,329	2,083,092	2,525	2,715,443	2,772	2,798,795

No. 96.—Total number of Mortgages during years 1892–96.

Classification.	1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.	
	No.	Amount of Consideration	No.	Amount of Consideration.	No.	Amount of Consideration.	No.	Amount of Consideration.	No.	Amount of Consideration.
CONTRACTED.										
Under Deeds Registration Act of 1843..	10,450	9,328,563	9,351	7,434,029	8,901	5,824,797	8,467	7,183,729	7,855	5,428,148
Under Real Property Act of 1862..	4,644	6,770,594	4,704	6,034,324	4,277	5,624,968	3,886	4,741,877	3,677	4,652,779
Total	15,094	16,099,157	14,055	13,468,353	13,178	11,449,765	12,353	11,925,606	11,532	10,080,927
DISCHARGED.										
Under Deeds Registration Act of 1843..	3,981	2,718,350	3,338	1,864,021	3,630	2,060,696	3,769	2,505,730	4,433	3,106,36[illegible]
Under Real Property Act of 1862..	2,644	2,809,272	2,661	1,927,794	2,329	2,083,092	2,525	2,715,443	2,772	2,798,79[illegible]
Total	6,625	5,527,622	5,999	3,791,815	5,959	4,143,788	6,294	5,221,173	7,205	5,905,15[illegible]

No. 97.—Conveyances and Transfers of Real Estate, 1880–96.

Year.	Amount of consideration.		
	Under Deeds Registration Act of 1843.	Under Real Property (Torrens') Act of 1862.	Total.
	£	£	£
1880	2,405,880	2,621,764	5,027,644
1881	4,974,437	3,024,959	7,999,396
1882	5,693,500	2,960,405	8,653,905
1883	4,022,470	2,604,774	6,627,244
1884	3,798,440	2,677,768	6,476,208
1885	5,245,422	3,164,734	8,410,156
1886	4,085,990	3,060,244	7,146,234
1887	3,598,034	2,784,853	6,382,887
1888	5,893,373	5,175,500	11,068,873
1889	4,169,822	3,333,411	7,503,233
1890	3,954,358	3,600,392	7,554,750
1891	4,564,285	3,602,082	8,166,367
1892	3,537,829	2,716,379	6,254,208
1893	2,317,777	2,532,211	4,849,988
1894	1,945,527	2,048,977	3,994,504
1895	1,812,199	1,862,638	3,674,837
1896	2,212,158	2,009,172	4,221,330

No. 98.—Assurance Fund under Real Property Act, 1891–96.

Year.	Collections on Applications, Transmissions, and Crown Grants.	Refunds of Fees paid on dealings withdrawn, &c.	Compensations and Costs of Legal Actions. (Amount paid independent of period of action.)	Total Refunds, Compensations, &c.	Net amount available for Fund.	Amount at Credit of Fund in Treasury at 31st December, [illegible] added to [illegible]
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1891	5,681	336	Nil.	336	5,345	110,340
1892	4,796	126	1,053	1,179	3,617	117,639
1893	4,207	124	Nil.	124	4,083	125,611
1894	4,990	108	367	475	4,515	134,859
1895	4,349	73	1	74	4,275	143,550
1896	4,098	186	12	198	3,900	151,790

Assurance Fund.—To indemnify the Government for compensating persons, who, through error may have been deprived of their properties, an Assurance Fund has been created by a contribution of one half-penny in the pound being levied on the declared capital value of property brought under the Act.

Compensation paid in respect of Titles improperly granted.—The total amount paid from the Assurance Fund as compensation and costs of legal actions from 1st January, 1863, to 31st December, 1896, was £3,112.

No. 99.—Liens contracted on Wool, 1887–96.

ar.	Liens.			Year.	Liens.		
	Number.	Sheep involved.	Amount of Consideration.		Number.	Sheep involved.	Amount of Consideration.
			£				£
887	1,285	9,296,975	1,685,655	1892	2,051	12,094,876	1,688,661
888	1,174	9,800,520	1,282,125	1893	2,257	13,204,407	1,935,660
889	1,169	7,861,283	1,282,065	1894	2,627	16,084,929	1,952,451
890	1,461	9,005,582	1,562,270	1895	2,509	14,689,647	2,101,048
891	1,701	10,201,412	1,320,823	1896	2,364	11,309,327	1,341,949

Sums Secured both by Lien on Wool and Mortgage of Sheep.—When any sum has been secured, both by on the wool and by mortgage of the sheep, the amount is included under the head of mortgages only—thus , the gross amount lent on liens was £1,397,296; but from this has to be deducted the sum of £55,347, secured y lien on the wool and mortgage on the sheep, so that the net amount lent on lien was £1,341,949.

No. 100.—Mortgages contracted on Live Stock, 1887–96.

r.	Mortgages.					Year.	Mortgages.				
	Number.	Stock involved.			Amount of Consideration.		Number.	Stock involved.			Amount of Consideration.
		Sheep.	Horned Cattle.	Horses.				Sheep.	Horned Cattle.	Horses.	
					£						£
7	1,563	3,954,286	79,312	11,464	2,054,785	1892	2,326	5,966,971	142,695	16,904	2,814,637
8	1,998	4,002,148	80,120	12,364	2,003,216	1893	2,270	8,357,014	227,531	24,241	3,176,725
9	2,018	4,572,477	100,026	11,824	2,432,704	1894	2,167	6,586,711	696,448	18,016	2,059,381
0	2,230	4,962,300	93,298	12,543	3,159,636	1895	1,901	4,983,071	148,629	18,292	2,254,290
1	2,328	6,896,947	111,432	16,728	2,632,758	1896	1,768	4,748,695	93,550	24,520	1,705,245

No. 101.—Liens on Growing Crops, 1887–96.

ar.	Liens.		Year.	Liens.		Year.	Liens.	
	Number.	Amount of Consideration.		Number.	Amount of Consideration.		Number.	Amount of Consideration.
		£			£			£
87	949	67,379	1891	1,171	78,448	1894	2,291	181,432
88	1,006	247,466	1892	1,416	130,155	1895	2,621	219,392
89	1,227	83,748	1893	1,789	159,007	1896	2,567	202,605
90	1,089	75,439						

No. 102.—Mortgages Discharged.

WOOL AND GROWING CROPS.

s on wool and growing crops mature at the end of each season, and terminate without being formally discharged. During 1896, 50 discharges of wool liens, amounting to £28,171, were registered.

LIVE STOCK, 1887–96.

ar.	Discharges.		Year.	Discharges.		Year.	Discharges.	
	Number.	Amount of Consideration.		Number.	Amount of Consideration.		Number.	Amount of Consideration.
		£			£			£
87	210	1,073,674	1891	330	1,184,372	1894	334	496,041
88	240	1,160,307	1892	317	985,048	1895	372	1,053,963
89	256	1,191,089	1893	286	1,062,827	1896	432	886,218
90	368	2,512,551						

No. 103.—Bills of Sale Filed and Satisfied, 1891–96.

Year.	Registrations.		Year.	Registrations.	
	Filed.	*Satisfied, or Orders for discharge made.		Filed.	*Satisfied or Orders discharge m
	No.	No.		No.	No.
1891	2,697	136	1894	2,752	77
1892	2,776	132	1895	2,512	140
1893 ...	3,111	96	1896	2,375	158

***Discharges and Foreclosures.**—It is not compulsory to register discharges; consequently no records exist of Sale terminated voluntarily, or by seizure with Judge's order to discharge. The large discrepancy between the "Filed" and "Satisfied" is accounted for by this fact.

All Mortgages on personalty other than Wool, Live Stock, Growing Crops, Ships, and Shipping Appliances, and entered at the Supreme Court under the "Bills of Sale Act of 1855."

For particulars of Mortgages on Ships and Shipping Appliances, see Part "Shipping."

No. 104.—Summary of Mortgages (Realty and Personalty), 1891–96.

Class.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	189
CONTRACTED.						
Realty—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Under Deeds Registration Act	10,520,261	9,328,563	7,434,029	5,824,797	7,183,729	5,428
Under Real Property Act...	8,535,876	6,770 594	6,034,324	5,624,968	4,741,877	4,652
Total	19,056,137	16,099,157	13,468,353	11,449,765	11,925,606	10 080
Personalty—						
Liens on Wool	1,320,823	1,688,661	1,935,660	1,952,451	2,101,048	1,341
Mortgages on Live Stock...	2,632,758	2,814,637	3,176,725	2,059,381	2,254,290	1,705
Liens on Growing Crops ...	78,448	130,155	159,007	181,432	219,392	232
Mortgages on Ships (only)	25,399	35,406	19,833	24,997	14,407	25
Mortgages on Shipping Appliances	12,472	Not known.	Not known.	18,455	Not known.	Not kn
Bills of Sale	Amounts not available.					
DISCHARGED.						
Realty—						
Under Deeds Registration Act	3,140,871	2,718,350	1,864,021	2,060,696	2,505,730	3,106
Under Real Property Act..	3,991,165	2,809,272	1,927,794	2,083,092	2,715,443	2,79
Total	7,132,036	5,527,622	3,791,815	4,143,788	5,221,173	5,905,
Personalty—						
Liens on Wool	Mature at the end of each Season.					
Mortgages on Live Stock...	1,184,372	985,048	1,062,827	496,041	1,053,863	885,
Liens on Growing Crops .	Mature at the end of each Season.					
Mortgages on Ships (only)	21,480	13,641	26,988	16,273	19,760	18,
Mortgages on Shipping Appliances	Not known.	3,589	Not known.			
Bills of Sale	Amounts not available.					

No. 105.—Patents.

PPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS PATENT, AND CERTIFICATES OF PROVISIONAL PROTECTION REGISTERED, 1887-96.

Country.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	Total registered under "1887 Act."
mpire—											
sia—											
South Wales	215	322	344	315	330	276	253	300	305	295	2,955
ria	76	144	163	150	161	140	134	154	137	157	1,416
sland	12	14	16	16	16	20	14	20	14	20	162
Australia	17	27	16	27	32	27	20	30	21	38	255
rn Australia	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	3	3	6	15
nia	..	1	..	5	1	3	3	5	5	6	29
Zealand	17	43	27	43	38	29	33	44	75	89	438
Kingdom	42	107	137	145	131	112	76	101	106	142	1,099
.. ..	1	7	1	1	6	4	2	3	7	2	34
lony	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
.. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
.. ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
Countries—											
ne Republic	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
.. ..	..	1	4	1	5	1	..	2	1	..	15
.. ..	2	1	..	2	2	..	1	..	2	2	12
k	1	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	2	7
.. ..	4	8	5	6	6	3	4	2	12	8	58
ledonia	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	3
y	2	12	9	6	6	15	10	7	10	15	92
n Islands	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
.. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	3
.. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
d	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
.. ..	..	3	2	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	9
frican Republic (Transvaal) ..	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	2	2	8
.. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
.. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
.. ..	2	4	3	2	1	1	3	1	..	6	23
.. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
and	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2
States	17	46	66	43	53	66	49	45	72	66	523
otal under "1887 Act"	408	742	796	768	792	704	606	720	779	859	7,174

ration of Patents.—The period for which Letters Patent remain in force varies from seven to fourteen years, for the latter period; a Certificate of Provisional Protection can, however, only be granted for twelve months e of issue. A patent granted in New South Wales only protects the holder or holders within the boundaries of the

ASSIGNMENTS, &c., 1887-96.

Applications for Letters Patent to supersede Certificates.	Assignments registered.	Licenses registered.	Year.	Applications for Letters Patent to supersede Certificates.	Assignments registered.	Licenses registered.
12	23	....	1893	77	113	19
75	50	....	1894	81	80	44
89	84	3	1895	88	104	17
105	100	2	1896	111	91	12
101	111	3	Total under "1887 Act" ..	821	861	108
82	105	8				

signment of Patents and Licenses.—Letters Patent and Certificates may be assigned, and the grantee of Patent may issue licenses for the manufacture or use of his invention. All assignments and licenses, unless d by the Examiner, are null and void.

FEES PAID, 1887-96.

Year.	Applications— For Letters Patent.	Applications— To supersede Certificates of Provisional Protection.	Applications— For Certificates of Provisional Protection.	Caveats, Searches, Licenses, &c.	Total Fees received under "1887 Act."
	£	£	£	£	£
.. .. ..	1,125	36	366	10	1,537
.. .. ..	2,450	225	504	55	3,234
.. .. ..	2,590	267	556	77	3,490
.. .. ..	2,470	315	548	88	3,421
.. .. ..	2,700	303	504	87	3,594
.. .. ..	2,480	246	416	109	3,251
.. .. ..	1,830	231	480	102	2,643
.. .. ..	2,050	243	620	89	3,002
.. .. ..	2,390	264	602	99	3,355
.. .. ..	2,725	333	628	88	3,774
nder "1887 Act"	22,810	2,463	5,224	804	31,301

er the 1887 Act the fees for complete Letters Patent were reduced to £5, and provision was then made for f Certificates of Provisional Protection on payment of a fee of £2, which may, if application be made within nths from granting, be converted into an application for a Patent on the payment of an additional £3.

No. 106.—Trade Mark Certificates.

Year.	Applications.		Transfers.	Fees received.	Year.	Applications.		Transfers.	Fees recei
	Received.	Granted.				Received.	Granted.		
				£					£
1881	122		Nil.	384	1889	275	*	8	86
1882	186	*	1	586	1890	414	379	34	1,24
1883	238	*	9	750	1891	425	370	34	1,23
1884	241	*	14	759	1892	365	327	19	1,10
1885	209	*	12	658	1893	394	304	63	1,07
1886	385	*	5	1,213	1894	546	381	94	1,43
1887	291	*	17	916	1895	516	397	52	1,45
1888	375	*	25	1,181	1896	475	355	26	1,38

Cost of Registration.—An application for Registration costs £3 3s., and a transfer of a Trade-mark, £1 1s charges, however, are made for applications withdrawn or refused, excepting in cases where gazetting is demanded applicant.

*Information not readily available.

No. 107.—Copyright.

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE, 1891–96.

Year.	Registrations.	Receipts.	Disbursements (Salaries.)	Year.	Registrations.	Receipts.	Disburse (Salar
	No.	£ s. d	£ s. d.		No.	£ s. d.	£
1891	88	34 15 0	420 0 0	1894	179	52 6 0	543
1892	156	45 15 0	550 13 0	1895	146	50 15 0	543
1893	87	31 11 0	543 0 0	1896	112	41 12 0	369

The Copyright Act (42 Vic., No. 20) was passed in May, 1879, and became law on the 1st July following. Un International Copyright Act, 1886 (49 and 50 Vic., clause 33), and the Orders in Council thereunder, the greater par body of Imperial Copyright law applicable to literary and artistic works together with the Copyright Conv became reciprocally applicable to Great Britain and the countries that are parties to the Convention, namely Britain with her Colonies and Possessions, France and her Colonies (including Algiers), Germany, Italy, Spain with Switzerland, Luxembourg, Monaco, Hayti, Belgium, Montenegro, and Tunis; consequently, it is now possible for right works to receive International protection within the limitations prescribed by law. The same Act Copyright in literary works upon the same footing as Imperial Copyright, that is to say, a work first published in by registration in such colony obtain protection throughout the British dominions. The registrations effected Act up to the end of 1896 amounted in number to 2,258, receipts to £710, and disbursements (salaries) to £5,

Duration of Copyright.—Books are protected for the natural life of the author and for 7 years after his 42 years from first publication, whichever may be the longer period; paintings, drawings, sculpture, and engravings years; photographs, 3 years; articles composed wholly or chiefly of metal, wood, stone, cement, glass, earthenware bone, and similar substances, 3 years; paperhangings, carpets, oilcloths, and all kinds of textile and woven articles To obtain the benefits of the Act in reference to designs, every article must bear the word "Registered," together w name of the proprietor and the date of registration.

PART X.

HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES.

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Gross Expenditure by the State on Hospitals and Charities, during the year ended 30th June, 1897.

Head of Service.		Amount.	
		£	£
and Charities—			
Adviser to the Government		.....	11,822
Board		.....	124
f Health	Loans...	4,777	24,907
	Revenue	20,130	
d of Inquiry—Leprosy case		.....	110
eyance Lepers to China		.....	2,072
mmodation for Patients awaiting Examination		.....	40
nent Analyst		.....	1,016
f Pharmacy		.....	129
s for Insane (including Master-in-Lunacy Department)	Loans...	51,094	150,171
	Revenue	99,077	
Hospital	Loans...	1,685	9,384
	Revenue	7,699	
of Premises, Moorcliff and Victoria Lodge		.....	350
ospital, Little Bay...		.....	9,788
lfred Hospital		.....	3,876
on Centennial Hospital		.....	642
for Sick Children		.....	1,200
of Premises		.....	250
and Suburban Hospitals—			
al Grants		.....	7,550
ral Subsidy		.....	28,469
d of Building Funds		.....	763
es' Protection Board		.....	9,388
ent of Charitable Institutions—			
ms for the Infirm and Destitute	Loans...	5,640	102,504
	Revenue	96,864	
rt on the reorganisation of the Charitable System		.....	26
purchase of land for Ragged School, Glebe		.....	57
nd Industry Branch		.....	11,755*
ennial Park—Clearing, &c.		.....	4,051
ur Settlements (Lands Department)		.....	557
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Charitable Institutions, &c.—			
tenance of Sick Paupers...		.....	12,230
ort of Women and Children in Benevolent Asylums, &c.		.....	5,900
tenance of Deserted Children, Paupers, Relief, &c.		.....	7,310
volent Society, Sydney		.....	8,250
, „ Newcastle		.....	3,500
ey Rescue Work Society...		.....	969
l of Destitute Persons		.....	645
e for Indigent Blind Women, Strathfield		.....	500
uction to the Blind		.....	500
its' Home, Ashfield		.....	500
tution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind		.....	450
als Protection Society		.....	128
en's Branch of Royal Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals		.....	50
rs' Home—			
lney		.....	350
wcastle		.....	350
nal Shipwreck Relief Society		.....	250
f and Conveyance of Distressed Seamen		.....	7
ange on Remittances to Distressed Persons		.....	56
ray Claims for Transmission of Paupers		.....	2,202
llaneous Relief		.....	298
Total Expenditure	£	.....	425,478

*Expenditure on account of Unemployed and Relief Work cannot be separated.

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Hospitals.	Nursing Staff.		Accommodation.							
			Beds.				Admissions.			
	Matron and Sub-Matron.	Nurses, Probationers, and Wardsmen.	For Ordinary Cases.	For Infectious Cases.	Total.	Average Cubic Space per Bed.	Inmates on 1st Jan., 1896, from previous year. M.	F.	Total.	Admitted during 1896.
METROPOLITAN.										
Government—						cubic ft.				
Sydney (Coast, Little Bay) ..	1	31	228	23	251	931	113	62	175	2,213
Subsidised—										
Balmain, Cottage	1	2	11	..	11	781	3	2	5	86
Camperdown (Prince Alfred) ..	1	60	230	6	236	1,490	119	95	214	3,196
Croydon (Western Suburbs Cottage)..	1	3	12	..	12	1,188	5	4	9	125
Glebe (Sick Children's)	1	24	52	12	64	650	21	36	57	652
Kogarah (St. George's Cottage)..	1	2	8	..	8	3,135	1	3	4	93
‡Manly, Cottage	1	2	10	1	11	1,016	....	..	....	....
North Sydney (North Shore) ..	1	5	23	..	23	1,026	8	7	15	309
Sydney	1	65	309	6	315	1,597	175	81	256	4,037
Unsubsidised—										
Sydney (St. Vincent's)	2	37	160	2	162	1,787	70	36	106	1,258
Lewisham (Women and Children)..	1	6	42	..	42	....	....	14	14	338
Parramatta River (Thomas Walker, Convalescent) ..	1	6	78	1	79	1,273	20	38	58	805
Total, Metropolitan ..	13	243	1,163	51	1,214	....	535	378	913	13,112
COUNTRY.										
Subsidised—										
Albury	1	3	33	6	39	1,168	21	1	22	329
Armidale and New England ..	1	4	27	3	30	1,108	10	7	17	187
Ballina	1	1	12	..	12	984	6	2	8	81
Balranald	1	1	8	5	13	1,591	4	1	5	71
Barraba	1	1	8	..	8	912	2	..	2	41
Bathurst	1	7	32	3	35	1,514	16	8	24	379
Bega	1	1	11	2	13	1,010	....	..	....	84
Berrima	1	2	8	2	10	1,136	2	2	4	76
Bingara	1	1	6	6	12	660	....	..	....	49
Bombala	1	1	7	2	9	1,256	1	..	1	25
Bourke	1	2	32	..	32	1,440	23	4	27	294
Braidwood	1	1	10	9	19	1,593	5	1	6	55
Brewarrina	1	1	10	2	12	1,188	6	..	6	82
Broken Hill	1	11	45	..	45	1,754	25	5	30	290
Bulli, Cottage	1	1	5	..	5	1,065	1	..	1	14
Camden (Carrington Centennial)	1	5	95	..	95	955	37	33	70	1,055
Carcoar	1	1	12	2	14	740	3	..	3	56
Casino	1	1	13	2	15	1,494	....	..	....	46
Cobar	1	1	7	2	9	768	7	..	7	82
Collarendebri	1	1	6	..	6	470	....	..	....	35
Condobolin	1	1	10	4	14	878	2	..	2	57
Cooma	1	....	7	4	11	958	2	..	2	60
Coonabarabran	1	1	7	1	8	987	2	..	2	34
Coonamble	1	1	8	..	8	1,044	5	1	6	84
Cootamundra	1	1	10	1	11	1,490	3	1	4	94
Corowa	1	1	10	2	12	1,367	5	1	6	146
Cowra	1	2	8	6	14	1,613	4	..	4	120
Deniliquin	1	1	24	3	27	857	5	1	6	165
Dubbo	1	3	14	12	26	876	12	..	12	135
Dungog, Cottage	1	1	6	2	8	1,515	1	..	1	40
Forbes	1	2	16	4	20	1,122	12	5	17	174
Glen Innes	1	1	13	4	17	1,186	1	..	1	59
Goodooga	1	....	6	..	6	1,538	1	..	1	34
Goulburn	1	6	30	16	46	1,234	12	8	20	257
Grafton	1	5	26	2	28	1,173	9	2	11	175
Grenfell	1	....	10	4	14	1,609	3	..	3	52
Gulgong	1	....	10	2	12	1,102	2	4	6	88
Gundagai, & Benevolent Society	1	2	10	5	15	909	3	..	3	76
Gunnedah	1	1	9	5	14	1,052	....	..	....	111

* No returns received. † Attend

SPITALS.

Discharged, &c., year ended 31st December, 1896.

d.	Discharges and Deaths. Re-lieved.	Unre-lieved.	Died.	Total.	Patients remaining at end of 1896. M.	F.	Total.	Average daily number resi-dent.	Average resi-dence of Dis-charged Patients	Total Cost—Mainten-ance and Treatment of Indoor Patients.	Rate of mortality on cases treated.	Outdoor Relief. Number of Patients. Males.	Females.	Total.
									days.	£	per cent.			
41	388	40	120	2,189	130	69	199	204·1	31·3	10,494	5·4	..	..	....
79	3	1	5	88	2	1	3	5·4	22·7	377	5·7	793	429	1,222
67	827	302	315	3,211	110	89	199	221·0	26·0	15,485	9·8	..	..	11,800
03	10	1	8	122	6	6	12	12·0	26·4	878	6·5	80	31	111
74	87	28	76	665	28	16	44	46·0	28·5	3,176	10·7	..	..	2,204
65	17	5	6	93	....	4	4	5·0	18·0	339	6·4	..	..	....
.	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	..	..	..	....
08	73	....	27	308	6	10	16	15·2	17·6	1,226	8·8	..	..	....
63	918	163	378	4,022	171	100	271	275·9	23·7	16,942	9·4	..	..	†38,747
62	220	15	66	1,263	61	40	101	*	29·0	*	5·2	..	..	....
66	28	15	11	320	....	32	32	*	*	*	3·1	..	..	1,200
60	213	23	....	805	20	38	58	68·0	*	*	..	..	..	....
97	2,784	593	1,012	13,086	534	405	939	....	....	48,917	7·2	105,284		
47	37	7	21	312	21	9	30	27·1	24·0	1,511	6·7	667	291	958
09	50	3	17	179	20	5	25	19·0	38·5	1,102	9·5	48	26	74
60	17	....	9	86	3	....	3	3·7	14·9	487	10·5	6	1	7
54	10	....	6	70	4	2	6	6·3	22·0	985	8·6	38	22	60
28	4	4	3	39	3	1	4	2·0	17·0	400	7·7	25	12	37
65	61	....	47	373	24	6	30	25·0	22·0	1,728	12·6	121	120	241
34	10	2	6	52	1	1	2	5·3	23·2	406	11·5	..	..	....
52	14	....	9	75	5	....	5	4·1	18·4	459	12·0	..	..	....
31	14	....	2	47	2	....	2	3·0	22·0	332	4·2	4	2	6
21	2	....	2	25	1	....	1	2·0	20·0	228	8·0	25	19	44
07	65	....	30	302	15	4	19	23·4	28·0	1,460	9·9	..	..	....
35	15	1	8	59	1	1	2	3·7	20·3	297	13·5	..	..	....
70	7	3	8	88	....	....	....	3·6	14·0	503	9·1	66	23	89
96	16	8	65	295	21	4	25	32·0	45·0	2,997	22·0	..	..	....
8	6	....	1	15	....	....	....	1·1	25·5	149	6·7	..	..	....
88	250	22	4	1,064	31	30	61	78·0	27·0	2,892	0·4	..	..	....
39	9	3	6	57	2	....	2	3·0	18·0	336	10·5	16	10	26
31	9	....	1	41	4	1	5	1·9	14·0	281	2·4	1	..	1
60	18	....	5	83	5	1	6	6·5	26·8	585	6·0	..	..	....
28	3	....	3	34	1	....	1	1·8	19·5	315	8·8	..	..	....
48	26	....	7	81	7	1	8	3·8	15·4	528	8·6	28	4	32
31	21	....	6	58	4	....	4	4·2	23·0	335	10·3	46	56	102
21	6	....	6	33	2	1	3	2·4	25·2	255	18·2	..	..	....
54	14	....	6	84	5	1	6	4·0	19·0	404	7·1	46	3	49
84	20	....	7	91	7	....	7	4·4	16·4	477	7·7	..	..	....
02	25	4	13	144	7	1	8	6·2	16·8	763	9·0	210	13	223
33	21	....	16	120	4	....	4	6·0	15·0	334	13·3	..	..	....
15	35	....	8	158	13	2	15	13·1	26·7	1,075	5·1	171	94	265
99	22	....	15	136	6	5	11	9·0	22·0	850	10·0	141	46	187
29	4	....	4	37	3	1	4	3·3	33·0	268	10·8	..	..	....
23	76	....	17	186	4	1	5	10·3	17·0	724	9·1	30	20	50
35	10	2	9	56	4	....	4	2·8	24·6	306	16·1	..	..	....
27	6	1	1	35	....	....	....	2·3	23·5	448	2·8	..	..	....
95	43	....	23	261	12	4	16	22·3	31·6	1,364	8·8	36	13	49
15	42	5	10	172	10	4	14	10·0	4·0	1,019	5·8	36	16	52
40	8	....	5	53	2	1	3	3·3	23·4	336	9·4	..	..	....
56	20	2	12	90	5	4	9	6·3	22·5	457	13·3	40	22	62
45	23	....	4	72	4	1	5	5·5	28·9	542	5·5	57	16	73
85	15	....	6	106	2	3	5	4·6	13·4	434	5·6	35	17	52

†pened December, 1896.

No. 2.—Hospital Staffs, Accommodation, Pa

Hospitals.	Nursing Staff.		Accommodation.				Admissions.			
			Beds.				Inmates on 1st Jan., 1896, from previous year.			Admitted during 1896.
	Matron and Sub-Matron.	Nurses, Probationers, and Wardsmen.	For Ordinary Cases.	For Infectious Cases.	Total.	Average Cubic Space per Bed.	M.	F.	Total.	
COUNTRY—*continued.*										
Subsidised—*continued.*										
Hay	1	3	24	6	30	1,299	9	2	11	211
Hill End	1	....	15	1	16	1,321	2	..	2	27
Hillgrove, Cottage	1	1	9	7	16	843	4	..	4	42
Hillston	1	2	15	9	24	1,517	6	1	7	108
Inverell	1	1	16	4	20	1,153	4	1	5	117
Jerilderie	1	1	8	2	10	1,187	3	..	3	65
Junee, Cottage	1	1	8	2	10	943	1	1	2	47
Kiama	1	2	8	2	10	1,302	7	..	7	69
Lismore	1	....	14	6	20	986	5	..	5	106
Lithgow	1	....	6	..	6	1,140	....	..	....	24
Lower Clarence (Maclean) ..	1	2	10	2	12	1,766	7	1	8	96
Macleay District (Kempsey West)	1	2	14	10	24	952	4	5	9	118
Maitland	1	4	32	4	36	1,002	14	4	18	298
Manning River (Taree)	1	3	16	2	18	1,839	3	4	7	173
Merriwa	1	....	7	..	7	1,656	....	..	....	16
Molong	1	2	8	..	8	960	2	4	6	97
Moree	1	1	11	4	15	1,175	8	1	9	86
Moruya	1	1	4	..	4	1,320	1	1	2	18
Mudgee	1	2	23	2	25	1,069	12	1	13	155
Murrurundi	1	1	12	2	14	874	4	2	6	73
Muswellbrook	1	1	12	5	17	1,040	4	2	6	84
Narrabri, & Benevolent Society	1	2	16	2	18	752	10	..	10	167
Narrandera	1	3	19	..	19	1,654	14	1	15	215
Nepean, Cottage (Penrith) ..	1	2	10	2	12	1,386	1	1	2	63
Newcastle	1	12	60	6	66	914	34	12	46	766
Nymagee	1	1	8	2	10	824	1	..	1	23
Orange	1	3	21	8	29	1,231	10	4	14	222
Parkes	1	2	28	..	28	1,201	11	3	14	218
Parramatta	1	7	24	4	28	1,080	13	8	21	254
Peak Hill	1	1	6	1	7	1,710	3	1	4	47
Queanbeyan	1	1	9	4	13	989	3	1	4	32
Scone	1	1	10	2	12	1,464	6	1	7	145
Silverton	1	....	10	4	14	1,785	5	..	5	44
Singleton	1	1	27	5	32	1,675	8	7	15	[illegible]
Sofala	1	....	4	..	4	540	1	..	1	[illegible]
Tamworth	1	3	20	7	27	1,229	17	2	19	[illegible]
Temora	1	....	14	6	20	1,431	1	..	1	[illegible]
Tenterfield	1	1	9	2	11	901	3	..	3	[illegible]
Tibooburra	....	1	8	2	10	1,037	1	..	1	[illegible]
Urana	1	....	9	7	16	874	5	..	5	[illegible]
Vegetable Creek (Emmaville) ..	1	....	10	..	10	1,188	....	1	1	[illegible]
Walcha, Cottage	1	....	7	2	9	1,341	3	..	3	[illegible]
Warialda	1	1	8	..	8	1,387	2	..	2	[illegible]
Wagga Wagga	1	3	25	5	30	1,237	12	4	16	[illegible]
Walgett	1	1	13	..	13	1,155	6	2	8	[illegible]
Wallsend	1	3	20	..	20	1,751	7	3	10	[illegible]
Warren	1	1	8	3	11	1,189	2	1	3	[illegible]
Wellington	1	1	12	2	14	694	4	..	4	[illegible]
Wentworth	1	1	15	6	21	1,063	6	..	6	[illegible]
Wilcannia	....	2	18	7	25	1,339	13	2	15	[illegible]
Windsor, & Benevolent Society	1	2	50	6	56	806	20	6	26	[illegible]
Wollongong	1	1	16	3	19	944	....	1	1	[illegible]
Wyalong	1	3	10	4	14	1,243	10	..	10	[illegible]
Yass	1	1	11	2	13	1,245	3	2	5	[illegible]
Young (Burrangong District) ..	1	2	12	4	16	1,246	7	5	12	[illegible]
Unsubsidised										
Auburn (St. Joseph's)	1	5	18	2	20	1,240	6	2	8	124
Total, Country	93	174	1,458	303	1,761	....	601	187	788	11,884

SUMMARY.

Metropolitan	13	243	1,163	51	1,214	....	535	378	913	13,112
Country	93	174	1,458	303	1,761	....	601	187	788	11,884
Total, N.S.W.	106	417	2,621	354	2,975	....	1,136	565	1,701	24,996

tted and Discharged, &c., 1896—*continued.*

Discharges and Deaths.				Patients remaining at end of 1896.			Average daily number resident.	Average residence of Discharged Patients	Total Cost—Maintenance and Treatment of Indoor Patients.	Rate of mortality on cases treated.	Outdoor Relief. Number of Patients.		
Relieved.	Unrelieved.	Died.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.					Males.	Females.	Total.
								days.	£	per cent.			
25	2	21	199	14	9	23	15·2	28·3	1,128	10·5	184	67	251
5	1	3	27	2	....	2	3·0	40·0	348	11·1	16	8	24
4	....	4	42	2	2	4	4·8	37·6	671	9·5	..	..	....
20	1	9	111	3	2	5	9·0	23·7	743	8·1	82	28	110
27	1	14	110	5	1	6	7·4	25·3	588	12·7	19	25	44
4	....	9	63	5	....	5	3·9	22·4	496	14·3	24	2	26
1	....	5	48	....	1	1	2·7	19·7	305	10·4	12	..	12
8	....	6	64	3	....	3	4·0	20·0	381	9·4	..	..	....
36	2	7	104	4	3	7	5·1	16·8	574	6·7	14	2	16
1	1	1	22	1	1	2	3·5	22·3	114	4·5	..	..	....
14	2	5	101	3	....	3	6·8	28·1	489	4·9	34	12	46
31	....	11	121	5	1	6	7·5	18·8	524	9·1	25	15	40
45	....	23	294	11	5	16	23·0	28·0	1,468	7·8	129	64	193
33	11	7	169	10	1	11	12·1	29·5	956	4·1	..	..	....
2	....	1	16	....	....	....	2·0	48·0	117	6·2	..	..	....
28	2	7	96	5	2	7	9·0	21·0	621	7·3	..	..	....
19	1	17	90	8	....	8	8·3	37·6	744	18·8	..	..	....
4	....	3	19	1	....	1	0·8	14·7	168	15·8	..	..	....
47	12	17	159	5	4	9	13·4	30·2	702	10·7	..	..	....
3	1	5	76	3	....	3	4·3	24·9	450	6·6	1	1	2
9	6	8	83	4	3	7	7·8	31·1	401	9·6	10	1	11
58	....	13	164	7	....	7	10·0	22·8	671	7·9	.	..	....
49	....	18	216	8	3	11	17·0	30·6	1,121	8·3	..	..	295
14	....	10	61	1	3	4	5·0	39·0	365	16·4	46	14	60
137	14	75	770	30	6	36	46·9	23·3	2,691	9·7	..	..	785
8	....	2	27	2	1	3	1·7	19·3	234	7·4	..	..	....
102	5	13	215	15	7	22	15·5	28·0	839	6·0	..	..	....
27	....	27	216	8	5	13	16·7	25·5	996	12·5	14	4	18
28	....	35	283	13	5	18	17·9	30·7	1,397	12·4	..	..	*
8	....	6	51	....	....	....	3·2	23·0	369	11·8	18	10	28
13	5	3	33	2	1	3	2·2	25·7	298	9·1	..	..	....
35	....	8	141	8	3	11	8·3	19·7	610	5·7	..	4	4
9	....	3	45	4	....	4	4·0	30·1	273	6·6	..	..	....
13	4	11	53	11	4	15	15·0	51·0	436	20·7	..	1	1
1	....	4	17	....	....	....	0·9	19·2	89	23·5	..	..	....
17	7	20	211	12	2	14	18·3	32·8	1,137	9·5	..	..	....
18	....	7	68	5	....	5	8·0	16·0	410	10·3	..	..	*
17	3	1	33	....	....	....	3·6	34·3	286	2·6	..	..	....
13	1	8	76	3	....	3	5·3	24·9	703	10·5	90	..	90
30	2	9	96	2	....	2	5·5	20·0	615	9·4	..	..	....
7	1	3	23	1	....	1	1·5	19·4	222	10·7	..	..	....
11	....	2	46	....	....	....	3·2	21·1	335	4·3	..	..	....
8	1	5	33	2	....	2	2·8	29·5	388	15·1	15	1	16
20	....	22	315	6	5	11	14·9	17·0	907	7·0	..	..	*
18	1	7	114	2	....	2	7·0	23·1	710	6·1	33	3	36
15	9	12	178	10	3	13	14·0	27·1	899	6·7	..	..	....
17	....	4	81	1	1	2	3·4	13·8	457	4·9	245	25	270
31	....	10	72	6	....	6	3·7	16·7	378	13·9	..	..	....
21	....	7	112	4	1	5	5·3	16·5	810	6·2	210	127	337
63	....	20	156	10	....	10	11·8	26·4	1,082	12·8	123	120	243
46	5	10	126	18	6	24	28·0	25·0	809	7·9	9	13	22
11	....	4	46	....	2	2	3·2	25·0	123	8·7	8	2	10
15	1	27	127	6	2	8	9·2	27·2	658	21·2	..	..	....
22	2	5	110	3	2	5	7·3	23·3	554	4·5	..	..	....
28	4	11	138	7	6	13	10·0	30·0	701	8·0	..	..	....
31	5	14	142	12	8	20	....	....	548	8·7	55	25	80
2,381	180	1,047	11,888	578	206	784	....	....	63,475	8·3	5,809		

SUMMARY.

2,784	503	1,012	13,086	534	405	939	....	....	48,917	7·2	..	..	105,284
2,381	**180**	**1,047**	**11,888**	**578**	**206**	**784**	....	....	**63,475**	**8·3**	..	..	**5,809**
5,165	**773**	**2,059**	**24,974**	**1,112**	**611**	**1,723**	....	....	**112,392**	**7·7**	**111,093**		

No. 3.—Number of Hospitals, Accommodation, Patients, and Deaths, 1892-9

Classification.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	189
METROPOLITAN.					
Hospitals from which Returns were received	8	9	11	11	
Beds in Hospitals	840	1,096	1,191	1,195	1,2
Indoor Patients	10,170	10,827	12,340	13,536	14,0
Deaths in Hospitals	764	799	867	907	1,0
Outdoor Patients	31,433	*125,218	38,316	*150,241	*165,1
COUNTRY.					
Hospitals from which Returns were received	80	84	92	94	
Beds in Hospitals	1,405	1,525	1,664	1,727	1,7
Indoor Patients	9,044	9,597	11,242	12,061	12,6
Deaths in Hospitals	676	699	815	922	1,0
Outdoor Patients	2,250	3,843	5,971	6,516	5,9
NEW SOUTH WALES.					
Hospitals from which Returns were received	88	93	103	105	1
Beds in Hospitals	2,245	2,621	2,855	2,922	2,9
Indoor Patients	19,214	20,424	23,582	25,597	26,6
Deaths in Hospitals	1,440	1,498	1,682	1,829	2,0
Outdoor Patients	33,683	*129,061	44,287	*156,757	*111,6

* As the number of attendances of outdoor patients at the Sydney Hospital was furnished this year, and not the numb distinct patients, the figures cannot be compared with those of 1892 and 1894.

No. 4.—Number of Indoor Patients in Hospitals on the 31st December, 1887-

Year.	Metropolitan.			Country.			New South Wales.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Tot
1887	435	218	653	380	95	475	815	313	1,1
1888	475	270	745	381	107	488	856	377	1,2
1889	486	269	755	443	113	556	929	382	1,3
1890	475	270	745	451	98	549	926	368	1,2
1891	487	272	759	463	114	577	950	386	1,3
1892	550	289	839	452	111	563	1,002	400	1,4
1893	515	321	836	489	140	629	1,004	461	1,4
1894	520	350	870	597	174	771	1,117	524	1,6
1895	529	405	934	575	199	774	1,104	604	1,7
1896	534	405	939	578	206	784	1,112	611	1,7

No. 5.—Revenue and Expenditure of Hospitals, 1892-96.

Year.	Revenue.				Expenditure.			
	Government.	Subscriptions and Donations.	Other Sources.	Total.	Buildings and Repairs.	Maintenance, including Salaries and Wages.	Other.	Total
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
METROPOLITAN.								
1892	37,510	20,299	2,594	60,403	11,065	50,835	4,663	66,5
1893	35,085	17,384	2,140	54,609	3,203	46,112	4,595	53,9
1894	33,879	16,950	3,280	54,109	5,564	45,973	4,897	56,4
1895	35,621	20,428	2,809	58,858	6,428	48,545	5,337	60,3
1896	41,275	20,389	3,462	65,126	3,130	51,743	5,283	60,1
COUNTRY.								
1892	32,976	30,065	4,518	67,559	12,064	52,805	5,896	70,6
1893	30,657	29,044	4,094	63,795	8,781	47,673	5,567	62,0
1894	36,211	31,823	4,040	72,074	8,645	52,052	6,636	67,3
1895	36,591	28,748	5,408	70,747	9,552	51,438	6,186	67,1
1896	34,502	34,070	3,341	71,913	8,308	56,732	7,889	72,9
NEW SOUTH WALES.								
1892	70,486	50,364	7,112	127,962	23,129	103,640	10,469	127,2
1893	65,742	46,428	6,234	118,404	11,984	93,785	10,162	115,9
1894	70,090	48,773	7,320	126,183	14,209	98,025	11,533	123,7
1895	72,212	49,176	8,217	129,605	15,980	99,983	11,523	127,4
1896	75,777	54,459	6,803	137,039	11,438	108,475	13,172	133,0

—Revenue and Expenditure of Hospitals, year ended 31st December, 1896.

Hospitals.	Revenue.							Expenditure.				
	Government.	Subscriptions.	Donations.	Contributions by Patients.	Interest on Invested Funds.	Other Sources.	Total.	Salaries.	Maintenance.	Buildings and Repairs.	Miscellaneous.	Total
METROPOLITAN.												
ent :—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
—(Coast, Little	12,092	..	..	..	..	..	12,092	3,856	6,638	227	1,371	12,092
ed :—												
n, Cottage ..	782	562	..	68	28	..	1,440	242	322	617	45	1,226
own (P. Alfred)	10,471	2,263	445	2,289	1,394	223	17,085	7,786	7,385	984	608	16,763
n (Western rbs, Cottage) ..	250	112	487	90	..	3	942	369	440	276	69	1,154
(Sick Children's)	1,484	1,689	..	508	28	..	3,709	1,471	1,504	69	529	3,573
h (St. George's ge)	241	54	287	17	..	..	599	111	201	..	74	386
ey (N. Shore) ..	486	197	486	154	..	4	1,327	388	686	76	183	1,333
.. .. ..	15,469	3,848	..	2,410	1,026	176	22,929	6,882	9,045	826	2,193	18,946
dised :—												
(St. Vincent's).	....	3,739	..	..	..	441	4,180	1,257	2,706	47	161	4,171
am (Women and ren)	....	127	350	207	..	139	823	99	355	8	50	512
atta River (Thos. r Convalescent).	....	..	..	..	..	..	*....	..	....	..	..	*....
tal Metropolitan.	41,275	12,591	2,055	5,743	2,476	986	65,126	22,461	29,282	3,130	5,283	60,156
COUNTRY.												
ed :—												
.. .. ..	634	332	309	..	23	..	1,298	691	766	62	97	1,616
ds & New England	381	263	94	261	59	31	1,089	443	476	68	135	1,122
.. .. ..	358	65	108	60	..	4	595	213	247	7	84	551
ld	632	368	..	..	..	11	1,011	477	338	230	94	1,139
.. .. ..	185	42	47	32	..	1	307	222	175	..	7	404
st	504	481	261	163	34	..	1,443	761	619	286	63	1,729
.. .. ..	229	98	108	22	16	..	473	236	126	7	37	406
.. .. ..	335	61	69	66	11	2	544	180	204	30	43	457
.. .. ..	157	87	93	9	..	..	346	189	139	3	13	344
.. .. ..	....	..	..	..	6	..	6	..	....	..	..	....
a	112	22	105	12	..	..	251	129	100	..	15	244
.. .. ..	539	485	93	32	69	..	1,218	630	715	34	115	1,494
ood	214	23	126	3	..	..	366	103	163	12	20	298
rina	573	88	263	78	7	..	1,009	317	218	7	94	636
Hill	1,683	1,021	..	494	5	5	3,208	1,127	1,367	109	388	2,991
Cottage	153	33	90	..	1	..	277	44	92	21	12	169
n (Carrington nnial)	2,217	479	425	111	44	73	3,349	974	1,091	220	808	3,093
.. .. ..	158	193	..	22	11	..	384	158	150	7	30	345
.. .. ..	239	49	63	35	..	..	386	155	109	88	43	395
.. .. ..	....	253	34	32	5	..	324	244	252	2	80	578
ndebri	335	174	..	12	..	..	521	202	108	177	22	509
olin	192	130	28	52	2	..	404	235	239	20	34	528
.. .. ..	436	45	121	9	..	..	611	127	233	66	30	456
arabran	156	170	..	7	..	2	335	126	119	9	24	278
able	232	68	208	47	..	4	559	212	192	20	59	483
undra	136	52	111	2	10	..	311	182	194	3	33	412
.. .. ..	363	324	118	36	11	8	860	323	368	4	98	793
.. .. ..	208	32	12	134	2	117	505	149	270	64	29	512
uin	448	371	156	20	..	..	995	401	468	91	116	1,076
.. .. ..	301	263	50	..	20	..	634	369	381	7	130	887
g, Cottage ..	128	120	..	4	..	..	252	158	89	9	22	278
.. .. ..	322	73	336	116	5	..	852	258	365	16	90	729
nes	104	70	47	63	41	10	335	212	212	96	30	550
ga	461	151	..	..	..	13	625	224	88	..	137	449
rn	578	502	35	104	89	17	1,325	434	701	119	109	1,363
.. .. ..	377	254	117	114	15	..	877	343	317	35	61	756
l	132	134	..	52	4	2	324	151	154	10	89	404
g	163	65	124	25	9	..	386	195	216	31	41	483
al, and Benevo- Society	190	75	111	78	8	..	462	220	277	81	45	623
lah	231	151	22	23	48	5	480	232	202	1	22	[illegible]
.. .. ..	1,101	716	..	107	56	17	1,997	471	520	369	726	2,
d	132	67	121	36	26	..	382	197	159	4	13	
ve, Cottage ..	283	393	..	19	22	..	717	489	214	201	53	
a	317	310	..	14	..	..	641	306	363	34	66	

* No returns received. † Hospital not yet erected.

No. 6.—Revenue and Expenditure of Hospitals, &c., 1896—*continued.*

Hospitals.	Revenue.							Expenditure.			
	Government.	Subscriptions.	Donations.	Contributions by Patients.	Interest on Invested Funds.	Other Sources.	Total.	Salaries.	Maintenance.	Buildings and Repairs.	Miscellaneous.
					COUNTRY—*continued.*						
Subsidised—*continued.*	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Inverell	438	162	193	18	5	52	868	233	289	12	66
Jerilderie	141	111	67	8	..	14	341	203	177	4	116
Junee	251	131	..	16	..	..	398	101	156	..	53
Kiama	172	..	151	15	47	..	385	229	152	20	12
Lismore	345	242	..	19	33	17	656	237	253	58	73
Lithgow	223	175	..	14	93	..	505	63	252	202	37
L'r Clarence (Maclean)	163	72	133	37	9	..	414	253	182	7	48
Macleay (W. Kempsey)	368	71	98	101	28	7	673	226	269	27	28
Maitland	1,239	362	144	100	..	22	1,867	639	976	182	201
Manning River (Taree)..	393	451	..	194	..	11	1,049	260	418	141	74
Merriwa	57	57	..	2	..	..	116	80	32	29	19
Molong	381	387	..	51	4	4	827	195	255	81	90
Moree	342	139	211	32	26	..	750	383	225	62	75
Mornya	17	24	42	16	19	25	143	119	31	3	15
Mudgee	376	113	183	111	..	5	788	306	298	9	129
Murrurundi	255	223	..	..	14	..	492	190	187	50	23
Muswellbrook	189	163	41	62	18	..	473	169	182	17	85
Narrabri, and Benevolent Society	253	240	..	42	17	7	559	355	207	1,509	105
Narrandera	443	39	425	104	..	1	1,012	306	714	21	110
Nepean Cottage (Penrith)	470	261	32	6	..	..	769	175	257	60	49
Newcastle	1,243	887	..	1,020	25	5	3,190	988	1,286	611	170
Nymagee	191	73	..	9	..	..	273	140	94	16	13
Orange	345	283	112	22	..	..	762	370	346	71	64
Parkes	250	77	311	104	5	116	863	283	671	63	42
Parramatta	731	168	694	59	10	717	2,379	461	827	1,095	103
Peak Hill	131	162	77	22	..	..	392	170	168	2	37
Queanbeyan	75	32	128	17	..	..	252	121	148	2	27
Scone	419	257	102	..	13	..	791	223	349	14	77
Silverton	144	29	61	96	..	60	390	207	213	1	16
Singleton	360	53	58	32	153	..	656	132	219	63	237
Sofala	28	24	6	1	4	..	63	27	54	..	5
Tamworth	399	181	262	142	..	23	1,007	356	649	41	91
Temora	412	64	175	5	5	..	661	238	294	39	39
Tenterfield	199	83	44	6	118	..	450	130	109	23	24
Tibooburra	266	334	..	..	..	11	611	420	176	..	119
Urana	220	213	17	15	23	5	498	249	250	73	43
Vegetable Creek (Emmaville)	100	65	..	8	25	..	198	107	77	6	32
Wagga Wagga	40	520	..	70	14	..	644	395	445	15	68
Walcha, Cottage ..	109	33	131	35	4	..	312	157	168	..	10
Walgett	514	217	122	98	..	..	951	367	256	17	98
Wallsend	528	369	224	48	..	..	1,169	242	559	283	98
Warialda	182	190	100	16	..	..	488	197	57	404	39
Warren	202	174	56	28	..	..	460	211	203	4	47
Wellington	135	30	111	25	..	1	302	172	131	..	29
Wentworth	508	358	..	7	..	1	874	427	296	178	69
Wilcannia	691	511	..	102	..	26	1,240	460	485	22	150
Windsor, and Benevolent Society	256	115	49	69	213	128	830	203	510	19	135
Wollongong	139	25	34	35	51	..	284	137	123	5	12
Wyalong	885	360	143	55	..	..	1,443	318	554	73	132
Yass	847	133	..	128	93	..	1,201	229	283	2	42
Young (Burrangong District)	898	193	177	90	28	..	1,386	242	381	11	67
Unsubsidised:											
Auburn (St. Joseph's)	....	544	..	..	..	..	544	88	437	..	23
Total, Country ..	34,502	19,333	8,919	5,818	1,761	1,580	71,913	26,698	30,034	8,348	7,889
				SUMMARY.							
Metropolitan	41,275	12,591	2,055	5,743	2,476	986	65,126	22,461	29,282	3,130	5,283
Country	34,502	19,333	8,919	5,818	1,761	1,580	71,913	26,698	30,034	8,348	7,889
Total, N.S.W. ..	75,777	31,924	10,974	11,561	4,237	2,566	137,039	49,159	59,316	11,478	13,172

—Diseases of Patients Treated in Hospitals, year ended 31st December, 1896.

Hospitals.	Specific, Febrile, or Zymotic Diseases.	Parasitic Diseases.	Dietetic Diseases.	Constitutional. [Also Developmental Diseases as noted.]	Local Diseases.	Violence.	Ill-defined and not-specified causes.	Total.
METROPOLITAN.								
nent—								
ey (Coast, Little Bay)	828	....	58	‡317	920	70	195	2,388
ed—								
ain, Cottage	1	....	....	1	22	60	7	91
perdown (Prince Alfred)	308	41	4	‖371	2,112	369	205	3,410
don (Western Suburbs, Cottage)..	10	2	....	17	78	22	5	134
e (Sick Children's)	227	1	4	¶33	285	29	130	709
rah (St. George's Cottage) ..	15	....	....	8	59	15	.....	97
h Sydney (North Shore)	43	....	6	†26	162	55	32	324
ey	407	24	75	§326	2,693	676	92	4,293
dised.—								
ey (St. Vincent's)	101	20	....	79	987	177	.....	1,364
sham (Women and Children) ..	....	....	....	.....	....	....	*352	352
amatta River (Thomas Walker, nvalescent)	129	....	2	62	460	51	159	863
Total, Metropolitan	2,069	88	149	**1,240	7,778	1,524	1,177	14,025
COUNTRY.								
ed—								
ry	47	2	4	28	174	66	21	342
idale and New England	11	8	1	19	123	28	14	204
na	7	1	....	5	47	27	2	89
anald	14	....	....	6	33	14	9	76
aba	3	....	....	2	24	9	5	43
urst	53	7	4	†43	215	47	34	403
.. ..	3	....	....	4	30	13	4	54
ima	10	....	....	7	46	15	2	80
ara	11	1	....	6	24	5	2	49
bala	2	....	5	†3	6	7	3	26
ke	47	2	5	21	139	76	31	321
dwood	3	....	....	10	26	12	10	61
rrina	18	1	3	6	38	18	4	88
en Hill	142	....	16	7	65	69	21	320
, Cottage	3	....	....	2	2	8	.....	15
den (Carrington Centennial) ..	209	9	1	†134	536	70	166	1,125
oar	9	....	2	8	24	10	6	59
no	1	....	1	.....	29	14	1	46
ir	9	....	....	4	41	26	9	89
rendebri	2	1	8	2	13	6	3	35
lobolin	18	....	3	2	47	13	6	89
na	10	1	1	4	33	10	3	62
abarabran	8	3	....	1	16	7	1	36
amble	16	....	2	10	46	11	5	90
amundra	20	1	1	16	40	19	1	98
wa	21	1	3	6	62	48	11	152
ra	25	4	....	9	56	17	13	124
iliquin	23	1	4	20	77	34	14	173
bo	33	2	2	10	38	31	31	147
gog, Cottage..	13	1	....	4	14	7	2	41
es	60	2	3	11	85	18	12	191
Innes..	6	....	1	10	24	15	4	60
looga	8	....	....	6	14	6	1	35
lburn	88	1	1	16	97	52	22	277
ton	11	1	10	13	112	23	16	186
ifell	11	....	1	1	28	14	1	56
ong	6	1	...	6	66	15	5	99
dagai, and Benevolent Society ..	17	....	1	3	36	17	3	77
nedah	5	1	2	9	65	24	5	111
.. ..	62	4	1	15	95	25	20	222
End	4	....	2	2	13	6	2	29

annot be classified according to number of patients treated. † Includes 1 developmental disease. ‡ Includes
mental diseases. § Includes 9 developmental diseases. ‖ Includes 18 developmental diseases. ¶ In
pmental diseases. ** Includes 54 developmental diseases.

No. 7.—Diseases of Patients Treated in Hospitals, &c., 1896—*continued.*

Hospitals.	Specific, Febrile, or Zymotic Diseases.	Parasitic Diseases.	Dietetic Diseases.	Constitutional. [Also Developmental Diseases as noted.]	Local Diseases.	Violence.	Ill-defined and not-specified causes.	Total.
				COUNTRY—*continued.*				
Subsidised—*continued.*								
Hillgrove, Cottage	8	....	....	6	12	16	4	46
Hillston	17	....	1	11	60	23	4	116
Inverell	14	....	....	12	70	16	4	116
Jerilderie	18	....	....	11	31	8	.....	68
Junee	11	1	....	3	20	9	5	49
Kiama	7	1	....	6	35	15	3	67
Lismore	8	....	1	13	58	24	7	111
Lithgow	1	....	....	3	8	11	1	24
Lower Clarence (Maclean)	10	....	3	18	35	32	6	104
Macleay (West Kempsey)	13	....	....	2	80	17	15	127
Maitland	104	2	2	‡24	117	49	12	310
Manning River (Taree)	26	1	....	13	89	36	10	180
Merriwa	2	....	....	.....	11	3	.....	16
Molong	22	1	1	8	42	19	10	103
Moree	24	4	1	7	36	16	10	98
Moruya	1	....	1	3	6	6	3	20
Mudgee	6	4	4	11	93	25	25	168
Murrurundi	8	2	3	9	38	15	4	79
Muswellbrook	17	....	1	9	37	23	3	90
Narrabri, and Benevolent Society	22	2	3	17	80	22	25	171
Narrandera	37	5	3	†21	109	37	15	227
Nepean, Cottage (Penrith)	6	....	....	9	24	20	6	65
Newcastle	173	5	10	63	363	144	48	806
Nymagee	3	....	....	.....	17	9	1	30
Orange	35	....	....	18	142	23	19	237
Parkes	91	....	....	17	82	23	16	229
Parramatta	103	....	3	12	113	55	15	301
Peak Hill	18	....	1	4	19	9	.....	51
Queanbeyan	1	2		4	17	8	3	35
Scone	37	....	....	12	66	21	16	152
Silverton	19	....	1	2	12	13	2	49
Singleton	9	....	....	6	24	14	15	68
Sofala	3	....	....	2	7	5	.....	17
Tamworth	48	5	1	14	90	48	19	225
Temora	9	....	1	2	29	19	13	73
Tenterfield	3	....	....	6	18	7	4	38
Tibooburra	10	....	7	10	34	8	10	79
Urana	11	1	2	7	51	15	11	98
Vegetable Creek (Emmaville)	3	1	....	2	13	7	3	29
Walcha, Cottage	11	....	....	3	18	13	1	46
Warialda	3	1	....	†4	19	8	.....	35
Wagga Wagga	81	1	12	34	123	43	32	326
Walgett	17	....	1	8	58	19	13	116
Wallsend	29	....	....	†13	101	35	13	191
Warren	12	....	....	6	40	23	2	83
Wellington	13	1	2	6	31	20	5	78
Wentworth	33	....	4	10	39	18	13	117
Wilcannia	18	1	7	24	75	28	13	166
Windsor, and Benevolent Society	19	1	1	12	55	16	46	150
Wollongong	12	....	2	3	17	13	1	48
Wyalong	46	3	....	5	54	24	3	135
Yass	14	9	....	10	47	23	12	115
Young (Burrangong District)	15	4	....	17	79	27	9	151
Unsubsidised—								
Auburn (St. Joseph's)	9	....	....	23	99	16	15	162
Total, Country	2,359	114	168	§1,071	5,742	2,148	1,070	12,672
				SUMMARY.				
Metropolitan	2,069	88	149	*1,240	7,778	1,524	1,177	14,025
Country	2,359	114	168	§1,071	5,742	2,148	1,070	12,672
Total, New South Wales	4,428	202	317	‖2,311	13,520	3,672	2,247	26,697

† Includes 1 developmental disease. ‡ Includes 3 developmental diseases. § Includes 9 developmental diseases.
* Includes 54 developmental diseases. ‖ Includes 63 developmental diseases.

o. 8.—Applications for Government Orders to Hospitals and Asylums, 1892–96.

How dealt with.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
spital, Little Bay, Sydney	1,622	2,197	2,075	2,362	1,989
lfred Hospital, Camperdown	803	871	1,027	1,041	1,189
Iospital	777	951	873	952	1,066
liff Ophthalmic Hospital	221	228	279	277	281
on Convalescent Hospital, Camden ..	33	49	65	43	44
for Infirm and Destitute	1,817	2,116	2,308	2,337	2,706
Hospital treatment	1,395	1,931	1,976	2,042	4,326
.. ..	91	96	132	156	166
.. ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	54
fused	396	374	399	537	430
Total	7,155	8,813	9,134	9,747	12,251

).—Birthplaces and Occupations of Applicants for Government Orders to Hospitals and Asylums, 1894–96.

Birthplaces.	1894.	1895.	1896.	Occupations.	1894.	1895.	1896.
h Wales	2,697	3,082	4,233	Labourers, shepherds, shearers ..	2,250	2,488	3,076
.. ..	252	239	437	Gardeners	144	157	200
d	130	132	165	Carpenters, cabinet-makers ..	253	230	248
stralia	56	44	59	Painters, plumbers, gasfitters ..	107	143	190
Australia	3	1	7	Bricklayers, plasterers, masons ..	103	121	149
.. ..	80	108	133	Brickmakers, quarrymen	34	21	35
and	117	141	179	Miners	274	233	271
Islands	10	15	8	Engineers and firemen	185	168	263
ea	1	....	....	Blacksmiths, ironworkers	120	138	199
sland	....	1	3	Printers, compositors, bookbinders	54	63	84
and Wales	2,573	2,621	3,161	Seamen, fishermen	518	536	573
.. ..	567	627	722	Clerks, bookkeepers	197	226	243
.. ..	1,756	1,766	2,037	Tailors, drapers	150	117	167
.. ..	55	68	69	Butchers, slaughtermen	73	92	105
.. ..	158	165	172	Grocers	20	27	43
.. ..	50	39	40	Bootmakers, saddlers	157	162	201
Sweden, and Denmark ..	186	188	281	Carters, grooms, cabmen	381	312	341
ropean countries ..	128	74	93	Dealers, shopkeepers	158	172	214
l Japan	67	58	85	Cooks, bakers, stewards	489	490	573
.. ..	71	109	138	Servants, barmaids	1,298	1,503	1,838
atic countries	7	12	19	Dressmakers, machinists	147	176	253
.. ..	35	23	27	Married women, housekeepers ..	739	863	1,185
ates of America	76	78	78	Miscellaneous	343	317	308
erican countries ..	18	47	42	No occupation, including children	939	991	1,492
.. ..	28	39	37	Unknown	1	1	....
ea	1	....	18				
.. ..	12	10	8				
Total	9,134	9,747	12,251	Total	9,134	9,747	12,251

—Ages of Applicants for Government Orders to Hospitals and Asylums; also Period of Residence in New South Wales, 1894–96.

Ages.	1894.	1895.	1896.	Period of Residence in N.S.W.	1894.	1895.	1896.
ears	236	286	499	Under 1 month	113	115	132
10 years	257	242	370	From 1 to 6 months	228	231	243
15 "	204	233	397	" 6 to 12 "	163	188	157
20 "	573	556	750	" 1 to 5 years	864	782	867
25 "	944	930	1,097	" 5 to 10 "	1,054	968	1,035
30 "	868	1,021	1,274	" 10 to 20 "	1,713	1,853	2,410
40 "	1,828	1,924	2,287	Over 20 years	2,268	2,513	3,144
50 "	1,426	1,585	1,971	Born in New South Wales	2,697	3,082	4,233
60 "	1,207	1,237	1,476	Unknown	34	15	30
ears	1,588	1,730	2,126				
.. ..	3	3	4				
Total	9,134	9,747	12,251	Total	9,134	9,747	12,251

No. 11.—Number of Patients Admitted and Discharged, and Deaths in St Hospitals for the Insane, and Licensed Houses, during the year 1896.

Hospitals and Licensed Houses.	Admissions and Re-admissions.				Discharges.				Died.	
	For First Time.		Re-admissions.		Recovered.		Relieved.			
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females	Males.	Fem
Government Hospitals—										
Callan Park	143	130	30	18	65	76	10	5	47	1
Gladesville	119	77	29	17	72	57	8	4	22	1
Parramatta { Free ..	94	21	12	4	38	12	2	1	53	1
Parramatta { Criminal	6	3	1	....	....	1	....	....	1	...
Newcastle	13	13	....	....	....	....	2	6	16	
Rydalmere	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	15	
Kenmore	....	....	....	....	7	....	3	....	2	...
Licensed Houses—										
Cook's River	3	4	....	....	3	....	1	1	3	...
Picton (2)	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	...
Ryde	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	...
Total	378	251	72	39	185	147	26	19	165	(

No. 12.—Number of Patients in State Hospitals for the Insane, and Licens Houses, for the year 1896.

Hospitals and Licensed Houses.	Total under care during the year.		Average number resident during the year.		Remaining on 31st December, 1896.		Percentage of—			
							Recoveries on Admissions and Re-admissions.		Deaths on average num resident.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females	Males.	Fem
Government Hospitals—										
Callan Park	622	541	444	380	469	411	37·57	51·35	10·58	5
Gladesville	666	434	510	311	522	346	48·64	60·64	4·50	3
Parramatta { Free ..	788	416	667	374	685	383	35·85	48·00	8·99	4
Parramatta { Criminal	47	16	42	12	44	14	....	33·33	2·38	..
Newcastle	172	167	156	155	153	153	....	....	10·25	3
Rydalmere	335	164	212	150	315	151	....	....	4·80	6
Kenmore	170	....	153	....	154	....	....	....	1·30	.
Licensed Houses—										
Cook's River	19	25	14	23	11	23	100·00	....	21·42	..
Picton (2)	....	2	....	2	....	2	....	....	....	..
Ryde	....	7	....	5	....	5	....	....	....	..
Total	2,819	1,772	2,298	1,412	2,353	1,488	41·11	50·68	7·18	4

No. 13.—Number of Patients in State Hospitals for the Insane, and Licens Houses, at the close of each year, 1892–96.

Hospitals and Licensed Houses.	1892.			1893.			1894.			1895.			1896.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	
Government Hospitals—															
Callan Park	445	367	812	442	395	837	458	379	837	444	392	836	469	411	8
Gladesville	530	322	852	523	322	845	549	358	907	514	334	848	522	346	8
Parramatta { Free ..	620	379	999	642	385	1,027	669	383	1,052	672	381	1,053	685	383	1,
Parramatta { Criminal ..	48	9	57	41	8	49	38	10	48	39	13	52	44	14	
Newcastle	146	117	263	153	142	295	158	148	306	156	151	307	153	153	3
Rydalmere	225	..	225	272	..	272	309	84	393	300	131	431	315	151	4
Kenmore	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	146	..	146	154	..	1
License Houses—															
Cook's River	17	85	102	19	79	98	17	22	39	16	21	37	11	23	
Picton (2)	..	2	2	..	2	2	..	2	2	..	2	2	..	2	
Ryde	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	..	4	4	..	5	
Total	2,031	1,281	3,312	2,092	1,333	3,425	2,108	1,389	3,587	2,287	1,429	3,716	2,353	1,488	3,8

I.—Birthplaces, Ages, Religions, Conjugal Condition, and Occupations of 'atients under care in State Hospitals for the Insane, and Licensed Houses, uring 1896.

Birthplaces.	Males.	Females	Total.	Ages.	Males.	Females	Total.
South Wales	920	765	1,685	1 and under 5 years ...	1	7	8
British Colonies ...	167	100	267	5 " 10 " ...	27	17	44
nd	660	306	966	10 " 15 " ...	35	22	57
nd	145	65	210	15 " 20 " ...	54	57	111
d	547	461	1,008	20 " 30 " ...	389	273	662
e	19	6	25	30 " 40 " ...	671	439	1,110
any	81	19	100	40 " 50 " ...	613	392	1,005
... ...	87	...	87	50 " 60 " ...	560	338	898
Countries	193	50	243	60 " 70 " ...	319	152	471
				70 " 80 " ...	124	62	186
				80 " 90 " ...	24	12	36
				90 years and upwards ...	2	1	3
Total	2,819	1,772	4,591	Total	2,819	1,772	4,591

Religions.	Males.	Females	Total.	Conjugal Condition.	Males.	Females	Total.
stant—							
rch of England ...	1,199	726	1,925	Single	1,918	758	2,676
sbyterian	210	107	317				
sleyan	106	71	177	Married	575	748	1,323
heran	67	11	78				
er	104	63	167	Widowed	109	189	298
n Catholic	935	749	1,684				
... ...	78	...	78	Unascertained	217	77	294
w	23	8	31				
medan	11	1	12				
ertained	86	36	122				
Total	2,819	1,772	4,591	Total	2,819	1,772	4,591

Occupations.	Males.	Females	Total.
y, military and naval officers, members of the medical and legal professions, chitects, artists, authors, civil engineers, surveyors, &c.	74	...	74
rs, merchants, accountants, clerks, shopkeepers, shopmen, &c.	197	...	197
rs, squatters, graziers, free selectors, &c.	161	1	162
smiths, carpenters, engine-fitters, firemen, sawyers, painters, police, &c. ...	315	...	315
nakers, bookbinders, compositors, weavers, tailors, &c.	184	...	184
rs, cooks, servants, &c.	92	28	120
s, labourers, seamen, shepherds, &c.	1,403	...	1,403
nesses, teachers, housekeepers, trained nurses, &c.	9	58	67
nts, charwomen, laundresses, &c.	...	523	523
keepers, saleswomen, &c....	...	70	70
resses, needlewomen, machinists, bookbinders, factory workers, &c.... ...	...	66	66
s of clergy, military and naval officers, members of the medical and legal ofessions, architects, artists, authors, civil engineers, surveyors, &c. ...	...	18	18
s of bankers, merchants, accountants, clerks, shopkeepers, shopmen, &c. ...	...	45	45
s of blacksmiths, carpenters, engine-fitters, firemen, sawyers, painters, police, otmakers, bookbinders, compositors, weavers, tailors, &c.	...	97	97
s of farmers, squatters, graziers, free selectors, &c.	...	89	89
s of miners, labourers, seamen, shepherds, &c.	...	207	207
cupation	268	456	724
own	116	114	230
Total	2,819	1,772	4,591

No. 15.—Causes of Insanity of Patients Admitted to State Hospitals for the Insane, and Licensed Houses, 1895–96.

Causes of Insanity.—These "Causes" are taken from the statements in the papers received with the Patients admission, and are verified or corrected as far as possible by the Medical Officers.

Number of Causes, &c.—Number of Patients.—The "predisposing" and "exciting" causes are both enumerated in all cases where the predominating causes could not be distinguished, so that the aggregate of the totals for each of the years exceeds the total number of patients yearly admitted. During 1896 the number of patients admitted and readmitted was 740, while the causes were 846.

Causes of Insanity.	1895.			1896.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Moral—						
Domestic trouble (including loss of relatives and friends)	8	24	32	2	22	24
Adverse circumstances (including business anxiety and pecuniary difficulties)	21	6	27	35	5	40
Mental anxiety and "worry" (not included in above two heads) and overwork	24	10	34	20	9	29
Religious excitement	9	5	14	1	4	5
Love affairs (including seduction)	1	3	4	1	7	8
Fright and nervous shock	..	3	3	..	7	7
Isolation	..	2	2	3	2	5
Nostalgia	1	..	1	2	1	3
Physical—						
Intemperance in drink	51	10	61	76	9	85
Intemperance (sexual)	..	3	3	1	..	1
Venereal disease	1	..	1	7	1	8
Self-abuse	17	..	17	4	..	4
Sunstroke	8	1	9	8	6	14
Accident or injury	19	2	21	15	7	22
Pregnancy	..	2	2	..	3	3
Parturition and puerperal state	..	19	19	..	31	31
Lactation	..	6	6	..	..	..
Uterine and ovarian disorders	..	4	4	..	..	..
Puberty	3	5	8	5	1	6
Change of Life	..	4	4	..	10	10
Fevers	1	3	4	..	2	2
Convulsions in childhood	2	..	2	..	..	..
Privation and overwork	8	..	8	6	5	11
Phthisis	1	..	1	1	1	2
Epilepsy	42	17	59	24	19	43
Disease of skull and brain	10	1	11	16	8	24
Old age	30	7	37	25	9	34
Other bodily disorders, &c., and chronic ill-health ..	18	21	39	13	20	33
Excess of opium	2	2	4	2	..	2
Previous attacks	56	42	98	53	41	94
Hereditary influence ascertained	24	30	54	36	32	68
Congenital defect ascertained	26	21	47	28	12	4
Other ascertained causes	2	2	4	2	5	7
Unknown	123	57	185	125	58	183
Total Causes. (See note above.)	513	312	825	511	335	846

No. 16.—Number of Admissions, Patients under Care, and Deaths in State Hospitals for the Insane, and Licensed Houses, 1887–96.

Year.	Admissions and Readmissions.		Patients under care at the end of Year.		Deaths. Exclusive of Deaths in the Reception House, Darlinghurst.					
					Number.			Percentage of Deaths to average number of Inmates under care.		
	Total Number.	Proportion per Thousand of Mean Population	Total Number.	Proportion per Thousand of Mean Population.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1887	532	0·53	2,821	2·81	111	74	185	6·64	7·03	6·79
1888	587	0·57	2,897	2·80	132	68	200	7·59	6·32	7·11
1889	550	0·52	2,973	2·79	138	71	209	7·73	6·44	7·24
1890	611	0·56	3,102	2·81	128	65	193	7·01	5·74	6·32
1891	596	0·52	3,134	2·74	167	66	233	8·42	5·65	7·49
1892	606	0·56	3,312	2·80	122	69	191	6·27	5·72	6·06
1893	688	0·56	3,425	2·82	172	74	246	8·37	5·88	7·28
1894	712	0·57	3,587	2·90	130	69	199	6·12	5·22	5·78
1895	715	0·57	3,716	2·94	151	72	223	6·60	5·04	6·00
1896	740	0·58	3,841	2·98	165	66	231	7·01	4·43	6·01

No. 17.—Patients dealt with at the Reception House for Insane, Darlinghurst, year 1896.

Classification.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Patients remaining on 31st December, 1895	6	.....	6
Patients admitted during 1896	417	170	587
Total under care	423	170	593
Transferred to Hospitals for Insane or Licensed Houses	245	107	352
Deaths	2	.....	2
Number discharged	171	62	233
Total Transfers, Deaths, and Discharges	418	169	587
Patients remaining on 31st December, 1896	5	1	6

No. 18.—Patients dealt with at the Observation Wards at Darlinghurst and Parramatta Gaols, year 1896.

Classification.	Darlinghurst.			Parramatta.		
	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.
Patients remaining on 31st December, 1895	12	2	14	13	....	13
Patients received during 1896	158	42	200	75	....	75
Total under care	170	44	214	88	....	88
Transferred to Hospitals for Insane	6	2	8	3	....	3
Transferred to Parramatta Observation Ward	2	....	2	....	....	....
Deaths	....	....	....	1	....	1
Number discharged	142	42	184	67	....	67
Total Transfers, Deaths, and Discharges	150	44	194	71	....	71
Patients remaining on 31st December, 1896	20	....	20	17	....	17

No. 19.—Offences for which Patients are Confined at the Hospital for Criminal Insane, Parramatta, 1892–96.

Offence.	1892.			1893.			1894.			1895.			1896.		
	M.	F.	T'l.	M.	F.	T'l.	M.	F.	T'l.	M.	F.	T'l.	M.	F.	T'l.
Murder	19	3	22	17	5	22	18	6	24	17	6	23	19	6	25
Attempt to murder	1	2	3	2	1	3	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2
Manslaughter	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cutting and wounding, shooting with intent, &c.	12	1	13	12	1	13	13	2	15	12	4	16	13	4	17
Rape	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1
Carnally knowing a girl under the age of 10 years	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Indecent assault	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	2	..	2	2	..	2
Unnatural offence	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1
Sheep and horse stealing	3	..	3	2	..	2	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1
Larceny and petty thefts	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	.	..	..
Arson and malicious burning	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Attempted suicide	2	1	3	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Forgery and uttering	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	1
Assault and battery	1	..	1	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Assault and robbery	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Obtaining money under false pretences	2	..	2	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Obscene language	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Vagrancy	2	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	1
Inflicting grievous bodily harm	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	2	..	2
Breaking and entering with intent	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2	..	2
Burglary	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	1
Total on 31st December	48	9	57	41	8	49	38	10	48	39	13	52	44	14	58

No. 20.—Number of Patients and Cost of Maintenance in each State Hospit the Insane, year 1896.

Government Hospitals.	Patients. Total Number under care.	Patients. Average Number resident.	Total Expenditure. £ s. d.	Collections. £ s. d.	Net Expenditure. £ s. d.	Annu to S per P £ s.
Gladesville	1,100	821	24,483 1 4	3 961 5 9	20,521 15 7	24 19
Parramatta (free & criminal)	1,267	1,095	26,899 5 9	2,137 4 7	24,762 1 2	22 12
Callan Park	1,163	824	24,741 18 7	5,686 14 7	19 055 4 0	23 2
Newcastle	339	311	7,000 14 6	904 6 3	6,096 8 3	19 12
Rydalmere	499	462	10,786 14 2	1,001 4 8	9,785 9 6	21 3
Kenmore	170	153	5,988 16 7	166 0 8	5,822 15 11	38 1
Total	4,538	3,666	99,900 10 11	13,856 16 6	86,043 14 5	23 9

Other Payments.—£1,457 1s. 0d. was also paid during 1896 for the maintenance of patients in the Reception £204 0s. 3d. to the South Australian Government for patients from the district of Broken Hill; and £2,366 13s. general expenses, including cost of Inspector-General's Office, payments to Official Visitors, &c.; making a total expe of £103,928 5s. 3d.

Master-in-Lunacy.—For transactions of the office of the Master-in-Lunacy see Part, Law and Crime.

No. 21.—Average Annual Cost per Patient in State Hospitals for the In 1887–96.

Year.	Average Number resident.	Annual Cost to State per Patient. £ s. d.	Year.	Average Number resident.	Annual to St per Pa £ s
1887...	2,629	27 18 8	1892...	3,050	26
1888...	2,713	26 9 8	1893...	3,210	24 1
1889...	2,785	29 6 3	1894...	3.352	23
1890...	2,857	27 5 2	1895...	3,533	24
1891...	3,050	25 19 5	1896...	3,666	23

No. 22.—Average Weekly Cost per Patient in each State Hospital for the I year 1896.

Classification.	Government Hospitals. Gladesville. s. d.	Parramatta. s. d.	Callan Park. s. d.	Newcastle. s. d.	Rydalmere. s. d.
Weekly cost calculated on average number resident—					
Salaries, money allowances, and fees	5 0¼	3 11	4 10½	3 8¼	3 8½
Provisions, extras, medical comforts, and forage.	3 10¾	3 2¾	4 1½	2 5¾	2 10½
Stimulants, wines, &c.	0 0¼	0 0¼	0 0¼	...	...
Medicines and surgical instruments	0 1	0 1	0 1¼	0 0½	0 0¾
Stores, including clothing, bedding, and materials for manufacture	1 4¼	1 3½	1 3¾	1 2½	1 5
Fuel, light, and water	0 6¾	0 6	0 7¼	0 7½	0 6
Incidental and miscellaneous expenses, including library, &c.	0 5¾	0 4	0 6	0 7¼	0 5
Total weekly cost for maintenance per patient...	11 5	9 4½	11 6½	8 7¾	8 11¾
Average weekly collections for maintenance per patient	1 10¼	0 9	2 7¾	1 1½	0 10
Weekly cost per patient, deducting collections for maintenance, &c.	9 6¾	8 8¼	8 10¾	7 6¼	8 1¾

Average Weekly Cost.—The average weekly cost for all Hospitals for the Insane, without deducting collet 10s. 5¾d., or educting collections, 9s. 0¼d.

Patients absent on Leave.—During 1896 leave was granted, for varying periods, to 121 patients, making, wi already on leave, 180. Of this number 71 were discharged recovered during the year, 49 returned to hospital, 1 die away, and 59 remained on leave at the close of the year.

—Number of Lepers in the Lazaret at Little Bay at the close of each year, 1883-96.

Classification.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
ıret on 1st January ...	...	5	7	7	6	7	11	13	13	21	30	36	40	37
ɜd during the year ...	5	2	2	3	1	4	2	2	10	12	7	5	3	3
ıring the year	...	...	1	4	...	...	...	2	2	3	1	1	5	5
ged	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	19
ing in Lazaret on 31st ɜmber.	5	7	7	6	7	11	13	13	21	30	36	40	37	16

hplaces of Lepers.—The inmates of the Lazaret at the close of the year 1896 were of the following nationalities:—ı Wales, 7; England, 2; Germany, 1; India, 1; China, 2; Java, 1; South Sea Islands, 2; Total, 16. The ase in the number of the inmates is due to the fact that on the 14th August, 1896, 19 Chinese were, in accordan ce ɜements made by the Government of this Colony returned to China.

'king Expenses of Lazaret.—During the year 1896 the total cost of the management of this Institution was he average cost per inmate per annum was £81 3s. 5d.

.—Medical Practitioners registered by the New South Wales Medical Board, 1887-96.

Year.	Registrations.		Year.	Registrations.	
	Issued during the year.	In force at the end of the year.		Issued during the year.	In force at the end of the year.
... ...	85	824	1892	79	1,064
... ...	69	876	1893	58	1,108
... ...	67	937	1894	60	1,143
... ...	67	982	1895	64	1,190
... ...	80	1,031	1896	68	1,216

—Certificates issued by the Board of Pharmacy to Chemists and Druggists and Dealers in Poisons, 1887-96.

.	Certificates.			Year.	Certificates.		
	Issued during the year.		In force at the end of the year.		Issued during the year.		In force at the end of the year.
	To Chemists and Druggists.	To Dealers in Poisons.			To Chemists and Druggists.	To Dealers in Poisons.	
...	19	7	507	1892	18	61	619
...	33	20	520	1883	27	48	615
...	26	22	546	1894	29	50	611
...	27	34	529	1895	4	50	545
...	18	41	550	1896	11	72	568

No. 26.—Number and Ages of Persons Vaccinated in each District, 1895-

District.	Ages of Persons vaccinated.								
	Under 1 year.		1 year and under 5.		5 years and under 10.		10 years and upwards.		Tot
	1895.	1896.	1895.	1896.	1895.	1896.	1895.	1896.	1895.
Metropolitan...	5	5	19	18	36	34	12	21	72
Country—									
Albury	9	...	15	...	3	...	1	...	28
Bega	41	3	176	9	226	9	163	10	606
Brisbane Water	...	...	3	...	11	...	16	...	30
Broken Hill	...	47	...	14	...	3	...	1	...
Camden	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2
Candelo	4	...	38	10	67	14	95	22	204
Captain's Flat	8	...	21	...	5	...	...	...	34
Cooma	...	...	1	5	4	8	1	5	6
Cowra	4	...	39	1	194	6	127	6	364
Dubbo	...	1	...	53	1	171	...	109	1
Emmaville	...	1	...	7	...	5	...	1	...
Glen Innes	3	...	26	...	43	...	41	...	113
Goulburn...	5	...	68	...	167	...	142	...	382
Gunnedah	...	...	5	...	6	...	3	...	14
Inverell	...	...	3	1	4	3	...	6	7
Kempsey West	1	...	11	...	114	12	44	4	170
Molong	...	...	...	...	6	...	3	...	9
Murrumburrah	4	...	2	...	18	...	19	...	43
Narromine	...	1	2	20	16	33	24	21	42
Newcastle	2	...	17	...	14	...	8	...	41
Orange	1	...	16	14	62	29	82	14	161
Rylstone	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Taree	18	...	60	...	1	...	...	...	79
Temora	...	...	...	10	...	98	...	62	...
Wallsend	...	2	...	4	..	11	...	1	...
Warialda	...	...	9	...	9	...	5	...	23
Total, Country ...	100	55	514	148	972	402	774	262	2,360
Total, N.S.W.... ...	105	60	533	166	1,008	436	786	283	2,432

NOTE.—Vaccinations by the Government Medical Officers of 97 districts have not been reported for the year 1896, an be presumed that none have been performed.

No. 27.—Number and Ages of Persons Vaccinated, 1889-96.

Ages.	1889.		1890.		1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1
	Metropolitan.	Country.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Metropolitan.
Under 1 year ...	187	183	218	124	124	112	259	115	202	105	3	47	5	100	5
1 year and under 5...	243	640	300	469	163	369	308	858	203	430	5	395	19	514	18
5 years and under 10	223	721	254	501	110	405	411	1,260	194	738	7	905	36	972	34
10 years and upwards	75	132	186	145	134	150	348	455	239	436	...	595	12	774	21
Total, N.S.W. ...	2,404		2,197		1,567		4,014		2,547		1,957		2,432		9

28.—Number of Births Registered, and the Number of Vaccinations performed by Government Vaccinators, 1861–96.

Year.	Births.	Vaccinations.	Proportion of Vaccinations to every 100 Births registered.	Year.	Births.	Vaccinations.	Proportion of Vaccinations to every 100 Births registered.
1861	14,681	2,349	16·00	1879	26,933	5,569	20·67
1862	15,434	3,155	20·44	1880	28,162	5,029	17·85
1863	15,679	12,970	82·72	1881	28,993	61,239	211·21
1864	16,881	10,696	63·36	1882	29,702	2,188	7·36
1865	17,283	8,367	48·41	1883	31,281	882	2·81
1866	16,950	7,606	44·87	1884	33,946	7,055	20·78
1867	18,317	6,931	37·83	1885	35,043	2,230	6·36
1868	18,485	11,237	60·79	1886	36,284	1,763	4·85
1869	19,243	21,507	111·76	1887	37,236	3,230	8·67
1870	19,648	7,084	36·54	1888	38,525	2,186	5·67
1871	20,143	6,482	32·16	1889	37,295	2,404	6·45
1872	20,250	17,565	86·74	1890	38,960	2,197	5·64
1873	21,444	3,152	14·69	1891	39,458	1,567	3·97
1874	22,178	4,832	21·78	1892	40,041	4,014	10·02
1875	22,528	3,111	13·80	1893	40,342	2,547	6·31
1876	23,298	4,361	18·71	1894	38,951	1,957	5·02
1877	23,851	16,881	70·77	1895	38,774	2,432	6·29
1878	25,328	3,512	13·86	1896	36,506	945	2·59

No. 29.—Cost of Vaccination, 1890–96.

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
	£		£
1890	286	1894	273
1891	217	1895	357
1892	438	1896	129
1893	364		

Section II.—CHARITIES.

No. 30.—Children under the control of the State Children's Relief Board pla out and discharged during the year ended 5th April, 1897.

	Boys.	Girls.	Total
	No.	No.	No.
Under control on 5th April, 1896	1,954	1,502	3,45
Placed out during year...	423	362	78
Total placed out	2,377	1,864	4,24
Discharged during the year	273	266	53
Deaths during the year...	19	12	3
Total discharges and deaths	292	278	57
Under control on 5th April, 1897	2,085	1,586	3,67

No. 31.—Number of Children received and discharged each year by the Stat Children's Relief Board, 1881–97.

Year ended 5th April—	Received.	Discharges and Deaths.	Net addition.	Year ended 5th April—	Received.	Discharges and Deaths.	Net additions.	Year ended 5th April—	Received.	Discharges and Deaths.	Net addi
	No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	N
1881 } 1882 }	119	16	103	1887	569	133	436	1893	541	400	1
1883	223	19	204	1888	421	263	158	1894	695	423	2
1884	306	61	245	1889	413	200	213	1895	1,053	688	3
1885	527	53	474	1890	397	286	111	1896	929	647	2
1886	441	101	340	1891	494	409	85	1897	785	570	2
				1892	474	447	27	Total...	8,387	4,716	3,6

No. 32.—Number and Classification of Children under the control of the Sta Children's Relief Board on 5th April, 1897.

Classification.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Classification.	Boys.	Girls.	T
	No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	N
Boarders—							
Nursing Children—				Apprentices	497	363	8
Infants (10s. per week)	8	4	12	Adopted (without remuneration	46	56	1
Under 2 years (8s. per week)	7	11	18	Boarded (without subsidy)...	9	15	
Under 2½ years (7s. per week)	11	13	24	Absconded	19	1	
Under 3 years (6s. per week	18	21	39	Unofficial (over age) ...	8	6	
Others (5s. per week) ...	1,414	981	2,395	In hospitals	5	4	
				In cottage homes	36	101	
				In depôt	7	10	
Total Boarders ...	1,458	1,030	2,488	Total under control	2,085	1,586	3,6

No. 33.—Number of Children under the Control of the State Children's Relief Board on 5th April each year, 1881–97.

Under Control on 5th April—	Supported by Government.			Adopted without Payment.			Apprenticed (not paid for by Government).			Total under Control.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1881	24	35	59	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	35	59
1882	40	60	100	...	3	3	...	...	...	40	63	103
1883	118	174	292	1	10	11	...	4	4	119	188	307
1884	221	289	510	6	15	21	5	16	21	232	320	552
1885	523	363	886	15	35	50	26	64	90	564	462	1,026
1886	614	411	1,025	28	65	93	137	111	248	779	587	1,366
1887	741	473	1,214	49	74	123	309	156	465	1,099	703	1,802
1888	793	485	1,278	52	84	136	357	189	546	1,202	758	1,960
1889	815	526	1,341	61	93	154	440	238	678	1,316	857	2,173
1890	805	543	1,348	62	96	158	513	265	778	1,380	904	2,284
1891	807	566	1,373	67	91	158	543	295	838	1,417	952	2,369
1892	776	613	1,389	69	94	163	545	299	844	1,390	1,006	2,396
1893	821	643	1,464	61	97	158	590	325	915	1,472	1,065	2,537
1894	955	786	1,741	59	106	165	592	311	903	1,606	1,203	2,809
1895	1,167	927	2,094	56	91	147	599	334	933	1,822	1,352	3,174
1896	1,356	1,085	2,441	50	76	*126	548	341	889	1,954	1,502	3,456
1897	1,533	1,152	2,685	55	71	*126	497	363	860	2,085	1,586	3,671

* These figures include 25 and 24 children respectively classed as "Boarders without subsidy"—that is, placed with guardians who, as in the case of adopted children, do not receive payment for maintenance.

No. 34.—Number, and Ages when placed out, of all Children dealt with by the State Children's Relief Board since its establishment.

Age.	Children.	Age.	Children.	Age.	Children.
	No.		No.		No.
Under 1 year	247	5 and under 6... ...	763	10 and under 11 ...	681
1 and under 2... ...	282	6 and under 7... ...	821	11 and under 12 ...	516
2 and under 3... ...	536	7 and under 8... ...	793	12 and over	666
3 and under 4... ...	681	8 and under 9... ...	870		
4 and under 5... ...	701	9 and under 10 ..	830	Total	8,387*

* Table No. 31 shows that 4,716 of this number are not now under the control of the Board.

No. 35.—Number and Religions of Children dealt with by the State Childre Relief Board since its establishment.

Religion.	Children.	Religion.	Children.	Religion.	Chil
	No.		No.		N
Church of England ...	3,299	Primitive Methodist ...	37	Church of Christ ...	
Roman Catholic ...	2,479	Baptist	32	Christadelphian ...	
Presbyterian	260	Lutheran	2	Hebrew	
Wesleyan	179	Greek	4	Unknown	
Congregational ...	26	Protestants not specified	1,986		
				Total	*8,

*See note to Table 34.

No. 36.—Number of Children, and Institutions from which they were recei by the State Children's Relief Board since its establishment.

Institution.	Children.	Institution.	Chil
	No.		N
Government—		Infant's Home, Ashfield...	
Nautical School Ship "Sobraon" ...	365	School of Industry	
Industrial School for Girls, Parramatta	153	Deaf, Dumb, and Blind Institution ...	
Shaftesbury Reformatory	395	Sydney Female Refuge	
Coast Hospital, Little Bay	30	St. Vincent de Paul Home (St. Aloysius)	
Lunacy Department	1	Industrial School, Manly	
Liverpool Asylum	1	Hospitals—	
Parramatta (George-street) Asylum ...	3	Sydney	
Newington Asylum	18	Moorecliff	
Rydalmere Boys' Home	71	Prince Alfred, Camperdown	
Carpenterian Reformatory	40	Children's Hospital, Glebe	
Depôt, State Children's Relief Department	1,222	Parramatta	
Sydney Gaol	2	Goulburn	
Wollongong Gaol	1	Carrington (Camden)	
Benevolent Asylum—		Protestant Orphan School (disbanded)	1
Sydney	5,[illegible]1	Roman Catholic Orphan School (disbanded)	1
Newcastle	44	Department of Neglected Children, Victoria (supervision only)	
Randwick Asylum	307		
Newcastle Insane Asylum	1	Total	*8,3

*See note to Table 34.

No. 37.—Expenditure by the State Children's Relief Board for the year ended 5th April, 1897.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Maintenance	31,820	8	1	Cottage Homes	3,020	8	2
Clothing	2,942	17	8	Depôt	159	12	10
Salaries	2,761	10	2	Travelling Advance	300	0	0
Medical	494	10	7				
Gas...	50	3	1	Total	43,602	2	7
Books	41	3	5	*Less*—			
Incidentals	515	17	11	Parents' Maintenance Account	839	0	2
Conveyance	547	7	4				
Travelling	948	3	4	Net Expenditure £	42,763	2	5

No. 38.—Expenditure by the State Children's Relief Board, 1882-97.

Year ended 5th April—	Expenditure.	Year ended 5th April—	Expenditure.	Year ended 5th April—	Expenditure.
	£		£		£
1882	2,009	1888	22,571	1893	28,498
1883	4,124	1889	22,450	1894	33,666
1884	7,708	1890	23,938	1895	36,437
1885	12,189	1891	26,469	1896	41,271
1886	18,798	1892	28,596	1897	42,763
1887	19,774				

No. 39.—Registrations, &c., by the Children's Protection Board, 1892-96.

Classification.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Registrations from Lying-in Homes	55	209	217	274	317
Foster homes registered	28	43	94	110	84
Children registered	193	670	911	1,049	1,086
Children returned to parents	26	179	264	302	265
" placed under State Children's Relief Department	6	32	19	22	16
" who have died	21	131	113	139	112
" discharged from supervision (3 years old) ..	6	47	77	100	105
" sent to Hospitals	2	1	4	3	2
" " Ashfield Infants' Home	1	1	1	.....	.....
" " Home of Hope	.....	1	.....	.....	3
" " Imbecile Asylums	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
" " Benevolent Asylum, Newcastle ...	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
" " Kilburn Sisters	.....	.....	4	8	4
" " Mission Home	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
" transferred	6	15	20	16	19
" exempted from supervision (section 8 of Children's Protection Act)	.....	7	2	6	1
Total number discharged, &c. ...	68	416	504	597	527
Total number children under supervision	125	254	407	452	559

No. 40.—Number and Occupations of Persons assisted to Employment by Government Labour Bureau, 1895–97.

Occupations.	Year ended February 17th. 1895.	Year ended February 17th. 1896.	From 18th February, 1896, to 30th June, 1897.
Accountants	....	4	3
Actor	1	....	.....
Artists' Models	3	2	.....
Asphalters	1	7	2
Bakers	42	56	59
Bandmaster	1	....	.....
Barbers	7	8	4
Barmen	....	2	.....
Basket-makers	2	....	.....
Batmaker	1	....	.....
Bee Farmer	....	....	1
Bellman	1	....	.....
Bellows-makers	2	....	.....
Billiard-markers	2	....	3
Bird Trappers	....	....	2
Blacksmiths	42	58	57
Boat-builder	....	....	1
Boilermakers, &c.	15	14	11
Bookbinder	1	....	.....
Bootmakers	17	24	14
Brass-finishers	1	2	5
Brass-moulder	....	1	.....
Brewers' Hands	1	....	4
Bricklayers	56	122	108
Brickmakers	23	14	5
Bridge Hands	9	13	8
Broom-makers	3	....	.....
Brushwood-turner	1	....	.....
Brushmaker	....	1	.....
Bullock-driver	....	....	1
Bushmen	147	84	106
Butchers	72	103	99
Cabinet-makers	8	7	1
Canvassers	42	67	18
Caretakers	5	7	2
Carpenters and Joiners	336	278	186
Carpenters (Bridge)	10	30	48
" (Ship)	....	5	2
Carpet-layer	....	....	1
Casemakers	1	2	2
Chaff-cutters	3	....	.....
Chemists	1	1	.....
Clerks, &c.	7	19	13
Confectioner	....	1	.....
Coach Trades	14	13	6
Concrete Hands	....	....	5
Cooks	102	152	88
Coopers	11	8	2
Coppersmiths	3	1	.....
Cordialmaker	1	....	.....
Curriers and Tanners	1	2	2
Dairy Hands	....	....	16
Divers	3	....	.....
Doctor	....	1	.....
Draftsman	....	....	1
Drapers	9	8	7
Drainers	2	....	5
Drivers	41	102	44
Drovers	....	1	7
Dyers	1	3	.....
Engine-drivers	12	37	18
Engineers	19	14	14
" (Electric)	....	8	.....
" (Refrigerating)	....	1	.....
" (Mining)	....	3	.....
Farm and Orchard Hands	211	186	122
Factory Hand	....	1	.....
Fellmongers	13	65	34

Occupations.	Year ended February 17th. 1895.	Year ended February 17th. 1896.	From 18th February, 1896, to 30th June, 1897.
Fencers	....	7	
Firemen	6	8	
Fishermen	20	1	
Fitter	1	....	
Flour-mill Hands	1	....	
French-polishers	7	3	
Furnacemen	3	....	
Gardeners	99	88	
Galvanized-iron Workers	....	7	
General Usefuls	636	461	
Glaziers	1	....	
Governesses, Servants, &c.	285	237	
Grocers	8	6	
Grooms	24	49	
Gum-picker	....	....	
Hawkers	....	3	
Horse-breakers	2	....	
Horse-clippers	15	8	
Hospital Attendants	4	7	
Ironmoulders	....	5	
Iron-turners	1	16	
Iron Fitters	....	9	
Iron-workers	15	3	
Ironmonger	....	....	
Jam-makers	....	4	
Jewellers	2	3	
Journalist	....	....	
Kitchenmen	24	25	
Labourers (General)	1,470	1,430	
" Forest Department	....	1,367	
" Bogan Scrub	....	....	
" Botany Sewage Farm	....	....	2
" Centennial Park and Kensington Jubilee Work	....	....	1
" Railway Department	....	....	
" Stock Routes	....	....	
" Randwick	....	1,282	1
" Shea's Creek	....	2,415	2
Laundry Hands	....	....	
Locksmiths	....	2	
Machinists (iron)	....	....	
Marble Hands	3	....	
Married Couples	230	192	
Masons (Stone)	....	35	
" (Rubble)	1	....	
" (Marble)	....	8	
Meat Preserver	....	....	
Miller	....	....	
Millwrights	4	....	
Miners	216	184	
" (fosslickers), from Sydney	7,573	3,917	1
" " other places	2,561	2,749	
Miners' Rights only	584	427	
Mine Managers	....	....	
Oilmaker (eucalyptus)	....	....	
Packers	7	....	
Painters and Paperhangers	93	139	
Pattern-makers	4	11	
Photographers	4	1	

No. 40.—Number and Occupations of Persons assisted to Employment by the Government Labour Bureau—*continued.*

Occupations.	Year ended February 17th. 1895.	Year ended February 17th. 1896.	From 18th February, 1896, to 30th June, 1897.
Pipelayers	27	8	6
Pisé-builders	....	2	.....
Plasterers	14	15	21
Platelayers	....	15	14
Plumbers	27	18	21
Printers and Compositors	42	9	5
Quarrymen	12	56	25
Reporter	1	....	.....
Riveters	....	16	.....
Saddle and Harness Makers	15	7	9
Sandwich-men	....	22	.....
Sailors	9	....	.....
Sawyers	15	20	16
Scabblers	....	....	5
Shearers	134	310	103
Shipwrights	6	6	5
Signwriters	2	2	3
Slaters	3	4	1
Slaughtermen	1	3	5
Sleeper-squarers	4	34	11
Smelters	7	3	6
Special Work	....	2,662	.....
Station Hands	632	385	345
Station Overseers	....	....	3
Stone-breakers	25	74	66
Store Hands	13	6	3
Sugar-cane Hands	14	2	.....
Surveyors' Hands	18	15	9
Tailors	27	27	8
Tanners	1	9	.....
Tank-sinkers	....	3	.....
Tile-layer	1	....	.....
Tinsmiths	3	20	8
Tip-cart Drivers	....	42	.....
Traveller	1	....	.....
Tutors	10	10	4
Upholsterers	6	2	1
Village Settlers	31	1	.....
Waiters, Stewards, &c.	5	8	1
Warders	2	....	.....
Watchmen	1	1	1
Weavers	....	5	.....
Well-borers	6	2	.....
Wheelwrights	8	33	15
Wood-turner	....	....	1
Wool-classers	9	17	10
Wool Hands (Store)	71	32	124
Wool-pressers	....	15	3
Wool-sorters	....	9	4
Total	16,381	20,573	13,718

No. 41.—Expenditure on Relief Works, &c., by the Government Labour Bureau, 1896–97.

Relief Works, &c.	Amount expended. From February to June, 1896.	From July, 1896, to June, 1897.	Total.
	£	£	£
Relief Works—			
Centennial Park, for rations, &c.	1,490	1,349	2,839
,, piece-work	.....	52	52
Special Wages Work—			
Church and School Lands (wages)	*.....	3,717	3,717
Shea's Creek, including Cook's River and Muddy Creek	*.....	37,945	37,945
Temora Road	3,321	.....	3,321
Botany Sewage Farm	*.....	12,913	12,913
Randwick Rifle Butts	*.....	153	153
Kensington Special Jubilee (wages work)	.....	1,294	1,294
Little Bay	*.....	.....	.....
Other Works—			
Forest thinning	*.....	†5,000	†5,000
Railway deviation	*.....	†8,000	†8,000
Stock routes (clearing)	.....	†2,817	†2,817
Free rations	.....	80	80
Fossickers' rations	9	8	17
Railway and steamer fares (less refunds)	3,576	5,530	9,106
Total Relief Works, &c. £	8,396	78,858	87,254

* Not available. † Approximate.

No. 42.—Operations and Transactions of Charitabl

Institutions.	Indoor Relief.									
	Admissions.			Inmates at end of Year.					Deaths during the Year.	
				Adults.		Children.		Total.	Adults.	Children.
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.			
METROPOLITAN.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Government—										
Labour Bureau—Relieving Branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
State Children's Relief Board—										
Central Home, Paddington	591	668	1,259	..	..	6	12	18	..	..
Shaftesbury Receiving Home (South Head)	9	60	69	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Roman Catholic—										
Blind Asylum, Lewisham	..	..	..	..	..	5	9	14	..	..
Female Night Refuge and Soup Kitchen (William-street, Woolloomooloo)..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Good Samaritan Industrial School (Manly) ..	1	63	64	..	..	2	112	114	..	..
Home of the Good Samaritan (Pitt-street) ..	..	35	35	..	42	..	..	42	..	..
Magdalene Retreat (Tempe)	..	53	53	..	73	..	..	73	..	..
Mater Misericordiæ Home (Church Hill).. ..	..	250	250	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Home for the Aged Poor (Randwick)	..	..	68	66		..	..	66	..	..
St. Aloysius' Industrial School for Boys (Five Dock)	41	..	41	..	..	22	..	22	..	..
St. Joseph's Providence (Cumberland-street) ..	2	14	16	..	13	2	31	46	..	..
St. Martha's Industrial School (Leichhardt) ..	..	20	20	..	..	..	*48	48	1	..
Society of St. Vincent de Paul (27 Branches) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Church of England—										
Children's Home (Balmain)..	6	15	21	..	..	5	12	17	..	..
Church Home for the Intemperate and Fallen (Paddington)	..	70	70	..	21	..	..	21	..	..
Labour Home (Ultimo)	283	..	283	33	..	..	..	33	..	..
Wesleyan—										
Central Mission Children's Home (Woolloomooloo)	3	..	3	..	..	9	10	19	..	..
Salvation Army—										
Rescued Sisters' Home (Newtown)	..	182	182	..	21	..	..	21	..	..
Maternity Home ,, ...	..	113	113*	..	24	..	14	38	..	10
Prison Gate Home (St. Peters)	217	..	217	24	..	..	..	24	..	..
Industrial Colony (near Manly)	80	..	80	10	..	..	..	10	..	..
Hebrew—										
Ladies Dorcas Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sir Moses Montefiore Home (Moore Park) ..	1	2	3	7	4	..	..	11	..	..
Public—										
Ashfield Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Asylum for Destitute Children (Randwick) ..	27	14	41	..	..	83	63	146	..	..
Balmain Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Benevolent Society of N.S.W. (Pitt-street) ..	326*	860**	1,186	..	105	80	67	252	4	57
Boys' Brigade (Elizabeth-street)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Charity Organization Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
City Night Refuge and Soup Kitchen (Kent-st.)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Freemasons' Benevolent Institution	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Female School of Industry	..	3	3	..	3	..	37	40	..	..
Firemen's Widows and Orphans' Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
French Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Highland Society of N.S.W...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Home Visiting and Relief Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

* May include some over 15 years of age; information not given.

stitutions and Societies, for the year 1896.

loor and r Relief visions, clothing, h, etc.).	Revenue.				Expenditure.				Other Particulars.
Distinct Persons.	Government Aid.	Subscriptions and Donations.	Other Sources.	Total.	Buildings and Repairs.	Maintenance, including Salaries and Wages.	Other.	Total.	
No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
....	1,863	..	..	1,863	..	1,863	..	1,863	*Including 1,504 children.
....	..	..	..	....	..	....	..	....	Receiving-house; children only remain until boarded out. For expenditure see Table No. 37.
....	1,036	..	..	1,036	..	1,036	..	1,036	Formerly a Reformatory.
*62	..	36	36	72	..	72	..	72	Conducted by the Sisters of the Little Company of Mary. *Nursed.
....	..	122	100	222	..	210	12	222	†52,594 meals provided.
....	..	364	899	1,263	117	1,146	..	1,263	Largely self-supporting. Situations were obtained for 26 persons.
1,095	..	..	..	*	..	....	..	*	*Information not supplied. Mainly supported by laundry work.
....	..	..	..	*	..	....	..	*	
....	..	49	458	507	..	749	..	749	Mainly supported by contributions of inmates and laundry work.
....	..	..	..	*	..	....	..	*	Conducted by the Little Sisters of the Poor. *Information not supplied. Mainly gifts in kind.
....	..	157	..	157	..	148	15	163	Tailoring, shoemaking, and carpentry are being taught 18 boys.
....	..	..	..	*	..	....	..	*	*Information cannot be supplied. Conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph.
....	..	141	846	987	183	641	56	880	
6,063	..	1,365	281	1,646	..	1,541	143	1,684	Employment obtained for 110 persons; 49 assisted to start in business; passage money paid for 34; medical assistance given to 182, and 17 funerals paid for.
....	..	13	211	224	..	189	4	193	Largely supported by gifts in kind.
....	..	911	22	933	28	522	302	852	Mainly supported by laundry work.
....	..	228	374	602	..	558	50	608	Largely self-supporting. *33,602 meals provided.
....	..	291	17	308	..	258	15	273	Conducted on the Barnardo system.
1,484	..	71	180	251	..	114	135	249	Situations found for 193 persons; 110,618 meals provided. *Including 12 births.
	..	168	173	341	42	131	167	340	
	..	13	451	464	..	141	324	465	
	..	..	477	477	..	124	352	476	
....	..	279	17	296	..	311	18	329	In addition to general relief a number of pensioners are supported.
....	..	928	59	987	..	589	284	873	In addition to maintenance of home, pensioners are supported, outside relief given, medicines supplied and loans granted.
....	..	37	..	37	..	....	36	36	
....	..	420	8,581	9,001	719	3,118	512	4,349	
1,233	114	85	60	259	..	201	..	201	
18,738	14,085	2,870	2,579	19,534	280	17,732	144	18,156	*Including 141 births. **Including 182 births.
50	..	155	86	241	..	257	89	346	250 on the roll.
*7,168	..	855	50	905	..	690	72	762	*Including 3,357 children.
11,635§	..	620	61	681	..	644	..	644	47,450 persons sheltered and 105,850 meals provided. Situations were found for 40 persons.
*18	..	438	440	878	..	277	40	317	*Annuitants.
....	..	106	482	588	21	549	50	620	
....	..	..	25	25	..	26	..	26	
120	..	..	..	....*	..	....	273	273	*Information not supplied. Fifty visits paid by a doctor.
50	..	209	..	209	..	209	..	*209	*This represents amount expended in charity only.
....	..	213	251	464	..	583	11	594	£483 granted as loans and €107 repaid.

No. 42.—Operations and Transactions of Chari

Institutions.	Indoor Relief.									
	Admissions.			Inmates at end of Year.					Deaths during the Year.	
				Adults.		Children.		Total.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.		Adults.	Children.
METROPOLITAN—*continued.*										
Public—*continued.*	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Industrial Blind Institution..	7	5	12	37	5	..	..	42	..	..
Industrial Home for Blind Women (Strathfield).	..	3	3	..	29	..	..	29	2	..
Infants' Home (Ashfield)	31	66	97	..	16	21	22	59	..	1
Kaiser Wilhelm Spende (Pitt-street)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Leichhardt Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
North Sydney Benevolent Society..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
St. Leonards' Relief Society..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
National Shipwreck Society of N.S.W.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
N.S.W. Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, and Blind (Darlington)	12	15	27	..	..	57	49	106	..	..
Nurses' Home, District Nurses' Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Petersham, Marrickville, and District Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Queen's Jubilee Fund (for Women)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
St. George's Ladies' Benevolent Society (Kogarah)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sydney Female Refuge (Pitt-street)	..	36	36	..	36	..	..	36	..	..
Sydney Female Mission Home (Forest Lodge) ..	*16	**47	63	..	18	1	1	20	..	..
Sydney City Mission	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sydney Night Refuge and Reformatory (Francis-street, Woolloomooloo)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sydney Rescue Work Society— Home of Hope (Newtown)	..	..	*326	55		32		87	5	
Open All Night Refuge †	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Babies' Home	30	21	51	..	..	15	12	27	..	
Royal Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total, Metropolitan	4,692			642		839		1,481	12	13
COUNTRY.										
Government—										
Boys' Home, Eastwood	31	..	31	..	..	21	..	21	..	
Liverpool Asylum	1,042	..	1,042	779	..	..	..	779	267	..
Newington Asylum	54	616	670	36	626	..	..	662	107	..
Parramatta Asylum (George-street)	983	..	983	982	..	..	..	982	188	..
" (Macquarie-street)	437	..	437	345	..	..	..	345	63	..
Parramatta Cottage Homes	6	6	12	20	24	..	..	44	4	
Rookwood Asylum	1,078	..	1,078	563	..	..	..	563	84	..
State Children's Relief Board—Parramatta and Mittagong Cottage Homes	30	98	128	..	..	27	125	152	..	..
Aborigines' Protection Board	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		

stitutions and Societies, &c.—*continued.*

tdoor and ther Relief Provisions, ls, Clothing, Cash, &c.)		Revenue.				Expenditure.				Other Particulars.
	Distinct Persons.	Government Aid.	Subscriptions and Donations.	Other Sources.	Total.	Buildings and Repairs.	Maintenance, including Salaries and Wages.	Other.	Total.	
o.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
..	....	758	612	2,724	4,094	143	2,324	2,230	4,697	Mainly self-supporting.
74	53	1,000	951	492	2,443	676	1,193	370	2,239	296 persons under the care of the Home Teaching Department.
..	....	300	598	191	1,089	401	670	197	1,268	Mothers of the children are also sheltered.
243	347	..	60	77	137	..	98	..	98	
..	....	194	55	73	322	..	390	10	400	Principally widows relieved.
171	*827	124	136	..	260	..	376	17	393	*Not including those who received medical assistance.
..	....	..	43	..	43	..	43	2	45	
48	....	250	759	557	1,566	..	1,293	188	1,481	For transactions of this society since its establishment see Table 48, Part Shipping.
..	....	675	1,319	2,457	4,451	117	3,795	..	3,912	Instruction is given in certain trades, in addition to the usual educational course.
262	....	..	71	10	81	..	93	..	93	1,317 visits paid to the poor.
70	....	99	107	..	206	..	117	8	125	
57	....	..	129	898	1,027	..	944	83	1,027	Endowment Fund, £17,604.
40	....	62	50	100	212	..	212	23	235	
.	....	..	94	751	845	28	924	106	1,058	Largely self-supporting.
.	....	211	128	28	367	..	230	13	243	* All births. ** Including 11 births.
.	9,621	..	2,721	1,503	4,224	..	2,014	719	3,633	
.	1,400	..	210	..	210	12	98	99	209	Shelter and breakfast provided for men only.
.	....									
.	23,729	1,825	1,038	635	3,498	110	2,359	896	3,365	*Includes 75 births. †Temporary work obtained for 608 women, and situations secured for 155 women.
.	....									
.	....	50	32	28	110	..	80	15	95	
.	....	22,646	20,257	27,740	70,643	2,877	52,782	8,080	63,739	
.	....	..	..	..	*....	..	....	..	*....	*Included in Newington Asylum.
1	1	11,087	..	..	11,087	238	9,963	896	11,087	For men only.
4	....	5,772	..	..	5,772	322	4,739	710	5,771	Principally women.
-	2	9,768	..	..	9,768	296	8,289	1,183	9,768	For men only.
.	...	7,572	..	..	7,572	143	6,985	445	7,573	
.	....	625	..	..	625	44	540	41	625	For old married couples.
70	7,020	7,387	..	..	7,387	590	5,366	1,430	7,386	For men only.
-	....	3,160	..	..	3,160	..	3,160	..	3,160	
.	....	17,312	..	..	17,312	..	17,312	..	17,312	The total population on 31st December, 1896, was 6,984 (3,503 full-bloods and 3,481 half-bloods). There are 110 reserves for the use of aborigines in various parts of New South Wales, the total area being 25,338 acres.

No. 42.—Operations and Transactions of Chari

Institutions.	Indoor Relief.									
	Admissions.			Inmates at end of Year.					Deaths during the Year.	
				Adults.		Children.		Total.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.		Adults.	Children.
COUNTRY—*continued.*										
Roman Catholic—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No	No.	No.
Albury Female Orphanage	..	18	18	..	..	..	47	47	..	..
Bathurst Female Orphanage	..	18	18	..	2	..	47	49	..	..
Goulburn Female Orphanage	..	15	15	..	..	..	45	45	..	..
St. Ann's Orphanage (Liverpool)	..	25	25	..	..	..	73	73	..	..
St. Joseph's Orphanage (Kincumber)	20	..	20	..	..	70	..	70	..	..
St. Vincent de Paul Home (Westmead)	25	..	25	..	..	40	..	40	..	..
Singleton Orphanage..	..	5	5	..	..	..	10	10	..	..
Institute for Deaf and Dumb (Waratah)	2	4	6	..	..	6	14	20	..	..
Society of St. Vincent de Paul (Goulburn) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Salvation Army—										
Wimbledon Farm (near Bathurst)..	24	..	24	3	..	..	..	3	..	..
Public—										
Armidale Relief Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bathurst Poor Relief Society	..	..	51	11	5	..	..	16	3	..
Bega Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Broken Hill Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cooma Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Glen Innes Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Goulburn Ladies' City Mission and Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grafton Benevolent Society	40	13	53	7	3	..	..	10	1	..
Gulgong Relief Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gunnedah Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hawkesbury Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hay Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Inverell Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lismore Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maitland Benevolent Society	83	16	99	33	15	..	..	48	6	..
Mudgee District Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Narrandera Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Newcastle Benevolent Society	28	24	52	17	22	3	..	42	3	2
Orange Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Parramatta Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Queanbeyan Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Singleton and Patrick's Plains Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tamworth Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	3	3	1	4	..	..	5	1	..
Thirlmere Home for Consumptives	52	48	100	24	11	..	..	35	8	6
Uralla Ladies' Relief Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wagga Wagga Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wollongong Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total, Country	4,895			2,821	712	167	361	4,061	735	11

SUMMARY.

METROPOLITAN	4,692	642	836	1,451	12
COUNTRY	4,895	2,821 | 712	167 | 361	4,061	73
TOTAL, NEW SOUTH WALES ..	9,587	4,175	1,387	5,512	

tions and Societies, &c.—*continued.*

nd lief s, ning, .) Persons.	Revenue. Government Aid.	Revenue. Subscriptions and Donations.	Revenue. Other Sources.	Revenue. Total.	Expenditure. Buildings and Repairs.	Expenditure. Maintenance, including Salaries and Wages.	Expenditure. Other.	Expenditure. Total.	Other Particulars.
o.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
..	..	303	..	303	10	276	..	286	Partly supported by produce of farm of 62 acres and donations of gifts in kind.
...	..	248	132	380	5	360	15	380	Partly supported by donations of gifts in kind.
...	..	75	45	120*	..	120	..	120*	* Estimated; mainly supported by gifts in kind.
...	..	550	20	570	40	550	61	651	
...	..	..	..	....†	..	....	..	....†	† Information not supplied.
...	250	585	70	905	460	462	160	1,082	Carpentry, tailoring, and boot-making taught.
...	..	..	63	63	..	104	..	104	
...	..	312	198	510	..	163	340	503	
562	..	65	54	119	..	94	2	96	
...	..	1	397	398	..	98	300	398	Self-supporting.
...	198	106	139	443	239	261	23	523	§ Two Cottage Homes were built at the end of the year.
...	432	208	57	697	..	515	109	624	
...	35	44	..	79	..	80	..	80	
687	144	84	..	228	..	278	..	278	
...	58	63	..	121	..	129	4	133	
37	22	25	37	84	..	61	36	97	
,044‖	153	142	19	314	..	415	..	415	‖ Including 686 tramps.
625	485	188	144	817	158	397	54	609	
50	30	50	31	111	....	78	....	78	
...	16	40	24	80	1	36	9	46	
...	..	68	..	68	..	28	....	28	This Society also carries on Hospital operations. (See Windsor Hospital, Tables Nos. 2, 6, and 7.)
...	41	36	11	88	....	107	....	107	*Orders given.
125	73	74	....	147	....	108	....	108	
160	30	81	4	115	....	162	4	166	
320	836	341	138	1,315	24	996	31	1,051	
36	71	67	38	176	....	184	10	194	
122	68	31	27	126	....	123	19	142	1,673 orders were given.
,206	5,222	1,075	....	6,297	4,330	3,521	158	8,009	1,688 meals provided; 390 fares by rail and steamer paid.
...	107	107	....	214	....	107	....	107	
288	184	123	36	343	....	263	13	276	At the Travellers' Rest 409 beds and 410 meals were given; 661 families received food, &c.
...	17	5	11	33	....	23	2	25	
169	38	102	58	198	....	150	21	171	
264	201	140	97	438	27	254	17	298	¶ Four Cottage Homes.
...	....	567	858	1,425	18	806	570	1,394	
...	27	9	172	208	....	....	82	82	
...	48	21	....	69	....	....	72	72	
750	45	37	....	82	....	95	4	99	
...	71,514	5,973	2,880	80,367	6,945	67,758	6,811	81,514	
...	22,646	20,257	27,740	70,643	2,877	52,782	8,080	63,739	
...	71,514	5,973	2,880	80,367	6,945	67,758	6,811	81,514	
...	94,160	26,230	30,620	151,010	9,822	120,540	14,891	145,253	

No. 43.—Charitable Institutions and Societies Number of, Inmates, and Deat 1892–96.

Classification.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
METROPOLITAN.					
Institutions and Societies furnishing returns*	33	39	56	56	58
Inmates at end of year	1,872	1,703	1,650	1,921	1,481
Deaths in Institutions	114	173	131	158	142
COUNTRY.					
Institutions and Societies furnishing returns*	39	42	45	45	46
Inmates at end of year	4,973	5,523	4,011	4,210	4,061
Deaths in Institutions	529	636	665	769	746
NEW SOUTH WALES.					
Institutions and Societies furnishing returns*	72	81	101	101	104
Inmates at end of year	6,845	7,226	5,661	6,131	5,542
Deaths in Institutions	643	809	796	927	888

* Including Societies affording outdoor relief only.

No. 44.—Revenue and Expenditure of Charitable Institutions and Societies, 1892–96.

Year.	Revenue.				Expenditure.			
	Government.	Subscriptions and Donations.	Other Sources.	Total.	Buildings and Repairs.	Maintenance, including Salaries and Wages.	Other.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
METROPOLITAN.								
1892	19,675	11,811	14,889	46,375	10,687	39,189	2,796	52,67
1893	20,266	19,389	15,809	55,464	*.....	47,189	8,426	55,61
1894	24,138	18,827	28,369	71,334	3,912	47,362	12,359	63,63
1895	21,823	20,361	20,269	62,453	2,559	48,222	10,320	61,10
1896	22,646	20,257	27,740	70,643	2,877	52,782	8,080	63,73
COUNTRY.								
1892	89,950	3,714	331	93,995	5,665	87,125	376	93,16
1893	95,996	3,868	413	100,277	*.....	85,867	13,109	98,97
1894	106,070	4,700	2,585	113,355	7,619	99,945	5,038	112,60
1895	108,762	5,752	1,241	115,755	4,662	106,993	4,178	115,83
1896	71,514	5,973	2,880	80,367	6,945	67,758	6,811	81,51
NEW SOUTH WALES.								
1892	109,625	15,525	15,220	140,370	16,352	126,314	3,172	145,83
1893	116,262	23,257	16,222	155,741	*.....	133,056	21,535	154,59
1894	130,208	23,527	30,954	184,689	11,531	147,307	17,397	176,23
1895	130,585	26,113	21,510	178,208	7,221	155,215	14,498	176,93
1896	94,160	26,230	30,620	151,010	9,822	120,540	14,891	145,25

* Included with "maintenance."

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PART XI.—FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS.

No. 1.—Currency.

Denomination of Coin. (Current.)	Standard Weight. Grains.	Least Current Weight. Grains.	Standard Fineness.	Legal Tender, &c.
GOLD.				
Sovereign ...	123·27447	122·50000	Eleven-twelfths fine gold, or decimal fineness ·91666, and one-twelfth copper alloy.	Gold being the only standard metal, sovereigns and half-sovereigns are legal tender to any amount, provided that the pieces are not worn below 122·5 and 61·125 grains respectively. The Colonial Act (19 Vic. No. 3), applying to a metallic legal tender, was passed in 1854.
Half-sovereign	61·63723	61·12500		
SILVER.				
Crown ...	436·36363	.....	Thirty-seven fortieths fine silver, or decimal fineness ·925, and three-fortieths copper alloy.	Silver Coinage is legal tender to the amount of 40 shillings only. Under the Act above mentioned the legal tender of silver was limited to the amount named.
Double Florin	349·09090	.....		
Half-crown ...	218·18181	.....		
Florin ...	174·54545	.....		
Shilling ...	87·27272	.....		
Sixpence ...	43·63636	.....		
Threepence ...	21·81818	.....		
BRONZE.				
Penny ..	145·83333	.....	Mixed metal; 95 parts, copper; 4 parts, tin; and 1 part, zinc. The Coinage Act does not prescribe the proportions, but the alloy used is as stated.	Bronze Coin is legal tender to the amount of one shilling. One pound avoirdupois of Bronze is coined into 48 pence, or 80 half-pence, or 160 farthings.
Half-penny ..	87·50000	.....		
Farthing ...	43·75000	.....		

GOLD—VALUE PER OUNCE STANDARD.

Standard or sovereign gold has a fineness of 22 carat, and is worth £3 17s. 10½d. per ounce; pure gold, or 24 carat, is worth £4 4s. 11$\frac{5}{11}$d. per ounce. The whole of the gold contained in deposits sent to the Sydney Branch of the Royal Mint for melting, assaying, and coining, is accounted for at the rate of 17s. 10½d. per ounce, standard or sovereign gold.

SILVER—VALUE PER OUNCE STANDARD.

Monthly average price of silver bullion in the London market during 1896:—

	d.		d.		d.		d.
January ...	30⅝	April ...	31$\frac{1}{16}$	July... ...	31$\frac{7}{16}$	October ...	30$\frac{1}{16}$
February ...	31	May... ...	31$\frac{1}{16}$	August ...	30$\frac{15}{16}$	November	29$\frac{15}{16}$
March ...	31$\frac{5}{16}$	June ...	31⅜	September ...	30⅜	December	29$\frac{15}{16}$

Average for year, 30¾d.

BRONZE COIN.

The nominal value of one pound (avoirdupois) of bronze coined into pence is 4s., and into half-pence and farthings 3s. 4d.

No. 2.—Receipts of Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 1855-96.

Branches of Royal Mint.—The Sydney and Melbourne Branches of the Royal Mint are the only institutions at present in existence in the British Possessions, the Mints at Calcutta and Bombay being established on a different basis, but a branch will shortly be in operation at Perth, W.A. The Sydney Branch was opened on 14th May, 1855, and that of Melbourne on 12th June, 1872. Gold only is coined in the Branch Mints, the silver and bronze coin required for circulation in the Australasian Colonies being obtained from the London Mint. The expenditure of the Colonial establishments is borne by the respective Governments, the amount granted annually to the Sydney Mint by New South Wales being £15,000; this amount, however, is refunded to the Government under the head of Mint Receipts.

Year.	Mint Charges— On New South Wales Gold.	Mint Charges— On Gold of other Colonies or Countries.	Profit on Sale of Silver.	Fees for Assays and Crushings, and Proceeds of Sweep.	Total Mint Receipts paid into Consolidated Revenue.
	£	£	£	£	£
1855 to 1886	261,033	127,323	44,602	53,897	486,855
1887	2,119	4,003	2,796	1,410	10,328
1888	1,649	3,483	3,678	2,096	10,906
1889	2,299	4,613	3,434	1,738	12,084
1890	2,432	4,152	4,772	1,852	13,208
1891	2,881	3,854	5,319	1,875	13,929
1892	2,938	3,893	3,164	1,657	11,652
1893	3,624	3,713	4,290	1,571	13,198
1894	4,439	3,759	5,402	3,105	16,705
1895	3,832	3,125	5,058	2,495	14,510
1896	3,487	2,956	5,058	3,346	14,847
Total ...	290,733	164,874	87,573	75,042	618,222

MINT CHARGES.

Gold deposited at the Sydney Mint for melting, assaying, and coining is subject to a charge per ounce, and the charges are deducted from the gross value of the deposit. The charges are—

	On Gold raised in New South Wales.	On Gold certified to be the produce of any other Colony or Country.
(1) In deposits of less than 500 ounces, standard.	6d. per ounce, six shillings being charged for a deposit under 12 ounces.	5d. per ounce, five shillings being charged for a deposit under 12 ounces.
(2) In deposits of 500 ounces and over, but less than 5,000 ounces, standard.	4d. per ounce	3d. per ounce.
(3) In deposits of 5,000 ounces, standard, and over.	2d. per ounce	1d. per ounce.

Silver retained.—In addition to the above, the Mint authorities retain all silver contained in deposits, but payment is made for the silver in excess of 2 per cent. at a rate from time to time notified in the *Gazette*. The rate paid from the 1st January to the 30th September, 1896, was 1s. 9d. per oz. fine; from the 1st October, 1896, to the 23rd August, 1897 the rate was 2s. per oz. fine, while from the last-mentioned date, it was reduced to 1s. 6d. per oz. fine.

No. 3.—Cost of Administration of Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 1887-96.

Year.	Actual Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue. On Ordinary Administration (including Pensions, Stores, and Stationery).	On Construction, Repairs, and Furniture.	Total.	Mint Receipts (paid into Consolidated Revenue).	Net Annual Charge to Colony for working of Mint.
	£	£	£	£	£
1887	13,487	17	13,504	10,328	3,176
1888	13,495	1	13,496	10,906	2,590
1889	13,622	1,922	15,544	12,084	3,460
1890	14,955	120	15,075	13,208	1,867
1891	14,357	417	14,774	13,929	845
1892	13,344	283	13,627	11,652	1,975
1893	14,293	555	14,848	13,198	1,650
1894	14,028	5,823	19,851	16,705	3,146
1895	13,937	348	14,285	14,510	*225
1896	14,277	493	14,770	14,847	*77

* Excess Receipts.

. 4.—Gold Received by Escort at Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 1887–96.

District.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.
tern	29,115	13,571	19,128	17,397	18,044	17,040	14,820	6,988	7,787	7,224
hern	16,350	12,441	11,365	12,529	11,068	9,800	14,504	12,038	11,359	13,662
hern	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Total	45,465	26,012	30,493	29,926	29,112	26,840	29,324	19,026	19,146	20,886
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
rt Fees paid into Con-olidated Revenue ...	759	445	528	505	479	466	476	353	345	412

Escort Fees.—The Fees for escort and conveyance of gold are collected by the Mint authorities and paid into the ry. A uniform rate of 4d. per oz. of the gross weight is charged for escort.

5.—Gold received for Coinage at Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 1855–96.

	From—							Coin.	Total.
	New South Wales.	Queensland.	New Zealand.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	Other Countries.		
	QUANTITY.								
	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.
	6,994,136	4,291,491	2,060,402	1,438,093	41,924	6,156	12,460	161,223	15,005,885
7	105,269	426,110	53,101	50	5,625	5,633	1,694	225	597,707
8	82,891	495,183	3,205	8	2,147	15	965	25,430	609,844
9	114,486	732,447	4,653	2,820	4,365	.....	1,607	40,097	900,475
0	119,564	619,367	44,230	681	7,851	.....	807	11,623	804,123
1	142,470	541,533	84,349	654	12,933	.....	865	4,421	787,225
2	144,259	578,757	56,964	12	3,593	.....	1,506	117	785,208
3	171,097	585,042	85,219	101	183	106	1,724	110	843,582
4	222,989	579,300	44,855	253	113	238	4,894	17,140	869,782
5	202,317	470,794	83,851	18	.....	39	*3,076	26	760,121
6	203,336	467,884	36,797	.....	1,488	106	*3,152	46	712,809
al	8,502,814	9,787,908	2,557,626	1,442,690	80,222	12,293	32,750	260,458	22,676,761
	VALUE.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
	26,716,196	15,283,435	8,133,239	5,906,076	151,803	23,797	41,637	623,959	56,880,142
7	375,788	1,530,348	218,083	99	20,790	20,981	6,348	869	2,173,306
8	299,838	1,760,874	11,123	13	7,696	39	3,635	99,013	2,182,231
9	414,027	2,722,026	17,650	10,769	13,868	.....	6,043	156,090	3,340,473
0	435,983	2,253,363	176,470	2,477	27,132	.....	3,018	45,232	2,943,675
1	518,249	1,908,799	323,522	2,525	44,508	.....	3,200	17,199	2,818,002
2	522,866	2,015,549	223,936	47	12,549	.....	5,426	456	2,780,829
3	619,071	2,036,511	337,066	417	619	369	6,218	425	3,000,696
4	785,952	2,031,420	181,291	1,018	331	686	17,374	66,706	3,084,778
5	746,703	1,665,985	344,182	70	.....	133	*11,273	101	2,768,447
6	759,853	1,681,890	151,566	.....	5,296	369	*11,305	180	2,610,459
al	32,194,526	34,890,200	10,118,128	5,923,511	284,592	46,374	115,477	1,010,230	84,583,038

ncluding 2,801 oz., valued at £10,461, and 1,866 oz., valued at £6,983, received from Western Australia in 1895 and 1896 respectively. The corresponding particulars for previous years are not available.

Weight and Value of Deposits.—The weight shown represents the quantity of the rough or unrefined gold—, gold containing silver, copper, antimony, and other alloys, but the value given is that ascertained by the assays.

No. 6.—Gold Coin and Bullion issued by Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 185

Year.	Gold Coin.			Gold Bullion.		Total Value Gold Coin and Bullion issu
	Sovereigns.	Half-sovereigns.	Total.	Weight.	Value.	
	£	£	£	oz.	£	£
1855 to 1886	51,846,500	2,321,500	54,168,000	665,995·60	2,660,356	56,828,3
1887	2,002,000	67,000	2,069,000	6,210·90	24,235	2,093,2
1888	2,187,000	.....	2,187,000	4,785·39	20,227	2,207,2
1889	3,262,000	32,000	3,294,000	6,803·62	28,750	3,322,7
1890	2,808,000	.....	2,808,000	27,320·30	115,476	2,923,4
1891	2,596,000	77,000	2,673,000	23,128·25	93,424	2,766,4
1892	2,837,000	.....	2,837,000	216·40	872	2,837,8
1893	2,844,000	125,000	2,969,000	4,150·36	17,509	2,986,5
1894	3,067,000	.....	3,067,000	247·22	998	3,067,9
1895	2,758,000	.....	2,758,000	4,811·55	20,300	2,778,3
1896	2,544,000	.....	2,544,000	15,982·94	67,649	2,611,6
Total ...	78,751,500	2,622,500	81,374,000	759,652·53	3,049,796	84,423,7

Gold Bullion.—The gold bullion issued is generally fine or sovereign gold, in the form of 10-oz. ingots, wh exported principally to India by the French Bank; but pure gold in smaller quantities is issued to jewellers, chemi others.

No. 7.—Silver and Bronze Coin issued at Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 186

Year.	Silver Coin.							Bronze Coin.	
	Crowns and Double Florins.	Half-crowns.	Florins.	Shillings.	Six-pences.	Three-pences.	Total.	Pence.	Half-pence.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1868 to 1886	...	94,900	72,800	91,950	24,500	37,250	321,400	22,900	5,670
1887	585	2,140	350	1,850	500	690	6,115	680	120
1888	215	1,260	850	3,250	3,100	2,610	11,285	1,120	510
1889	200	7,700	3,900	3,900	2,700	3,975	22,375	1,160	400
1890	200	7,400	8,500	9,200	4,500	5,375	35,175	1,100	360
1891	...	2,000	1,800	4,100	5,100	4,200	17,200	1,540	440
1892	...	1,500	4,000	4,300	2,500	1,625	13,925	1,475	590
1893	...	2,800	2,300	3,500	1,000	425	10,025	390	450
1894	...	1,900	1,100	900	1,500	900	6,300	295	*210
1895	100	900	700	250	300	2,500	4,750	890	370
1896	...	2,100	2,300	4,200	1,300	900	10,800	2,000	880
Total ...	1,300	124,600	98,600	127,400	47,000	60,450	459,350	33,550	*10,000

* Including £50 in farthings.

NOTE.—Silver and Bronze are coined in London.

). 8.—Gold received for coinage at Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, from each District in New South Wales, 1887–96.

District.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
					QUANTITY.					
	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.
ern	40,294	23,738	38,517	38,625	41,883	46,316	53,473	87,590	86,609	45,551
ıern ...	16,266	14,519	13,343	14,670	19,182	18,618	23,828	31,919	31,879	25,107
ıern ...	7,811	16,626	34,368	27,872	39,652	43,791	44,893	45,780	16,753	25,215
ity unknown	40,898	28,008	28,258	38,397	41,753	35,534	48,903	57,699	67,076	107,463
Total ...	105,269	82,891	114,186	119,564	142,470	144,259	171,097	222,988	202,317	203,336
					VALUE.					
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
ern... ...	143,756	86,714	143,800	145,609	156,594	171,445	195,695	302,841	316,982	169,234
ıern ...	59,827	54,932	50,278	53,428	71,239	68,305	89,580	118,717	117,614	93,828
ıern ...	27,202	56,754	117,770	97,311	140,885	155,782	159,656	163,624	60,988	89,943
ity unknown	145,003	101,438	102,179	139,635	149,531	127,334	174,140	200,770	251,119	406,848
Total ...	375,788	299,838	414,027	435,983	518,249	522,866	619,071	785,952	746,703	759,853

his represents gold received by escort at the Mint for the Sydney banks, which, after being assayed by the latter ons, is returned for coinage; the Mint authorities are, therefore, unable to state the place of origin.

).—Gold received for coinage at Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, from each District in New South Wales, 1896.

Locality.	Weight.	Value.		Locality.	Weight.	Value.	
		Total.	Per oz.			Total.	Per oz.
	oz.	£	£ s. d.		oz.	£	£ s. d.
			WESTERN DISTRICT.				
ırst	1,561	5,959	3 16 4	Gulgong	2,496	9,679	3 17 7
ar	3,032	11,162	3 13 8	Wellington ...	2,030	7,738	3 16 3
ge	2,954	10,268	3 9 6	Parkes	8,882	33,035	3 14 5
key Creek ...	161	593	3 13 10	Forbes	13	47	3 10 2
a	103	396	3 16 10	Grenfell	1,245	4,717	3 15 9
ıt M'Donald...	293	1,037	3 10 9	Young	1,296	5,160	3 19 7
End	1,113	4,354	3 18 3	Wilcannia ...	1,138	4,058	3 11 4
ıaroora ...	54	214	3 18 8	Localities undefined	11,728	41,661	3 11 1
ı	2,178	8,429	3 17 5				
ree	5,274	20,727	3 18 7	Total ...	45,551	169,234	3 14 4
			SOUTHERN DISTRICT.				
ımundra ...	37	132	3 10 8	Tumbarumba ...	2,519	9,605	3 16 3
ıra	625	2,326	3 14 6	Wagga Wagga ...	103	378	3 13 4
burn ...	569	2,199	3 17 4	Gundagai	2,402	9,318	3 17 7
lwood ...	3,227	12,550	3 17 9	Cooma	1,082	3,958	3 13 2
ıen	26	103	3 19 4	Kiandra	88	336	3 16 2
gundah ...	464	1,897	4 1 10	Localities undefined	13,412	48,909	3 12 11
ıng	177	656	3 14 2				
ıt	376	1,461	3 17 9	Total ...	25,107	93,828	3 14 9
			NORTHERN DISTRICT.				
dale ...	9,867	35,302	3 11 7	Grafton	1,776	5,862	3 6 0
y River ...	84	318	3 16 0	Tenterfield ...	2,393	8,355	3 9 10
lle	12	46	3 18 10	Localities undefined	9,203	33,343	3 12 5
vorth ...	449	1,664	3 14 1				
ıra	1,304	4,617	3 10 10	Total ...	25,215	89,943	3 11 4
ıand	127	436	3 8 9				
ality unknown ...	...	...	...	... ...	107,463	406,848	3 15 9
Total N.S.W. Gold received for Coinage during 1896 ..					203,336	759,853	3 14 0

* See note to Table No. 8.

alue per ounce.—The value per ounce of pure gold (24 carat), at the mint rate of £3 17s. 10½d. per ounce for gold of l or 22 carat fineness, is £4 4s. 11$\frac{4}{11}$d. The average value per ounce given in the foregoing table represents the rough or unrefined gold—that is, gold containing silver, copper, antimony, and other alloys.

No. 6.—Gold Coin and Bullion issued by Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 1855-

Year.	Gold Coin.			Gold Bullion.		Total Value o Gold Coin and G Bullion issued
	Sovereigns.	Half-sovereigns.	Total.	Weight.	Value.	
	£	£	£	oz.	£	£
1855 to 1886	51,846,500	2,321,500	54,168,000	665,995·60	2,660,356	56,828,356
1887	2,002,000	67,000	2,069,000	6,210·90	24,235	2,093,235
1888	2,187,000	.....	2,187,000	4,785·39	20,227	2,207,227
1889	3,262,000	32,000	3,294,000	6,803·62	28,750	3,322,750
1890	2,808,000	.....	2,808,000	27,320·30	115,476	2,923,476
1891	2,596,000	77,000	2,673,000	23,128·25	93,424	2,766,424
1892	2,837,000	.....	2,837,000	216·40	872	2,837,872
1893	2,844,000	125,000	2,969,000	4,150·36	17,509	2,986,509
1894	3,067,000	.....	3,067,000	247·22	998	3,067,998
1895	2,758,000	.....	2,758,000	4,811·55	20,300	2,778,300
1896	2,544,000	.....	2,544,000	15,982·94	67,649	2,611,649
Total ...	78,751,500	2,622,500	81,374,000	759,652·53	3,049,796	84,423,796

Gold Bullion.—The gold bullion issued is generally fine or sovereign gold, in the form of 10-oz. ingots, which exported principally to India by the French Bank; but pure gold in smaller quantities is issued to jewellers, chemists, others.

No. 7.—Silver and Bronze Coin issued at Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 1868-

Year.	Silver Coin.							Bronze Coin.		To
	Crowns and Double Florins.	Half-crowns.	Florins.	Shillings.	Six-pences.	Three-pences.	Total.	Pence.	Half-pence.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1868 to 1886	...	94,900	72,800	91,950	24,500	37,250	321,400	22,900	5,670	28,[illegible]
1887	585	2,140	350	1,850	500	690	6,115	680	120	[illegible]
1888	215	1,260	850	3,250	3,100	2,610	11,285	1,120	510	1,[illegible]
1889	200	7,700	3,900	3,900	2,700	3,975	22,375	1,160	400	1,[illegible]
1890	200	7,400	8,500	9,200	4,500	5,375	35,175	1,100	360	1,[illegible]
1891	...	2,000	1,800	4,100	5,100	4,200	17,200	1,540	440	1,[illegible]
1892	...	1,500	4,000	4,300	2,500	1,625	13,925	1,475	500	2,[illegible]
1893	...	2,800	2,300	3,500	1,000	425	10,025	390	450	[illegible]
1894	...	1,900	1,100	900	1,500	900	6,300	205	*210	[illegible]
1895	100	900	700	250	300	2,500	4,750	890	370	1,[illegible]
1896	...	2,100	2,300	4,200	1,300	900	10,800	2,000	880	2,[illegible]
Total ...	1,300	124,600	98,600	127,400	47,000	60,450	459,350	33,550	*10,000	43,[illegible]

* Including £50 in farthings.

NOTE.—Silver and Bronze are coined in London.

No. 8.—Gold received for coinage at Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, from each District in New South Wales, 1887–96.

District.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
					QUANTITY.					
	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.
Western	40,294	23,738	38,517	38,625	41,883	46,316	53,473	87,590	86,609	45,551
Southern ...	16,266	14,519	13,343	14,670	19,182	18,618	23,828	31,919	31,879	25,107
Northern ...	7,811	16,626	34,368	27,872	39,652	43,791	44,893	45,780	16,753	25,215
*Locality unknown	40,898	28,008	28,258	38,397	41,753	35,534	48,903	57,699	67,076	107,463
Total ...	105,269	82,891	114,186	119,564	142,470	144,259	171,097	222,988	202,317	203,336
					VALUE.					
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Western	143,756	86,714	143,800	145,609	156,594	171,445	195,695	302,841	316,982	169,234
Southern ...	59,827	54,932	50,278	53,428	71,239	68,305	89,580	118,717	117,614	93,828
Northern ...	27,202	56,754	117,770	97,311	140,885	155,782	159,656	163,624	60,988	89,943
*Locality unknown	145,003	101,438	102,179	139,635	149,531	127,334	174,140	200,770	251,119	406,848
Total ...	375,788	299,838	414,027	435,983	518,249	522,866	619,071	785,952	746,703	759,853

*This represents gold received by escort at the Mint for the Sydney banks, which, after being assayed by the latter institutions, is returned for coinage; the Mint authorities are, therefore, unable to state the place of origin.

No. 9.—Gold received for coinage at Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, from each District in New South Wales, 1896.

Locality.	Weight.	Value. Total.	Value. Per oz.	Locality.	Weight.	Value. Total.	Value. Per oz.
	oz.	£	£ s. d.		oz.	£	£ s. d.
			WESTERN DISTRICT.				
Bathurst	1,561	5,959	3 16 4	Gulgong	2,496	9,679	3 17 7
Carcoar	3,032	11,162	3 13 8	Wellington ...	2,030	7,738	3 16 3
Orange	2,954	10,268	3 9 6	Parkes	8,882	33,035	3 14 5
Trunkey Creek ...	161	593	3 13 10	Forbes	13	47	3 10 2
Tuena	103	396	3 16 10	Grenfell	1,245	4,717	3 15 9
Mount M'Donald...	293	1,037	3 10 9	Young	1,296	5,160	3 19 7
Hill End	1,113	4,354	3 18 3	Wilcannia ...	1,138	4,058	3 11 4
Tambaroora ...	54	214	3 18 8	Localities undefined	11,728	41,661	3 11 1
Sofala	2,178	8,429	3 17 5				
Mudgee	5,274	20,727	3 18 7	Total ...	45,551	169,234	3 14 4
			SOUTHERN DISTRICT.				
Cootamundra ...	37	132	3 10 8	Tumbarumba ...	2,519	9,605	3 16 3
Temora	625	2,326	3 14 6	Wagga Wagga ...	103	378	3 13 4
Goulburn ...	569	2,199	3 17 4	Gundagai	2,402	9,318	3 17 7
Braidwood ...	3,227	12,550	3 17 9	Cooma	1,082	3,958	3 13 2
Araluen	26	103	3 19 4	Kiandra	88	336	3 16 2
Nerrigundah ...	464	1,897	4 1 10	Localities undefined	13,412	48,909	3 12 11
Adelong	177	656	3 14 2				
Tumut	376	1,461	3 17 9	Total ...	25,107	93,828	3 14 9
			NORTHERN DISTRICT.				
Armidale ...	9,867	35,302	3 11 7	Grafton	1,776	5,862	3 6 0
Rocky River ...	84	318	3 16 0	Tenterfield ...	2,393	8,355	3 9 10
Nundle	12	46	3 18 10	Localities undefined	9,203	33,343	3 12 5
Tamworth ...	449	1,664	3 14 1				
Bingara	1,304	4,617	3 10 10	Total ...	25,215	89,943	3 11 4
Copeland	127	436	3 8 9				
*Locality unknown ...	...	...	...	... ...	107,463	406,848	3 15 9
Total N.S.W. Gold received for Coinage during 1806 ..					203,336	759,853	3 14 0

* See note to Table No. 8.

Value per ounce.—The value per ounce of pure gold (24 carat), at the mint rate of £3 17s. 10½d. per ounce for gold of standard or 22 carat fineness, is £4 4s. 11$\frac{4}{11}$d. The average value per ounce given in the foregoing table represents the value of rough or unrefined gold—that is, gold containing silver, copper, antimony, and other alloys.

No. 15.—Shares of Banks of Issue, 1896-97.

Bank.	Shares issued.	Amount of Share.	Date of Balance-sheet.	Amount paid.	Liability per Share.	Remarks.
	No.	£		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Bank of New South Wales..	62,500	20	Sept., 1897.	20 0 0	20 0 0	All calls made. Value of new shares not taken up, £50,000.
do do (New)	34,722	20		20 0 0	20 0 0	
Commercial Bkg. Co. of Sydney (Ld.)	80,000	25	June, 1897.	12 10 0	12 10 0	All calls met.
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Ltd.)	155,790	10	do	7 10 0	2 10 0	812 shares of 156,602 unallotted; all calls made; outstanding:—on allotted shares £5,501; on unallotted shares, £2,436.
City Bank of Sydney ..	30,000	*8	do	8 . 0 0	10 0 0	All calls met.
do (New)	20,000	10		8 0 0	12 0 0	
Commerc'l Bank of Australia (Ld.)	300,000	10	do	7 10 0	2 10 0	8 instalments of 5s. yet to be paid between July, 1897, and April, 1899; prepaid £108,698; arrears £289,945, exclusive of calls forfeited or surrendered under Insolvency; £1,200,000 written off capital in 1896.
do do (Pref.)	211,707	10	do	10 0 0	Nil.	Fully paid.
National Bank of Australasia (Ld.)	250,000	10	Sept., 1897.	6 15 0	3 5 0	All calls made; arrears of instalments, £45,231.
do do (Pref.)	30,578	10		10 0 0	Nil.	Fully paid.
Queensland National Bank (Ltd.)..	160,000	8	June, 1897.	6 0 0	2 0 0	All calls made. Arrears and calls due in London, £26,114: £480,000 written off during 1897.
Bank of North Queensland (Ltd.)	50,000	9	do	4 0 0	5 0 0	All calls met.
Bank of New Zealand	....	....	Mar., 1897			4% Guaranteed Stock—£2,000,000, Fully paid. Preference Shares subscribed for by Govt. of N.Z.—£500,000, Fully paid. Payable by Shareholders—£500,000, in four equal instalments, from June, 1896, to December, 1897. Reserve Liability, £500,000.
Bank of Australasia	40,000	40	April, 1897.	40 0 0	40 0 0	All calls met.
Union Bank of Australia (Ltd.) ..	60,000	75	Feb., 1897.	25 0 0	50 0 0	All calls met.
London Bank of Australia (Ltd.)	49,103	40	Feb., 1897.	25 0 0	15 0 0	897 of 50,000 shares unallotted; all calls made; outstanding on unallotted shares, £8,970. Calls in arrear, £2,305; calls paid in advance, £1,365. Amount prepaid in respect of Reserve Liability, £6,825.
do do (Pref.)	17,193	10	.....	10 0 0	Nil.	Fully paid.
Eng., Scot., & Australian Bank (Ld.)	43,155	35	June, 1896.	22 10 0	12 10 0	All calls met. Reserve Liability on shares forfeited since June, 1895, £426.

* Originally £10 per share; £2 written off in 1870.

No. 16.—Working Capital, Capital Liability, and Reserves of Banks of Issue, 1896-97.

Bank.	Working Capital.						Reserve or Capital Liability on ordinary shares when calls have been met.	Reserve Fund.
	Paid-up Capital.				Amount of calls to be paid on ordinary shares.	Total Working Capital.		
	Date of Balance-sheet.	Ordinary	Preferential.	Total.				
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bank of New South Wales ..	Sept., 1897	1,950,000	Nil.	1,950,000	§Nil.	1,950,000	1,950,000	1,192,350
Commer'l Bkg. Co. of Sydney (Ld.)	June, 1897	1,000,000	Nil.	1,000,000	Nil.	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,010,000
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Ld.)	June, 1897	1,166,578	Nil.	1,166,578	7,937	1,174,515	391,505	52,000
City Bank of Sydney	June, 1897	400,000	Nil.	400,000	Nil.	400,000	540,000	100,244
Commercial Bank of Australia (Ltd.)	June, 1897	825,211	2,117,070	2,942,281	896,289	‡3,838,570	Nil.	†Nil.
National Bank of Australasia (Ld.)	Sept., 1897	1,704,769	305,780	2,010,549	45,231	2,055,780	750,000	Nil.
Queensland National Bank (Ltd.)	June, 1897	*453,886	Nil.	453,886	26,114	480,000	320,000	Nil.
Bank of North Queensland (Ltd.)	June, 1897	200,000	Nil.	200,000	Nil.	200,000	250,000	Nil.
Bank of New Zealand	March, 1897	244,141	2,500,000	2,744,141	255,859	3,000,000	500,000	25,474
Bank of Australasia	April, 1897	1,600,000	Nil.	1,600,000	Nil.	1,600,000	1,600,000	800,000
Union Bank of Australia (Ltd.) ..	Feb., 1897	1,500,000	Nil.	1,500,000	Nil.	1,500,000	3,000,000	¶1,000,000
London Bank of Australia (Ltd.)	Dec., 1896	‖1,246,915	171,930	1,418,845	3,085	1,421,930	‖750,000	Nil.
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Ltd.)	June, 1896	970,988	Nil.	970,988	764	971,752	539,863	Nil.

* £480,000 written off since December, 1896.
† The Assets Trust Special Reserve Account amounts to £53,000.
§ Value of shares not issued, £50,000.
¶ Includes £250,000 at Contingency Account.
‖ Includes £6,825 prepaid on account of Reserve Liability.
‡ £1,200,000 written off since December, 1896.

No. 17.—Liabilities and Assets of Banks of Issue, according to Balance-sheets, 1890–97.

LIABILITIES.

Year.	Number of Banks.	To Shareholders. (Paid-up Capital, Reserved Profits, and Dividends.)	To Public—			
			Notes in Circulation.	Deposits. (Approximate.)	Other Liabilities.	Total.
		£	£	£	£	£
1890–1	16	21,707,248	4,857,037	124,992,495	14,678,062	166,234,842
1891–2	*15	21,506,567	4,689,147	129,719,199	14,501,803	170,416,716
1892–3	†14	18,443,175	4,228,811	128,127,985	12,895,687	163,695,658
1893–4	‡13	20,740,510	3,826,728	113,760,114	12,445,887	150,773,239
1894–5	13	24,361,560	3,167,699	107,840,764	12,776,013	148,146,036
1895–6	13	24,339,915	3,516,438	105,937,586	12,214,939	146,008,878
1896–7	13	22,976,734	3,407,381	105,308,791	12,832,663	144,525,569

ASSETS.

Year.	Number of Banks.	Coin and Bullion.	Advances.	Other Assets.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
1890–1	16	20,279,010	133,065,215	12,890,617	166,234,842
1891–2	*15	19,562,434	138,533,983	12,320,299	170,416,716
1892–3	†14	20,387,837	131,027,818	12,280,003	163,695,658
1893–4	‡13	22,482,726	112,172,398	16,118,115	150,773,239
1894–5	13	23,601,179	108,372,318	16,172,539	148,146,036
1895–6	13	24,074,136	104,112,471	17,822,271	146,008,878
1896–7	13	22,955,225	101,748,521	19,821,823	144,525,569

* Exclusive of Mercantile Bank—incorporated with Commercial Bank of Australia (Ltd.)
† " Bank of South Australia—incorporated with Union Bank of Australia (Ltd.
‡ " Federal Bank in liquidation.

No. 18.—Liabilities and Assets of each Bank of Issue, according to Balance-sheets, 1896–97.

Liabilities.

Bank.	Date of Balance-sheet.	To Shareholders. Capital Paid-up and Reserves.	To Shareholders. Dividend paid. (Ordinary and Preferential).	To Public. Notes in Circulation.	To Public. Deposits (approximate).	To Public. Other Liabilities.	Total.
		£	£	£	£	£	£
Head Office in New South Wales—							
Bank of New South Wales	Sept., 1897	3,166,564	87,750	738,585	17,935,935	3,162,353	25,091,18
Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney (Ltd.)	June, 1897	2,025,257	40,000	340,206	9,490,384	365,257	12,261,10
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Ltd.) ..	June, 1897	1,218,578	Nil.	112,996	7,238,765	186,925	8,757,26
City Bank of Sydney	June, 1897	508,552	8,000	58,214	1,094,734	486	1,669,98
Head Office in Victoria—							
†Commercial Bank of Australia (Ltd) ..	June, 1897	2,946,580	21,171	146,804	7,095,691	238,522	10,448,7
National Bank of Australasia (Ltd.) ..	Sept., 1897	2,044,746	7,644	282,902	5,842,163	620,709	8,798,1
Head Office in Queensland—							
Queensland National Bank (Ltd.) ..	June, 1897	473,808	Nil.	Nil.	‡8,239,371	710,301	9,423,6
Bank of North Queensland (Ltd.) ..	June, 1897	209,369	Nil.	Nil.	260,128	59,219	528,71
Head Office in New Zealand—							
Bank of New Zealand	Mar., 1897	2,807,006	§	557,497	8,230,956	2,039,847	13,635,3
Head Office in London—							
Bank of Australasia	April, 1897	2,417,997	40,000	471,691	13,359,152	2,143,710	18,432,5
Union Bank of Australia (Ltd.) ..	Feb., 1897	2,524,567	37,500	495,782	16,333,326	2,475,974	21,867,1
London Bank of Australia (Ltd.) ..	Dec., 1896	1,420,657	Nil.	172,760	5,214,223	540,686	7,348,3
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Ltd.)	June, 1896	‖970,988	Nil.	29,944	4,973,963	288,674	6,263,5
Total (13 Banks)	.....	22,734,069	242,065	3,407,381	105,308,791	12,832,663	144,525,5

Assets.

Bank.	Date of Balance-sheet.	Coin and Bullion.	Advances.	Other Assets.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Head Office in New South Wales—					
Bank of New South Wales	Sept., 1897 ..	5,307,528	17,537,025	2,246,634	25,091,1
Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney (Limited)	June, 1897 ..	1,900,378	8,496,994	1,863,732	12,261,1
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Limited) ..	June, 1897 ..	730,729	7,113,849	912,686	8,757,2
City Bank of Sydney	June, 1897 ..	269,021	1,262,122	138,843	1,669,9
Head Office in Victoria—					
Commercial Bank of Australia (Limited) ..	June, 1897 ..	964,079	8,570,593	914,096	10,448,7
National Bank of Australasia (Limited)	Sept., 1897 ..	1,543,724	5,695,568	1,558,872	8,798,1
Head Office in Queensland—					
Queensland National Bank (Limited)	June, 1897 ..	913,730	7,611,528	898,222	9,423,4
Bank of North Queensland (Limited)	June, 1897 ..	91,600	389,741	47,375	528,7
Head Office in New Zealand—					
Bank of New Zealand	Mar., 1897 ..	1,690,242	7,159,777	¶4,785,287	13,635,3
Head Office in London—					
Bank of Australasia	April, 1897 ..	3,861,532	11,989,032	2,581,986	18,432,5
Union Bank of Australia (Limited)	Feb., 1897 ..	4,018,684	15,145,554	2,702,911	21,867,1
London Bank of Australia (Limited)	Dec., 1896 ..	990,222	5,740,063	618,041	7,348,2
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Limited)	June, 1896 ..	673,776	5,036,675	553,138	6,263,5
Total (13 Banks)	.....	22,955,225	101,748,521	19,821,823	144,525,5

Note.—The English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Limited) and the Bank of New Zealand issue a balance-sh annually; all the others, half-yearly.

*Includes "other liabilities" in some cases. † The accounts of the new Bank and the Trust Accounts have b amalgamated. ‡ Includes Inscribed Stock Deposits and Deferred Payments to Queensland Government. § Divide amounting to £21,875 paid on preference shares not included in balance-sheet. ‖ Exclusive of £34,228 at debit Profit and Loss Account. ¶ Includes Assets Realisation Board Debentures.

No. 19.—Net Profits of Banks of Issue.

NOTE—The Profit and Loss Accounts of some of the Banks include "Rebate on Bills Current," but most of the Banks exclude this item from the accounts. The figures shown are exclusive of "Rebate," and also the interest accrued on deposits, and the expenses of management and Note tax.

Bank.	Head Office.	Date of Balance-sheet.	Net Profits for Half-year.				
			Brought forward from last Balance-Sheet.	Half-yearly Dividend.		Amount transferred to Reserve, &c.	Amount carried forward.
				Rate per cent. per annum.	Amount.		
			£		£	£	£
Bank of New South Wales	Sydney ...	Sept., 1897	22,502	9	87,750	7,650	16,564
Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney (Ltd.)	" ...	June, 1897	15,138	8	40,000	Nil.	15,257
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Ltd.)	" ...	June, 1897	Nil.	.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
City Bank of Sydney.....	" ...	June, 1897	8,259	4	8,000	Nil.	8,308
Commercial Bank of Australia (Ltd.)	Melbourne	June, 1897	5,940	Pref. 2 / Ord. nil.	21,171	33,000†	4,299
National Bank of Australasia (Ltd.)	" ...	Sept., 1897	23,566	Pref. 5 / Ord. nil.	7,644	Nil.	34,197
Queensland National Bank (Ltd.)	Brisbane ...	June, 1897	45,347	.....	Nil.	19,922‡	Nil.
Bank of North Queensland (Ltd.)	" ...	June, 1897	7,365	.....	Nil.	Nil.	9,369
Bank of New Zealand§	Wellington	Mar., 1897	40,084§	Pref. 3½ / Ord. nil.	21,875§	35,709§	39,391§
Bank of Australasia	London ...	April, 1897	12,622	5	40,000	Nil.	17,997
Union Bank of Australia (Ltd.)	" ...	Feb., 1897	24,489	5	37,500	Nil.	24,567
London Bank of Australia (Ltd.)	" ...	Dec., 1896	6,208	¶.....	¶.....	Nil.	1,812
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Ltd.)‖	" ...	June, 1896	6,278	.....	Nil.	34228**	Nil.

* Loss on half-year's transactions, £53,506, which has been written off the old Reserve Fund. † To Assets Special Reserve Account, not included in balance-sheet. ‡ To Contingency Account. § The figures shown for the Bank of New Zealand are for twelve months, with the exception of the dividend, which includes three months' dividend on preference shares to 31st March, 1896. The amount shown as transferred to Reserve Fund (£35,709) was paid to the Assets Realisation Board, and the amount carried forward will also be paid to the same Board. The dividend paid has not been included in the amount of Profit and Loss Account shown in the balance-sheet. ¶ The balance carried forward in June, 1896, was £10,99 from which a dividend of £4,728 was paid in December, 1896, on the preference shares, leaving £6,208 at credit of Profit and Loss Account. The operations of the half-year ended December, 1896, resulted in a loss of £4,396, which, deducted from the £6,208 already mentioned, leaves £1,812 to be carried to next half-year's account. ‖ Twelve months' operations. ** The debit balance of Profit and Loss Account on the 30th June, 1896, including the debit balance brought forward from the previous year was £34,228, which has been carried to the Contingent Fund.

No. 20.—Deposits in Banks of Issue, 1896-97.

Preferential Capital represents Fixed Deposits capitalised on and after the dates of reconstruction of the i tions. The holders of these deposits after a certain number of years become ordinary shareholders, but with one exce the preference either as regards capital or dividends, ceases. (See Supplementary statement).

Inscribed or Perpetual Stocks.—Formerly the practice of issuing stocks was confined to one institution—the Bank of Australia (Limited); but, since 1893, the English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Limited), the Australian Stock Bank (Limited), and the Queensland National Bank (Limited), have strengthened the working capital by i Inscribed or Perpetual Stocks.

Extended or Deferred Deposits.—Under the terms of reconstruction, the eight reconstructed banks opera New South Wales were empowered to gradually liquidate the Fixed Deposits by payments in instalments extendin a series of years. The Commercial Banking Company of Sydney (Limited) and the Bank of North Queensland (Li have released the whole of the extended fixed deposits long before the dates agreed upon, and some of the other instit have prepaid part of their deposits.

Bank.	Capitalised (Preferential Capital).	Inscribed or Perpetual Stocks.	Deposits.			Tot
			Extended Deposits.	Fixed at Ordinary Rates.	At Current Account.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bank of New South Wales	Nil	Nil	Nil	10,570,120	8,351,533	18,921
Commercial Banking Company of Sydney (Limited)	Nil	Nil	Nil	5,978,239	3,378,008	9,356
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Limited)	Nil	367,888	5,898,055	120,399	747,832	7,134
City Bank of Sydney	Nil	Nil	Nil	687,185	405,917	1,093
Commercial Bank of Australia (Limited)...	2,117,070	Nil	5,185,255	404,385	1,517,153	9,223
National Bank of Australasia (Limited)	305,780	Nil	2,401,000	1,285,948	2,692,594	6,685
Queensland National Bank (Limited)	Nil	3,117,369	1,833,326	366,130	1,677,648	6,994
Bank of North Queensland (Limited)	Nil	50,000	Nil	104,127	106,002	260
Bank of New Zealand...	Nil	Nil	Nil	3,618,287	4,474,656	8,092
Bank of Australasia	Nil	Nil	Nil	7,183,303	5,597,872	12,781
Union Bank of Australia (Limited)...	Nil	750,000	Nil	7,556,827	6,850,896	15,157
London Bank of Australia (Limited)	171,390	Nil	3,716,087	539,940	958,196	5,386
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Limited)	Nil	*2,979,394	865,956	298,872	829,741	4,973

* Includes Debenture Stocks.

SUPPLEMENTARY STATEMENT.

Bank.	Particulars.
	PREFERENTIAL CAPITAL.
Commercial Bank of Australia (Limited)	The preferential shares have priority over ordinary sha both as to dividends and capital, the preference be continuous in each case.
National Bank of Australasia (Limited)	The preference as regards dividends is continuous, but regards capital it ceases after certain conditions have b fulfilled.
London Bank of Australia (Limited) ...	The preference as regards capital is continuous, but as regs dividends it ceases after certain conditions have b fulfilled.
	INSCRIBED OR PERPETUAL STOCKS.
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Limited)... Queensland National Bank (Limited) ... Union Bank of Australia (Limited) ...	The holders of Inscribed Stock are on the same footing ordinary fixed depositors.
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Limited).	Two classes of perpetual stocks are in existence, viz., 4 cent. Debentures and 4½ per cent. Inscribed Stocks. 4½ per cent. Inscriped Stock is divided into preferred deferred, the former bearing a fixed rate of 3 per ce and the latter a dividend of 3 per cent. from the pr (if any), and, if earnings allow, 4½ per cent. after pla £15,000 annually to Reserve Fund. The Inscribed S ranks after the Debenture Stock, Terminable Depo and New Fixed Deposits.

No. 21.—Bank Note Composition paid by Banks of Issue, 30th September, 1897.

Bank.	Quarter ended September, 1896.		Quarter ended December, 1896.		Quarter ended March, 1897.		Quarter ended June, 1897.		Quarter ended September, 1897.	
	Average value of Notes.	Composition.	Average value of Notes.	Composition.	Average value of Notes.	Composition.	Average value of Notes.	Composition.	Average value of Notes.	Composition.
	£	£ s.	£	£ s.	£	£ s.	£	£ s.	£	£ s.
Bank of New South Wales ..	425,772	2,129 0	454,895	2,274 10	466,536	2,333 0	436,088	2,180 10	423,454	2,117 10
Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney (Ltd.)	316,378	1,582 0	355,424	1,777 10	365,568	1,828 0	342,805	1,714 10	336,443	1,682 10
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Ltd.)..	123,396	617 0	138,848	694 10	133,683	668 10	118,760	594 0	108,750	544 0
City Bank of Sydney ..	44,913	225 0	53,567	268 0	54,417	272 10	53,886	269 10	53,237	266 10
Commercial Bank of Australia (Ltd.)..	10,759	54 0	10,176	51 0	9,883	49 10	9,589	48 0	8,945	45 0
National Bank of Australasia (Ltd.)..	3,884	19 10	4,294	21 10	4,903	25 0	4,353	22 0	4,168	21 0
Queensland National Bank (Ltd.)..	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
Bank of North Queensland (Ltd.)..	45	0 10	46	0 10	46	0 10	46	0 10	46	0 10
Bank of New Zealand ..	6,769	34 0	6,127	31 0	5,958	30 0	5,675	28 10	6,178	31 0
Bank of Australasia	99,750	499 0	111,071	555 10	106,743	534 0	106,036	530 10	98,623	493 10
Union Bank of Australia (Ltd.)..	61,200	306 0	68,616	343 10	69,700	348 10	68,575	343 0	68,305	342 0
London Bank of Australia (Ltd.)..	19,151	96 0	24,669	123 10	22,887	114 10	21,648	108 10	21,709	109 0
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Ltd.) ..	12,412	62 10	10,237	51 10	9,821	49 10	8,641	43 10	8,124	41 0
Total	1,124,429	5,624 10	1,237,970	6,192 10	1,250,095	6,253 10	1,176,050	5,883 0	1,137,982	5,693 10

Bank Note Composition.—Prior to the passing of the Bank Notes Act of 1893, the composition payable by the Banks of Issue under the Stamp Duties Act of 1880 was at the rate of 2 per cent. on the average value of notes in circulation, but under the provisions of the Act mentioned, the rate was increased to 2½ per cent. As the Bank Notes Act lapsed in November, 1895, the composition paid since that date was charged at the old rate of 2 per cent. The Queensland National Bank (Limited) has no note circulation in New South Wales.

No. 22.—Discount, Exchange, and Overdraft Rates of Banks of Issue, with Interest allowed on Deposits, 1890–96.

Date.	Discount Rates.		Overdraft Rates.	Bank Exchange Rate on London at 60 days sight.		Interest on Fixed Deposits—Rate per cent. per annum.		
	Bills at 3 months.	Bills over 3 months.		Buying.	Selling.	* 3 months.	6 months.	12 months.
	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.
1890–96.								
1890..	7	8	9	99⅝ to 100	100⅛ to 101¾	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
1891..	7	8	9	99½ to 100	100½ to 100⅞	2 to 3½	3 to 4½	4 to 5½
1892..	7	8	9	99⅝ to 99⅞	100⅛ to 100⅝	2½ to 3½	3½ to 4½	4½ to 5½
1893..	7	8	8½ to 9	97 to 99⅞	100½ to 100⅞	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
1894..	6½ to 7	7 to 8	7 to 9	99½ to 99⅞	100½ to 100⅞	....*	2 to 4	3½ to 5
1895..	6 to 6½	7	7 to 8	99½ to 99⅞	100⅛ to 100⅞	....*	2	3½
1896..	6 to 6½	7 to 8	6 to 7½	99½ to 99⅞	100⅛ to 100⅝	....*	1½ to 2	3 to 3½
1896.								
1896.								
January	6 to 6½	7	7 to 7½	99⅝	100⅛	....	2	3½
February	6 to 6½	7	7 to 7½	99⅝	100⅛	....	2	3½
March	6 to 6½	7 to 8	7 to 7½	99⅝	100⅛	....	1½	3
April	6	7 to 8	6 to 7	99⅝	100⅛	....	1½	3
May	6	7 to 8	6 to 7	99⅝	100⅛	....	1½	3
June	6	7 to 8	6 to 7	99⅝	100⅛	....	1½	3
July	6	7 to 8	6 to 7	99⅝	100⅛	....	1½	3
August	6	7 to 8	6 to 7	99⅝	100⅛	....	1½	3
September ..	6	7 to 8	6 to 7	99⅝	100⅛	....	1½	3
October	6	7 to 8	6 to 7	99½ to 99¾	100½ to 100⅞	....	1½	3
November.. ..	6	7 to 8	6 to 7	99½	100½	....	1½	3
December.. ..	6	7 to 8	6 to 7	99½	100½	....	1½	3

* From 12th May, 1894, deposits for 3 months were discontinued.

The Bills of Exchange Act (51 Vic. No. 2) was passed in 1887. Under this measure the law relating to bills of exchange, cheques, and promissory notes was codified. The form and interpretation of these instruments are specified, and the Act comprehensively defines the legal position of the bank, the drawee or payee, the drawer or payer, and the transferor and the transferrer, &c.

Deposit Rate Reduced.—From the 4th March, 1896, the rate of interest was reduced to 1½ and 3 per cent. per annum for deposits for 6 and 12 months respectively.

No. 23.—Quarterly Returns of Business within New South Wales, of Banks of Issue, 1890-97.

Average Liabilities within New South Wales.

(Exclusive of Liabilities to Shareholders.)

Quarter ended—	Number of Banks.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Deposits. Not bearing Interest.	Deposits. Bearing Interest.	Deposits. Total.	Balances due to other Banks.	Total Liabilities.
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£
31 Dec., 1890	16	1,557,805	127,442	10,064,518	25,395,600	35,460,118	103,572	37,248,937
31 „ 1891	15	1,674,049	146,202	9,188,873	26,470,817	35,659,690	109,823	37,589,764
31 „ 1892	14	1,439,871	104,223	9,207,109	26,357,083	35,564,192	63,093	37,171,379
31 „ 1893	13	1,804,531	75,086	8,557,840	23,584,119	32,141,959	80,596	34,102,172
31 „ 1894	13	1,235,989	146,911	9,412,761	20,380,032	29,792,793	87,427	31,263,120
31 „ 1895	13	1,223,864	117,327	10,222,437	20,406,822	30 629,259	66,602	32,037,052
31 „ 1896	13	1,237,971	111,889	10,707,611	19,128,305	29,835,916	69,000	31,254,776
30 Sept., 1897	13	1,137,940	102,807	10,499,140	19,066,295	29,565,435	50,144	30,856,326

Average Assets within New South Wales.

Quarter ended—	Number of Banks.	Coin.	Bullion.	Legal tender notes and Treasury notes.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills discounted, and all other debts due to the Banks.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Total Assets.*
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
31 Dec., 1890	16	5,619,111	87,659	.....	1,644,179	43,009,559	287,568	1,788,901	52,436,977
31 „ 1891	15	4,717,659	79,768	.....	1,692,940	45,068,914	265,268	1,771,710	53,596,259
31 „ 1892	14	5,217,371	95,894	.....	1,801,590	44,135,729	227,795	1,839 513	53,317,892
31 „ 1893	13	5,877,891	95,386	148,467	1,918,196	40,024,354	429,620	300,122	48,794,036
31 „ 1894	13	7,330,005	100,525	.....	1,938,321	37,378,047	214,503	232,913	47,195,214
31 „ 1895	13	7,364,659	151,619	6,028	1,919,017	35,701,125	†222,731	257,150	45,622,329
31 „ 1896	13	6,760,851	187,845	.....	1,914,483	35,116,696	†223,487	324,466	44,527,828
30 Sept., 1897	13	5,704,800	223,871	.....	1,817,227	35,644,565	†193,707	271,251	43,855,421

* **Total Assets.**—Prior to 1893 it was the practice with some banks to include balances due from branches outside the Colony; the total assets and the "balances due from other banks" for 1892 and previous years must, therefore, be accepted with this qualification. † Including Queensland Government Treasury Notes.

Note. Under the provisions of the Banking Act, 4 Vic. No 13, as amended by 5 Vic. No. 24, the Banks of Issue are obliged to furnish quarterly sworn returns of transactions within New South Wales only according to the sub-headings given in the above Table. The figures are established on the weekly accounts and represent the average liabilities and assets for the quarter.

No. 24.—Banks' Exchange Settlement: Exchanges, 1896.

Period.	Total Amount of Exchanges.	Period.	Total Amount of Exchanges.
	£		£
Four weeks ended 27 January, 1896..	*9,469,324	Four weeks ended 7 September, 1896	9,153,714
„ „ 24 February, „ ...	9,096,078	„ „ 5 October, „	8,487,800
„ „ 23 March, „ ...	7,584,848	„ „ 2 November, „	9,991,871
„ „ 20 April, „ ...	8,583,651	„ „ 30 „ „	10,000,911
„ „ 18 May, „ ..	8,573,676	Five weeks „ 31 December, „	11,785,931
„ „ 15 June, „ ...	7,938,469		
„ „ 13 July, „ ...	9,267,812		
„ „ 10 August, „ ...	7,784,777	Total	£ 117,718,863

* Includes amount of exchanges on 31st December, 1895.

Note—The Banks' Exchange Settlement, or Bankers' Pool, was established on the 18th January, 1894, in order to facilitate the settlement of exchange of notes, cheques, &c., between the 13 banks of issue transacting business in New South Wales. The "Pool" consists of £700,000 in gold, the contribution to which by each bank is regulated by the volume of the business transacted. The gold, which is placed in the hands of three Trustees, is deposited in safes in the vaults of three of the banks, and cannot be circulated or disturbed. No bank is permitted to allow its daily credit balance to fall below 25 per cent. of its fixed contribution to the £700,000.

No. 25.—Liabilities and Assets of Registered Companies receiving Money on Deposit, September quarter, 1897.

Companies furnishing Quarterly Returns of Local Assets and Liabilities.—Since 1841 the Banks of Issue have been obliged to furnish quarterly returns of local Assets and Liabilities; but it was not till 1879, under an Act passed in that year, that other registered Companies receiving money on deposit in New South Wales were required to furnish quarterly statements similar to those of Banks of Issue.

The nineteen Companies which furnished quarterly statements, and which, with the exception of Goldsbrough, Mort, & Co. (Limited), are included with the 557 Companies shown on page 742, practically represent all the institutions which are dependent on outside capital, exclusive of the few established prior to 1879.

Companies not furnishing Quarterly Returns of Local Assets and Liabilities.—Companies formed prior to 1879, and receiving money on deposit, are not required to furnish quarterly statements of local Assets and Liabilities. The number of such, however, is very small. Registered Companies which do not receive money on deposit are not subject to the provisions of the Act which requires the publication of the Quarterly Returns.

Companies.	Date of Registration.	Liabilities. (Exclusive of Liabilities to Shareholders.)			Assets.			Paid-up Capital.
		Deposits.	Other Liabilities.	Total.	Landed Property.	Other Assets.	Total.	
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Investment Companies.								
Bathurst Investment, Land, and Building Company (Ltd.) ..	June, 1887	23	18,327	18,350	14,441	3,909	18,350	9,082
Civil Service Mutual Building and Investment Society (Ltd.) ..	Oct., 1892	1,903	2,591	4,494	4,354	16,042	20,396	15,171
Colonial Finance, Mortgage, Investment, and Guarantee Corporation (Ltd.)	July, 1888	28,475	96,764	125,239	51,539	101,237	152,776	120,428
Commercial Building and Investment Company (Ltd.)	April, 1881	16,794	158,400	175,194	286,506	11,536	298,042	124,813
Cumberland Building, Land, and Investment Company (Ltd.) ..	April, 1884	1,100	12,991	14,091	24,017	16,210	40,227	30,339
Excelsior Land, Investment, and Building Co. and Bank (Ltd.) ..	August, 1880	92,654	27,567	120,221	147,252	49,021	196,273	104,858
Haymarket Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Co. (Ltd.)	August, 1880	64,090	45,719	109,809	170,125	48,995	219,120	69,033
Intercolonial Investment, Land, and Building Company (Ltd.) ..	Nov., 1885	9,343	1,459	10,802	19,687	32,532	52,219	33,087
Metropolitan Mutual Permanent Building and Investment Association (Ltd.)	Feb., 1880	63,255	84,196	147,451	224,480	69,099	293,579	140,136
Mortgage, Guarantee, and Mercantile Finance Corporation of New South Wales (Ltd.) ..	March, 1888	10,353	16,876	27,229	44,764	7,473	52,237	33,827
Newcastle and County Mutual Building, Land, and Investment Company (Ltd.)	July, 1886	2,180	4,162	6,342	18,412	11,760	30,172	27,987
New South Wales Mont de Piété Deposit and Investment Company (Ltd.)	April, 1882	8,430	728	9,158	35,880	70,834	106,714	73,610
Sydney and Suburban Mutual Permanent Building and Land Investment Association (Ltd.) ..	Feb., 1882	61,380	51,754	113,134	128,732	26,521	155,253	98,543
Sydney Permanent Freehold Land and Building Society (Ltd.) †	Oct., 1891	111,065	16,794	127,859	169,336	43,935	213,271	102,756
Town and Country Land, Building, and Investment Co. (Ltd.)	Dec., 1885	3,924	10,237	14,161	18,600	6,569	25,169	12,920
Universal Land and Deposit Bank (Ltd.)	June, 1891	9,943	7,216	17,159	5,216	22,387	27,603	6,825
Trading Companies.								
Colonial Sugar Refining Co. (Ltd.) ..	July, 1887	88,369	*598,951	687,320	429,124	2,463,629	2,892,753	1,702,000
†Goldsbrough, Mort, & Co. (Ltd.) ..	Aug., 1893	31,210	9	31,219	240,515	810,011	1,050,526	925,427
Harrison, Jones, & Devlin (Ltd.) ..	Sept., 1882	43,437	139,985	183,422	165,000	191,007	356,007	100,000

* Includes Debentures, £464,250. † Registered under Victorian Companies' Act; not registered under N.S.W. Act.

No. 26.—Registered Companies under the Companies' Act, 1896–97.

Returns furnished to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.—Under clause 24, each incorporated Company, registered under the Act, is required to furnish to the Registrar, at least once a year, particulars as to the number of shares, amount of calls, &c.

Membership.—Companies having less than 7 members cannot be incorporated under the Companies' Act, but 7 or more persons may associate for any lawful purpose, and form themselves into an incorporated company **with or without limited liability.**

Compulsory registration of Companies.—No Company or Association exceeding 20, except a Banking Company, in which case the limit is 10, having for its object the acquisition of gain, can be formed without being registered under the Companies' Act, or some Special Act.

Limited Companies.—The liability of the members of a Company is limited to the amount of unpaid shares (issued) respectively held by them, or to such amount as the members may respectively undertake by the memorandum of association to contribute to the assets of the Company in the event of its being wound up. In the event of a Company winding up, no past member who had ceased to be a member for a year or upwards prior to the commencement of the winding up, is liable to contribute to the assets of the Company.

Classification.	Number of Companies.	Nominal Capital.	Value of Shares Issued.		Calls Made.		
			Non-contributing (promoters' shares, &c.)	Contributing.	Amount received, including promoters' and non-contributing shares.	Amount Unpaid.	Total.
		£	£	£	£	£	£
Banking	2	5,000,000	Nil.	2,174,515	2,166,578	7,937	2,174,515
Brewing and Aërated Waters	11	1,588,000	910,041	513,585	1,312,064	1,562	1,313,626
Dairying	115	582,780	1,525	395,074	310,868	5,331	316,199
Financial, Land, Mortgage, & Building	60	9,734,225	17,500	2,488,351	2,346,179	148,672	2,494,851
Trustee	2	2,000,000	Nil.	50,000	50,000	Nil.	50,000
Gas and Electric Lighting	16	691,000	250	200,452	200,689	13	200,702
Grain and Milling	9	80,030	1,504	55,011	55,634	881	56,515
Hotel	4	381,250	15,000	42,577	57,577	Nil.	57,577
Insurance—							
Fire, Marine, &c.	4	1,400,000	Nil.	155,414	155,414	Nil.	155,414
Life	1	200,000	Nil.	20,000	20,000	Nil.	20,000
Plate Glass	2	4,500	Nil.	511	511	Nil.	511
Manufactures and Works—							
Baking and Confectionery	3	34,100	Nil.	26,007	21,007	Nil.	21,007
Bricks	3	22,150	5,000	9,325	14,253	72	14,325
Engineering	9	186,900	250	180,826	152,087	89	152,176
Fruit, Jam, and Spice	2	75,000	Nil.	25,828	25,828	Nil.	25,828
Glass Works	4	30,000	Nil.	12,004	1,959	45	2,004
Printing Works	4	26,710	12,125	6,444	17,531	38	17,569
Refrigerating, Preserving, & Boiling-down	18	672,500	113,670	294,125	272,934	15,861	288,795
Soap Works	4	115,600	2,006	83,594	70,000	Nil.	70,000
Tobacco	3	136,500	100	136,400	131,500	Nil.	131,500
Miscellaneous (one each)	21	2,871,600	97,445	2,043,697	2,136,821	721	2,137,542
Mining—							
Alum	1	20,000	Nil.	10,616	9,048	1,568	10,616
Cinnabar	1	2,200	1,600	600	*	*	*
Coal	24	1,327,750	228,542	708,731	931,453	5,070	936,523
Copper	4	126,000	109,351	5,132	113,324	1,159	114,483
Gold	35	530,320	240,362	106,580	328,686	6,756	335,442
Kerosene	2	350,000	Nil.	310,000	204,953	5,047	210,000
Lead	1	*	*	*	*	*	*
Silver	2	185,000	139,600	2,100	141,664	36	141,700
Tin	1	12,000	Nil.	3,234	3,234	Nil.	3,234
Newspaper and Publishing	19	170,490	1,200	137,090	132,569	721	133,290
Pastoral and Forwarding	17	836,250	62,934	560,849	460,501	3,282	463,783
Public Hall, Theatre, and Aquarium	21	156,075	8,750	95,262	96,266	2,746	99,012
Racing and Recreation	6	149,500	13,125	85,584	98,227	482	98,709
Steamship and Ferry	17	1,268,000	100,000	567,760	663,542	4,218	667,760
Miscellaneous and Trading—							
Advertising Agents	3	17,000	1,000	3,550	Nil.	2,550	2,550
Can-opening	2	7,800	2,100	700	2,800	Nil.	2,800
Druggists	3	361,000	97,351	43,825	141,176	Nil.	141,176
Jewellers	3	35,095	13,095	3,432	16,527	Nil.	16,527
Land and Estate Agents	2	70,000	33,000	Nil.	33,000	Nil.	33,000
Mining Exchanges	2	1,250	*	*	*	*	*
Pearl-shell Fishery	2	12,550	Nil.	4,032	3,339	309	3,648
Smoke Prevention	2	398,000	228,000	9,016	236,880	136	237,016
Tailors	3	130,000	104,000	5,940	108,936	1,004	109,940
Timber Merchants	4	325,000	Nil.	150,000	142,500	7,500	150,000
Trading (General), Machinery Merchants, Agents, &c.	37	1,073,275	199,287	910,938	1,057,213	532	1,057,745
Omnibus	1	4,210	Nil.	4,210	*	*	*
Other	27	1,360,125	444,708	345,761	787,571	2,898	790,469

* Not available.

No. 27.—Registered Companies.

COMPANIES REGISTERED UNDER SECTION 8.

Liability of Members limited by Guarantee.—Companies formed under these conditions are registered under section 8 of the Companies' Act.

Merchants' Association of New South Wales Ltd.
Boolong Dairy Co., Ltd.

COMPANIES REGISTERED UNDER SECTIONS 9 AND 224.

Unlimited Companies are registered under sections 9 and 224 of the Companies' Act.

City Mutual Life Assurance Society—Return not available.
New South Wales Land, Mortgage, and Investment Association—400 shares issued—No further particulars.

COMPANIES REGISTERED UNDER SECTION 54.

Associations not for Profit, &c.—Associations formed for purposes other than for gain, such as those established for promoting commerce, art, science, religion, charity, or any other useful object, are not required to furnish returns similar to the other Companies; and, although enjoying all the privileges of the Act, these Associations are not compelled to attach "Limited" to their names. No returns of these Companies are required to be furnished to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

Animals' Protection Society.
Art Society of New South Wales.
Commercial Travellers' Association of New South Wales.
Coogee Bay Club.
Hospital Saturday Fund of N.S.W.
Incorporated Law Institute.
Institution of Surveyors of N.S.W.
New South Wales Branch of British Medical Association.
New South Wales Chamber of Mines.
Stock Exchange of New South Wales.
Sydney Institute of Public Accountants.
Sydney Society of the New Church.
The Institute of Architects of New South Wales.
Union Recreation Club.

No. 28.—Number of Companies Registered under Companies' Act, Number Wound Up, and Amount of Fees Received, 1887–96.

Classification.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
New Companies registered .. No.	117	221	139	121	109	74	73	90	77	71
Companies wound-up .. .. No.	18	24	53	50	68	80	78	57	71	55
Fees received .. .. .. £	1,481	4,333	2,083	1,604	1,678	1,317	1,123	1,038	1,034	899

The Registration Fees payable under the Act are given in Tables B and C of the 1st Schedule of the Act. The fees contained in the former Table apply to Companies having a capital divided into shares, and Table C prescribes those fees payable by Companies not having the capital divided into shares. The minimum and maximum charges in Table B are respectively 5s. and £50, and under Table C 5s. and £20.

Companies registered outside New South Wales.—The provisions of the Companies' Act do not apply to companies registered outside New South Wales but operating in the Colony; such Companies may, however, be registered under the Act for the purpose of winding up and adjusting financial operations within the Colony.

No. 29.—No-Liability Mining Companies, 1887–96.

Classification.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
New Companies registered .. No.	6	47	43	73	76	43	15	25	37	44
Fees received .. .. .. £	0 8 0	2 17 0	2 12 0	3 13 0	3 16 0	2 4 0	1 3 0	1 10 0	2 0 0	21 9 0

No-Liability Mining Companies.—The first Act for the regulation of these Companies (44 Vic. No. 23) was passed in March, 1881, and continued in force till the 2nd October, 1896, on which date the "No-Liability Mining Companies Act" (60 Vic. No. 15) was passed, and all subsequent transactions were subject to the new provisions. Under clause 26, a copy of the balance-sheet of each Company must be filed at least once a year at the office of the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies. Clause 52 provides that not less than seven persons can continue to carry on the business of any Company registered under the Act.

Companies operating outside New South Wales.—Under the old Act Companies whose places of operation (mines) were outside New South Wales, could not register in the Colony. Under the new Act this has been altered, and Western Australian and other mining Companies are now being registered in New South Wales.

Fees.—The maximum fee for registration under the previous Act was 1s.; but under the present measure the fees range from 4d. to £1.

. 30.—Sa nk of New South Wales: Balance-sheet on 31st Decembe 1896.

The Savings Bank of New South Wales was established in 1832 under Act 2 William IV No. 13. The rovided that the Governor should be President, and the management be vested in nine trustees appointed by overnment, one of whom was to be vice-president.—Under an amending Act, passed in 1853, the number of trustees ot allowed to exceed eighteen, but the trustees were to nominate a managing trustee, who, if not already a trustee, bec ne by virtue of his office. A further Act was passed in 1862 termed the Savings Bank Consolidation Act.

Ratio of Assets to Liabilities.—The ratio of Assets to Liabilities on the 31st December, 1896, was £1 1s. 3¼d. every £1 liability.

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		£	£
Sydney—Amount at the credit of 62,873 depositors			3,527,376
Country " " 10,449 "			622,282
Total .. .. .. 73,322 "			4,149,658
Reserves—		£	
Amount at the credit of Reserved Fund		244,284	
Depreciation Account		20,220	
Profit and Loss Account		4,292	
			268,796
rafts drawn by the Branch Accountants upon Head Office, and i ded in their Returns, but not paid on the 31st December			485
Total		£	4,418,939

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	£	£
Mortgages (including interest owing)—		
Lent on 1,363 Mortgages	.....	1,063,915
Investments (including interest owing)—		
New South Wales Government Debentures	51,250	
City of Sydney Corporation Debentures	9,300	
		60,550
Deposits (including interest owing)—		
Colonial Treasurer	2,195,270	
Bank of New South Wales	203,490	
Commercial Banking Company of Sydney, Limited	100,218	
Australian Joint Stock Bank, Limited	185,843	
City Bank of Sydney	166,884	
Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited	49,713	
National Bank of Australasia, Limited	68,993	
London Bank of Australia, Limited	51,534	
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank, Limited	72,782	
New Oriental Bank Corporation (in liquidation)	3,356	
		3,098,083
Deposit with Bank of New South Wales ("Working Account")		150,962
Permanent Investment—Land and Banking House		39,702
Cash received from Branch Accountants after 31st December, but included in their returns of that date		5,727
Total	£	4,418,939

Average Rate of Interest realised during 1896.

On Mortgages	5·47 per cent.	On Deposit in Colonial Treasury	3·44 per cent
On Debentures	5·12 "	On Treasury Bills	4·25 "
On Bank Deposits	4·13 "		

General Average Rate of Interest .. 4·27 per cen

Penny Banks—Deposits at credit in Savings Bank of N. S. Wales, 31st Dec., 1896.

(Included in deposits shown above.)

	£	s.	d.		£
St. Vincent de Paul—St. Patrick's Branch	1,336	18	1	St. Vincent de Paul—St. Brigid's Branch	
Tempe Park	724	4	8	St. Andrew's	
Chippendale	572	19	2	Surry Hills	
Sydney Jewish Sabbath School	198	1	10	Sussex-street Mission	
Balmain	122	1	10		
Glebe and Parramatta-street	121	1	5	Total	£
Mount Lachlan	53	8	11		

o. 31.—Depositors and Deposits in Savings Bank of New South Wales, 1890-97.

Date.	Deposits. On 1st January.	Deposits. Increase on previous Year.	Depositors on 1st January.	Accounts during the Year. Opened.	Accounts during the Year. Closed.	Accounts during the Year. Increase.
	£	£	No.	No.	No.	No.
n 1st Jan., 1890	2,550,192	250,221	58,626	12,850	10,962	1,888
,, 1891	2,854,564	304,373	60,514	13,901	10,509	3,392
,, 1892	3,188,672	334,107	63,906	14,304	12,152	2,152
,, 1893	3,351,995	163,323	66,058	12,921	13,322	*401
,, 1894	3,302,469	*49,526	65,657	12,111	10,256	1,855
,, 1895	3,583,075	280,606	67,512	13,017	9,430	3,587
,, 1896	3,951,875	368,800	71,099	12,129	10,006	2,123
,, 1897	4,149,658	197,783	73,222	.....	.....	.....

* Decrease.

No. 32.—Depositors and Deposits in Savings Bank of New South Wales, 1896.

Branch.	Deposits. 1st January, 1896.	Deposits. 1st January, 1897.	Increase.	Depositors. 1st January, 1896.	Depositors. 1st January, 1897.	Accounts during the Year. Opened.	Accounts during the Year. Closed.	Accounts during the Year. Increase.
	£	£	£	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
ydney	3,364,149	3,527,376	163,227	60,958	62,873	10,721	8,806	1,915
ewcastle	141,449	163,781	22,332	2,380	2,532	398	246	152
'est Maitland	76,844	82,441	5,597	1,107	1,144	143	106	37
athurst	68,934	70,031	1,097	1,133	1,110	131	154	*23
oulburn	55,326	55,180	*146	1,024	1,013	103	114	*11
arramatta	53,305	57,165	3,860	978	997	147	128	19
indsor	40,890	40,815	*75	541	537	62	66	*4
rafton	32,312	33,109	797	800	805	121	116	5
ast Maitland	26,920	27,395	475	560	560	61	61	.....
ollongong	25,983	26,622	639	371	375	75	71	4
ngleton	26,959	26,991	32	461	466	44	39	5
udgee	23,550	23,607	57	463	488	95	70	25
one	14,808	14,684	*124	297	297	28	28	.....
arcoar†	272	280	8	4	3	.....	1	*1
larence Town‡ ..	92	95	3	8	8	.....	.....	.....
range§	82	86	4	14	14	.....	.....	.....
Total	3,951,875	4,149,658	197,783	71,099	73,222	12,129	10,006	2,123

*Decrease. † Closed 30th June, 1893. ‡ Closed 30th June, 1894. § Closed 13th August, 1892.

o. 33.—Classification of Deposits in Savings Bank of New South Wales, 1891-97.

Date.	£20 and under.	Between £20 and £50.	£50 and under £100.	£100 and under £200.	£200 and under £300.	£300 and upwards.	Total.
			Number of Accounts.				
n 1st January, 1891	32,114	9,854	7,479	8,626	2,207	234	60,514
,, 1892	33,576	10,140	7,975	8,674	3,281	260	63,906
,, 1893	35,288	10,050	7,827	8,633	3,970	290	66,058
,, 1894	36,297	9,546	7,211	7,975	4,360	268	65,657
,, 1895	36,688	9,624	7,448	8,122	5,332	298	67,512
,, 1896	38,351	9,802	7,478	8,634	6,507	327	71,099
,, 1897	39,571	9,925	7,596	8,733	7,026	371	73,222
			Amount at Credit.				
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
n 1st January, 1891	162,684	318,868	529,981	1,112,992	471,185	258,854	2,854,564
,, 1892	171,999	328,302	565,566	1,151,250	702,844	268,711	3,188,672
,, 1893	174,091	325,556	552,749	1,168,709	846,706	284,184	3,351,995
,, 1894	167,144	309,283	510,266	1,091,522	925,295	298,959	3,302,469
,, 1895	164,360	311,597	522,682	1,120,993	1,133,921	329,522	3,583,075
,, 1896	170,298	318,306	529,420	1,198,653	1,373,741	361,457	3,951,875
,, 1897	173,832	320,938	538,556	1,211,728	1,492,220	412,384	4,149,658

Deposits and Interest allowed.—Sums to any amount from one shilling may be deposited in the Savings Bank N.S.W., but with the exception of the funds of Friendly Societies, Charitable and other Public Institutions, deposits eeding £200 do not bear interest on such excess. The bulk of the deposits of over £200 probably belongs to the titutions referred to. The rate of interest allowed on accounts closed during 1896 was 3½ per cent., and on accounts maining open on 31st December, 4 per cent.

No. 34.—Liabilities and Assets of Government Savings Bank, 1896.

	£		£
Balance due to all depositors at the close of 1896	4,372,965	Deposits invested in—	
		Debentures	108,
		New South Wales Funded Stock, 36 Vic. No. 21	296,
		New South Wales Funded Stock, 56 Vic. No. 1	1,000,
		New South Wales 1924 Stock, 58 Vic. No. 14	20
		New South Wales 1925 Stock and Funded Stock, 59 Vic. No. 6 ...	330
		New South Wales Treasury Bills, 53 Vic. No. 9	809
		New South Wales Treasury Bills, 59 Vic. No. 22	1,024
		Cash in hands of Controller	27
		Cash at credit of Trust Account ...	491
Balance (excess of Assets)	1,251	Interest due on investments and on uninvested funds at 3 per cent. ...	66
Total ... ... £	4,374,216	Total ... ... £	4,374

Deposits.—Sums of one shilling or any multiple of that amount may be deposited in the Government Savings Ba with the exception of the funds of Friendly Societies and Charitable Institutions, deposits exceeding £200 do not bear i on such excess.

Deposit rate reduced.—The rate on deposits was reduced on the 1st July, 1896, to 3 per cent. per annum.

No. 35.—Depositors and Deposits in Government Savings Bank, 1889–96.

Year.	Government Savings Banks.	Accounts.			Deposits.			Withdrawals.	Balan crit Depo on 3 Decem
		Opened during year.	Closed during year.	Remaining open on 31st December.	Amount.	Interest added by Bank.	Total.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£
1889	372	30,433	25,410	76,288	1,115,863	61,872	1,177,735	1,185,548	1,729
1890	396	32,372	25,348	83,312	1,198,294	63,225	1,261,519	1,115,505	1,875
1891	415	39,199	27,991	94,520	1,509,377	72,280	1,581,657	1,304,099	2,153
1892	450	39,721	32,573	101,668	1,630,198	81,781	1,711,979	1,511,356	2,354
1893	465	47,145	34,743	114,070	2,816,085	99,566	2,915,651	2,038,561	3,233
1894	482	41,418	32,693	122,795	2,160,611	120,880	2,281,491	1,880,855	3,633
1895	499	42,276	33,368	131,703	2,194,134	128,641	2,322,775	1,835,000	4,121
1896	502	43,255	34,572	140,386	2,110,579	128,629	2,239,208	1,987,943	4,372

No. 36.—Depositors and Deposits in Government Savings Bank, 1895 and 1896.

Year.	Government Savings Bank.	Accounts.			Deposits.			Withdrawals.	Balance at credit of Depositors on 31st December.
		Opened during year.	Closed during year.	Remaining open on 31st December.	Amount.	Interest added by Bank.	Total.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£
1895	499	42,276	33,368	131,703	2,194,134	128,641	2,322,775	1,835,000	4,121,700
1896	502	43,255	34,572	140,386	2,110,579	128,629	2,239,208	1,987,943	4,372,965
Increase	3	979	1,204	8,683	.....	.....	.....	152,943	251,265
Decrease	...	.....	.....	.....	83,555	12	83,567	.....	.....

No. 37.—Deposits with all Banks and Companies, 1890–96.

Date.	Amount of Deposits in—				Per Inhabitant.		
	Banks of Issue.	Savings Banks.	Registered Companies.	All Banking Institutions.	Banks of Issue.	Savings Banks.	All Banking Institutions.
	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Dec., 1890	35,460,118	4,730,469	3,199,554	43,390,141	31 12 2	4 4 4	38 13 6
„ 1891	35,659,690	5,342,135	2,595,489	43,597,314	30 12 0	4 11 8	37 8 3
„ 1892	35,564,192	5,706,081	2,082,223	43,352,496	29 14 2	4 15 4	36 4 4
„ 1893	32,141,959	6,535,758	1,516,567	40,194,284	26 5 6	5 6 10	32 17 1
„ 1894	29,792,793	7,217,000	*1,836,540	*38,846,333	23 16 2	5 15 4	*31 0 10
„ 1895	30,629,257	8,073,575	*1,289,016	*39,991,848	23 19 4	6 6 4	*31 5 11
„ 1896	29,835,916	8,522,623	*1,335,416	*39,693,955	22 19 10	6 11 4	*30 11 10

***Deposits in Benefit Building and Investment Societies.**—Inclusive of deposits in Benefit Building and Investment Societies registered under the "Friendly Societies' Act of 1873," viz., £554,729 in 1894, £473,880 in 1895, and £424,292 in 1896.

No. 38.—Capital and Reserve Funds of Benefit, Building, and Investm Societies registered under Friendly Societies Act of 1873.

Society.	Date of Registration.	Date of Balance-sheet.	Paid-up Capital or Subscriptions.	Reserve and Contingency Funds.	Balance Profit and Accoun
			£	£	£
Sydney Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 7	Feb., 1889	Feb., 1897	11,904	Nil.	1,3
Sydney Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 8	Oct., 1893	Oct., 1896	6,929	Nil.	1,9
Sydney Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 9	Aug., 1896	Information not available.			
Bathurst Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 4	Dec., 1887	Oct., 1896	12,247	Nil.	1,9
Bathurst Starr-Bowkett Building Society, No. 5	Jan., 1894	Jan., 1897	9,077	Nil.	8
Forbes Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 1	Feb., 1890	Information not available.			
Mudgee Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 2	Nov., 1891	Oct., 1896	6,959	Nil.	3,5
Orange Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society	May, 1884	Mar., 1896	8,899	Nil.	1,0
Orange Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 2	Aug., 1894	Oct., 1896	1,344	Nil.	2
Wellington Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society	Oct., 1896	Information not available.			
Albury Benefit Building and Investment Society, No. 4	Aug., 1891	Aug., 1896	3,919	Nil.	1,1
Armidale Mutual Help Benefit Building Society	Aug., 1895	Sept., 1896	56	Nil.	†1,1
Dubbo Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Society	Dec., 1887	June, 1896	1,977	386	*1
Equitable Permanent Benefit Building, Land, and Savings Institution	Mar., 1874	Mar., 1897	70,936	22,542	5,7
Grafton Building, Land, and Investment Society and Savings Institute	April, 1884	Mar., 1896	4,538	Nil.	*3
Great Northern Permanent Building, Investment, and Land Society	Sept., 1875	Dec., 1896	16,385	Nil.	*2
Gulgong Building and Investment Society ..	July, 1888	July, 1896	2,656	Nil.	*1
Hunter River Permanent Building Society, Singleton	Oct., 1876	Sept., 1896	2,913	Nil.	*2
Illawarra Mutual Building Society	April, 1880	Mar., 1897	5,715	1,200	5
Industrial and Provident Permanent Benefit Building and Investment Society .. .	Dec., 1870	Dec., 1896	101,343	4,000	4,7
Maitland Permanent Building, Investment, and Loan Society (Ltd.) and Savings Bank	Nov., 1888	Sept., 1896	4,597	300	
Mudgee Building and Investment Society, No. 3	June, 1894	May, 1897	10,422	Nil.	*5
Mutual Workmen's Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Society (Ltd.) ..	Mar., 1888	Jan., 1897	765	Nil.	
Newcastle Permanent Investment and Building Society	Sept., 1870	Aug., 1895	171,249	9,381	*4,
New England Permanent Mutual Benefit Building and Investment Society	Feb., 1871	Mar., 1897	6,052	Nil.	1,5
Northumberland Permanent Building Investment, Land, and Loan Society ..	July, 1876	June, 1897	96,731	6,742	9,7
Orange Permanent Building and Investment Society	April, 1875	Dec., 1896	51,892	11,286	4
St. Joseph's Investment and Building Society	Aug., 1871	Sept., 1896	28,588	Nil.	5
Tamworth Permanent Mutual Benefit Building and Investment Society	Aug., 1875	July, 1896	17,972	600	1,2
Union Terminating Building Society ..	Nov., 1887	Jan., 1897	10,529	Nil.	*1,2
Wagga Wagga Benefit Building and Investment Society	Aug., 1870	Sept., 1896	12,900	3,018	1,3
Young and District Permanent Building Society	Mar., 1890	Feb., 1896	878	Nil.	1

* Loss. † Balance due from appropriations.

Benefit Building and Investment Societies.—These societies are registered under the Friendly Societies A 1873 (37 Vic. No. 4), which repealed the former statutes relating to the societies, viz. :—7 Vic. No. 10, 11 Vic. Nos. 10 an 14 Vic. No. 11, 17 Vic. No. 26, and 29 Vic. No. 8. Under the provisions of the existing Act any number of persons form themselves into, and establish societies for the purpose of raising money by subscription to enable members to or purchase dwellings, &c., which must be secured to the society by mortgage until the amount of shares has been paid. The rules of the society must be signed by three of the intending members, and the Secretary or other officer, b the institution can be registered.

9.—Liabilities and Assets of Benefit, Building, and Investment Societies registered under Friendly Societies Act of 1873.

Society.	Date of Balance-sheet.	Liabilities (exclusive of Liabilities to Shareholders).				Assets.			
		Bank Overdraft.	Deposits.	Other Liabilities	Total.	Bank and Cash Balances and Fixed Deposits	Advances.	Other Assets.	Total.
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Starr-Bowkett Benefit Build-Society, No. 7	Feb., 1896	1,155	Nil.	Nil.	1,155	Nil.	14,354	10	14,364
Starr-Bowkett Benefit Build-Society, No. 8	Oct., 1806	2,336	Nil.	5	2,341	Nil.	11,103	11	11,114
Starr-Browkett Benefit Build-Society, No. 9	Information not available.								
st Starr-Bowkett Benefit Build-Society, No. 4	Oct., 1896	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	250	13,808	33	14,091
st Starr-Bowkett Building ety, No 5..	Jan., 1897	809	Nil.	Nil.	809	946	8,917	858	10,721
Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building ety, No. 1	Information not available.								
Starr-Bowkett Benefit Build-Society, No. 2	Oct., 1896	600	Nil.	22	622	Nil.	10,920	210	11,130
Starr-Bowkett Benefit Build-Society	Mar., 1896	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	1,056	9,481	22	10,559
Starr-Bowkett Benefit Build-Society, No 2	Oct., 1896	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	319	1,269	Nil.	1,588
ton Starr-Bowkett Benefit ding Society	Information not available.								
Benefit Building and Invest-t Society, No. 4	Aug., 1896	700	Nil.	12	712	Nil.	5,370	361	5,731
le Mutual Help Benefit Build-Society	Information not available.								
Permanent Land, Building, Investment Society	June, 1896	3,339	Nil.	50	3,389	Nil.	5,530	58	5,588
le Permanent Benefit, Build-Land, and Savings Institution	Mar., 1897	Nil.	99,733	601	100,334	7,024	161,197	31,303	199,524
Building, Land, and Invest-t Society and Savings' Institute	Mar., 1896	429	900	134	1,463	Nil.	5,636	10	5,646
Northern Permanent Building, stment, and Land Society ..	Dec., 1896	Nil.	275	186	461	236	13,683	2,632	16,551
g Building and Investment ety	July, 1896	265	Nil.	Nil.	265	Nil.	2,785	Nil.	2,785
River Permanent Building ety, Singleton	Sep., 1896	Nil.	8,536	62	8,598	613	10,005	42	11,260
ra Mutual Building Society ..	Mar., 1897	202	Nil.	121	1,323	Nil.	7,770	736	8,506
ial and Provident Permanent efit, Building, and Investment ety	Dec., 1896	Nil.	1,044	588	1,632	5,502	98,739	7,500	111,741
d Permanent Building, Invest-t, and Loan Society (Limited), Savings' Bank	Sep., 1896	Nil.	4,507	55	4,562	80	9,438	16	9,534
Building and Investment ety, No. 3	May, 1897	Nil.	Nil.	240	240	276	9,450	539	10,265
Workmen's Permanent Land, ding, and Investment Society ited)	Jan., 1897	Nil.	Nil.	2	2	161	604	Nil.	765
tle Permanent Investment and ding Society	Aug., 1895	53	68,506	435	68,904	Nil.	216,859	28,358	245,217
England Permanent Mutual efit, Building, and Investment ety	Mar., 1897	Nil.	9,936	40	9,976	1,183	15,811	922	17,916
mberland Permanent Build-Investment, Land, and Loan ety	June, 1897	Nil.	76,181	6,068	82,249	5,787	148,007	41,651	195,445
Permanent Building and In-ment Society	Dec., 1896	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	1,940	60,907	761	63,608
ph's Investment and Building ety	Sep., 1896	Nil.	152,573	20,038	172,611	1,922	193,295	6,207	201,424
rth Permanent Mutual Benefit, ding and Investment Society..	July, 1896	Nil.	2,101	194	2,295	4,472	18,191	56	22,719
Terminating Building Society..	Jan., 1897	Nil.	Nil.	23,270	23,270	10	26,348	5,486	31,844
Wagga Benefit, Building, and stment Society	Sep., 1896	Nil.	Nil.	10	10	7,789	9,320	40	17,146
and District Permanent Build-Society	Feb., 1896	Nil.	Nil.	2	2	141	921	Nil.	1,062

No. 40.—Capital and Reserve Funds of Co-operative Societies registered und Friendly Societies Act of 1873.

Society.	Date of Registration.	Date of Balance-sheet.	Capital Paid-up.	Reserve and Contingency Funds.	Balan of Profi and Lo Accoun
			£	£	£
Armidale Co-operative Butchering and Chilling Company (Limited)	April, 1883	Jan., 1897	1,367	.....	*108
Balmain United Friendly Societies' Dispensary (Limited)	Dec., 1888	Nov., 1896	.....	.....	2,336
Boot Trade Co-operative Society of New South Wales (Limited)	July, 1894	July, 1896	430	.....	*449
Broadmeadow Co-operative Society (Limited)	May, 1887	June, 1896	633	.....	26
Canley Vale Progress Association Hall Co. (Limited)	April, 1891	Sept., 1896	126	.....	102
Charlestown Co-operative Society (Limited)..	April, 1892	Dec., 1896	128	27	41
Civil Service Co-operative Society of New South Wales (Limited)	June, 1871	Jan., 1897	6,993	11,500	4,089
Clothing Manufacturing Co-operative Society of New South Wales (Limited)	Sept., 1896	Information not available.			
Hamilton and Lambton Co-operative Society (Limited)	Feb., 1866	Mar., 1897	1,500	1,727	128
Helensburgh and Lilyvale Co-operative Society (Limited)	May, 1892	Mar., 1897	156	.....	22
Hillgrove Co-operative Butchering and Provision Association (Limited)	April, 1893	Dec., 1895	279	.....	27
Mount Kembla Co-operative Society (Limited)	July, 1894	May, 1896	438	.....	23
Newtown United Friendly Societies' Dispensary (Limited)	June, 1887	June, 1897	.....	.....	422
Parramatta and District United Friendly Societies' Medical and Dispensing Institute (Limited)	Dec., 1889	Dec., 1896	.....	.....	†223
St. George's Industrial Co-operative Society (Limited)	Aug., 1896	Information not available.			
Stockton Co-operative Society (Limited) ...	Aug., 1887	Mar., 1897	315	149	86
Sydney and Suburban Co-operative Society (Limited)	April, 1897	Information not available.			
Wallsend and Plattsburg Co-operative Society (Limited)	April, 1880	July, 1897	2,416	.....	59
West Maitland Co-operative Baking Society (Limited)	Oct., 1868	June, 1897	572	2,065	222
West Wallsend Co-operative Society (Limited)	July, 1891	June, 1896	644	102	111
Women's Co-operative Silk Growing and Industrial Association of New South Wales (Limited)	Oct., 1893	April, 1897	1,328	.....	*815

* Loss. † Includes £198, excess assets.

Co-operative Societies.—These Societies are established for the purpose of carrying on any labour, trade, handicraft, whether wholesale or retail, except banking. Any number of persons, not less than seven, may form Co-operative Society under the Act. Under clause 63, the word "Limited" must be inserted after the name of every Society.

No. 41.—Liabilities and Assets of Co-operative Societies.

Society.	Date of Balance-sheet.	Liabilities (exclusive of liabilities to members).				Assets.				
		Bank Overdraft.	Bills payable, and Sundry Creditors.	Other Liabilities.	Total.	Stocks and Fittings.	Sundry Debtors.	Bank and Cash Balances.	Other Assets.	Total.
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
e Co-operative Butcher-l Chilling Co. (Limited)	Jan., 1897	...	871	750	1,621	257	628	224	1,771	2,880
United Friendly So-Dispensary (Limited)..	Nov., 1896	...	312	...	312	430	50	528	1,700	2,708
ıde Co-operative Society South Wales (Limited)	July, 1896	...	426	640	1,066	906	118	23	...	1,047
ıadow Co-operative So-Limited)	June, 1896	...	601	69	670	502	746	8	73	1,329
ale Progress Association ompany (Limited) ...	Sept., 1896	...	...	90	90	...	...	34	284	318
ownCo-operativeSociety ed)	Dec., 1896	...	...	...	...	152	...	44	...	196
rice Co-operative Society South Wales (Limited)	Jan., 1897	637	4,457	1,569	6,663	16,530	4,715	8,000	...	29,245
Manufacturing Co-ve Society of New South (Limited)	Information not available.									
n and Lambton Co-ve Society (Limited) ...	Mar., 1897	...	14	nil.	14	1,862	1,095	410	nil.	3,367
ırgh and Lilyvale Co-ve Society (Limited) ...	Mar., 1897	...	23	...	23	181	...	20	...	201
e Co-operative Butcher-l Provision Association ed)	Dec., 1895	11	12	86	109	150	103	...	162	415
Kembla Co-operative So-Limited)	May, 1896	...	752	132	884	1,050	227	68	...	1,345
n United Friendly So-Dispensary	June, 1897	...	25	...	25	104	78	265	nil.	447
tta and District United ly Societies' Medical and sing Institute (Limited)	Dec., 1896	...	66	...	66	143	142	4	...	289
orge's Industrial Co-ve Society (Limited) ...	Information not available.									
ı Co-operative Society ed)	Mar., 1897	459	157	...	616	635	394	137	...	1,166
ınd Suburban Co-opera-ciety (Limited) ...	Information not available.									
d and Plattsburg Co-ve Society (Limited) ...	July, 1897	491	399	47	937	3,073	338	1	...	3,412
ıitland Co-operative Bak-ciety (Limited) ...	June, 1897	520	...	...	520	331	191	...	2,847	3,369
allsend Co-operative So-Limited)	June, 1896	...	94	6	100	839	110	8	...	957
's Co-operative Silk ng and Industrial Asso-of New South Wales ed)	April, 1897	...	...	...	...	114	...	57	322	493

No. 42.—Trade Unions, 1896.

Name.	Date of Registration.	Receipts.	Expenditure.	Amount of Funds, 31 December, 1895.
		£	£	£
Amalgamated Miners' Association—Hunter River District	June, 1882	2,362	3,725	818
Masters' and Engineers' of Harbour and River Steamers Association of New South Wales	Aug., 1882	313	344	898
New South Wales Locomotive Engine Drivers', Firemen, and Cleaners' Association	May, 1884	654	557	1,567
Sydney Progressive Society of Carpenters and Joiners	Feb., 1885	38	62	242
Gas Stokers' Protective Association of New South Wales (half-year)	July, 1885	27	22	9
Operative Sailmakers' Trade and Burial Society of Sydney...	Jan., 1886	21	6	166
New South Wales Amalgamated Railway and Tramway Service Association	Aug., 1886	388	85	570
Protection of Trade Marks and Exchange Association (Ltd.)	Sept., 1888	60	68	.....
Newcastle Typographical Association	Oct., 1888	67	57	105
United Society of Boilermakers and Iron Ship-builders of New South Wales	Mar., 1889	474	218	2,456
New South Wales Protective Association of Colliery Engine Drivers	Jan., 1890	65	49	23
Australasian Society of Engineers	April, 1890	120	50	402
Australian Fishermen's Benefit and Protective Society of New South Wales	May, 1890	38	41	106
Amalgamated Hotel and Caterers' Employees' Union in New South Wales	June, 1890	113	92	120
Barrier Ranges Engine Drivers' and Firemen's Association	Aug., 1890	38	30	14
Journeymen Coopers' Society of New South Wales ...	Feb., 1891	148	129	301
Amalgamated Miners' Association of Australasia—Barrier, Colonial District, No. 3	Aug., 1893	.....	.....	236

Societies not furnishing Returns.—The other 129 societies did not furnish returns to the Registrar.

Trade Unions are registered under Act 45 Vic. No. 12. Under the provisions of the Act any seven or more members may register such union. Section 18 provides that returns of Liabilities and Assets and Receipts and Expenditure shall be made to the Registrar each year. The number of Unions in existence at the end of 1895 was 146.

No. 43.—Insurance Companies doing business in New South Wales, 1896.

Class of Business.	Number of Companies.				Paid-up Capital.
	Head Office in New South Wales.	Head Office in other Australasian Colonies.	Head Office outside Australasia.	Total.	
					£
Life only	4	6	3	13	.....
Fire only	2	Nil.	8	10	1,475,640
Marine only	Nil.	2	18	20	2,157,605
*Fire and Life	Nil.	Nil.	10	10	3,059,328
Fire and Marine	2	7	2	11	737,000
Fire and Guarantee...	1	Nil.	Nil.	1	18,750
Fire and Accident	Nil.	Nil.	1	1	272,604
Fire, Life, and Marine	Nil.	Nil.	3	3	1,357,495
Fire, Marine, and Guarantee	Nil.	1	Nil.	1	75,000
Fire, Life, Marine, and Guarantee ...	Nil.	1	Nil.	1	125,000
Fire, Marine, Accident, Guarantee, and Plate Glass	Nil.	2	Nil.	2	68,908
Fire, Marine, Guarantee, Plate Glass, and Employers' Liability	Nil.	1	Nil.	1	15,582

* **Fire and Life Companies.**—The proportion of life assurances obtained by these offices is relatively very small compared with the total business.

No. 44.—Valuations of Life Assurance Institutions.

Institution	Year when established.	Periods of Valuation.	Latest Investigations.		
			Date.	Net Liability.	Surplus.
				£	£
Head Office in New South Wales—					
Australian Mutual Provident Society ...	1849	Annual ...	Dec., 1896	13,211,261	512,817
Mutual Life Association of Australasia...	1869	Triennial ...	Dec., 1894	963,477	85,508
City Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	1879	" ...	Dec., 1894	108,128	9,901
Citizens' Life Assurance Company (Ltd.)	1886	Annual ...	Dec., 1896	95,845	14,666
Head Office in Victoria—					
Australian Alliance Assurance Company..	1862	Triennial ...	Dec., 1894	279,915	18,874
*National Mutual Life Association of Australasia (Ltd.)	1869	" ...	Sept., 1895	1,390,529	169,695
*Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria (Ltd.)	1870	Quinquennial	Dec., 1895	795,170	70,702
Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	1871	" ...	Oct., 1896	1,166,499	156,662
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	1874	" ...	Dec., 1894	1,567,431	226,198
Australasian Temperance and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)..	1876	" ...	Sept., 1895	165,427	2,219
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	1859	Annual ...	Dec., 1896	36,165,993	8,995,246
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	1843	" ...	Dec., 1896	42,096,640	6,105,444
New York Life Insurance Company... ...	1845	" ...	Dec., 1896	33,023,541	5,490,123

The Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria was amalgamated with the National Mutual Life Association at the beginning of 1897.

Life Assurance Laws.—No special laws for regulating Life Assurance are in existence in New South Wales. uring 1862 an Act was passed to encourage and protect Life Assurance, and in 1895 the "Lost Policies Act" became law, it the provisions of these Acts do not apply to the regulation of the business of these institutions.

No. 45.—Life Assurance—Business in Force, December, 1896.

Institution.	Policies in force, exclusive of Annuities.	Sums Assured, exclusive of Annuities.	Bonus Additions.	Total.	Annual Premium Income.
	No.	£	£	£	£
Australian Mutual Provident Society ...	128,650	40,731,231	7,892,672	48,623,903	1,332,124
Mutual Life Association of Australasia ...	16,877	4,445,575	266,271	4,711,846	142,473
City Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)...	6,136	892,850	‡14,793	907,643	32,412
Citizens' Life Assurance Company (Ltd.) ...	12,554	1,465,772	33,113	1,498,885	58,473
Australian Alliance Assurance Company ...	1,615	558,830	46,692	605,522	20,172
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia (Ltd.)...	29,142	6,557,028	542,337	7,099,365	214,153
Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria (Ltd.)	13,921	3,152,112	164,866	3,316,978	107,146
Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	20,062	4,422,260	184,126	4,606,386	160,768
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	32,261	10,351,235	317,270	10,668,505	323,199
Australasian Temperance and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	5,869	922,898	13,067	935,965	34,164
*Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	7,882	3,950,166	†	3,950,166	131,621
*Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	2,212	1,403,785	†	1,403,785	60,763
*New York Life Insurance Company... ...	2,932	1,733,773	†	1,733,773	97,340

* Australasian business only. † Included in previous column. ‡ According to last actuarial Report (December, 1894).

The Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company combines Life with other classes of Assurance. he life policies current in Australia on 31st March, 1896, numbered 1,023, with a face value of £566,647; the annual remiums on which amounted to £15,627.

No. 46.—Amount assured in each Life Assurance Institution, December, 1892–96.

Institution.	Amount Assured, excluding Bonuses and Annuities.				
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
	£	£	£	£	£
Australian Mutual Provident Society ...	38,888,283	39,331,071	39,510,130	40,084,836	40,731,231
Mutual Life Association of Australasia ...	4,430,669	4,250,997	4,166,359	4,241,105	4,445,575
City Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	719,999	751,242	776,946	839,633	892,850
Citizens' Life Assurance Company (Ltd.)...	429,084	553,334	845,984	1,143,111	1,465,772
Australian Alliance Assurance Company...	769,987	704,397	645,463	599,939	5[illegible]
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia (Ltd.)	6,479,001	6,420,576	6,338,659	6,305,632	6,557,[illegible]
Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria (Ltd.)	3,665,517	3,504,652	3,332,312	3,232,763	3,159,112
Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	4,939,075	4,727,701	4,555,968	4,457,068	4,422,260
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	10,827,028	10,702,936	10,533,271	10,361,450	10,351,235
Australasian Temperance and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)...	827,566	813,500	812,370	840,072	922,898
*Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	4,335,522	4,063,627	4,211,667	3,985,166	3,930,166
*Mutual Life Assurance Company of New York	1,107,258	1,160,366	1,253,462	1,336,860	1,403,785
*New York Life Insurance Company ...	1,883,765	1,643,535	1,665,068	1,658,000	1,732,773

* Australasian business only, including Bonus additions.

No. 47.—Receipts and Expenditure of Life Assurance Institutions, 1896.

Ten Australasian Institutions only.

Institution.	Receipts.	Expenditure.	Excess Receipts (Addition to Funds).
	£	£	£
Australian Mutual Provident Society	2,029,674	1,463,747	565,927
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	197,722	149,729	47,993
City Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	38,590	23,065	15,525
Citizen's Life Assurance Company (Ltd.)	55,483	24,423	31,060
Australian Alliance Assurance Company	31,834	34,669	2,835*
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia (Ltd.) ...	292,928	190,760	102,168
Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria (Ltd.)	153,940	118,734	35,206
Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society (Ltd.) ...	213,879	145,487	68,392
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	392,705	275,569	117,136
Australasian Temperance and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)...	39,707	24,234	15,473
Total... ... ... £	3,446,462	2,450,417	996,045

Receipts.	£	Expenditure.	£
Premiums—		Claims	1,238,872
New	215,733	Surrenders	568,539
Renewal	2,139,563	Annuities	25,202
Consideration for Annuities	45,142	Cash Bonuses and Dividends	88,402
Interest	1,038,993	Expenses	457,422
Other Receipts (Rents, etc.)	7,031	Amount written off to Depreciation, Reserves, etc.	71,980
Total ... ... £	3,446,462	Total ... ... £	2,450,417

* Decrease.

No. 48.—Assets and Liabilities of Life Assurance Institutions, 1896.

Ten Australasian Institutions only.

Institution.	Assets.			Liabilities.		
	Loans on Mortgages and Policies.	Securities, Freehold Property, etc.	Total.	Assurance Endowment and Annuity Funds.	Paid-up Capital, Reserve Funds, etc.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Australian Mutual Provident Society	11,335,415	2,823,202	14,158,617	13,728,540	430,077	14,158,617
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	741,457	406,074	1,147,531	1,135,760	11,771	1,147,531
City Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	86,882	59,131	146,013	144,999	1,014	146,013
Citizens' Life Assurance Company (Ltd.)	79,602	33,091	112,693	110,511	2,182	112,693
*Australian Alliance Assurance Company	310,976	256,058	567,034	280,328	286,706	567,034
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia (Ltd.)	1,084,902	604,652	1,689,554	1,592,391	97,163	1,689,554
Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria (Ltd.)	575,073	334,981	910,054	878,556	31,498	910,054
Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society (Ltd.) ...	1,112,063	216,885	1,328,948	1,319,658	9,290	1,328,948
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	1,132,947	914,438	2,047,385	1,993,108	54,277	2,047,385
†Australasian Temperance and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	138,062	88,155	226,217	215,984	10,233	226,217
Total... ... £	16,597,379	5,736,667	22,334,046	21,399,835	934,211	22,334,046

* Includes Fire and Guarantee Branches which cannot be separated.
† Includes the Industrial Branch, the assets of which cannot be separated from those of the ordinary Branch.

No. 49.—Accumulated Funds of Life Assurance Institutions, December, 1890–96.

Year.	Accumulated Funds. (Assurance, Endowment, and Annuity Funds.)		Interest.	
	Additions during year.	Total Amount.	Amount received.	Average Rate realised on Mean Funds.
				per cent.
1890	1,404,215	14,580,210	827,909	5·97
1891	1,380,553	15,960,763	902,774	5·91
1892	1,360,100	17,320,863	967,678	5·81
1893	1,147,143	18,468,006	991,369	5·54
1894	912,276	19,380,282	1,041,529	5·50
1895	1,057,942	20,438,224	1,037,477	5·21
1896	996,045	21,434,269	1,038,993	4·96

No. 50.—Expenses of Management of Life Assurance Institutions, 1896.

Institution.	Expenses of Management.		
	Amount.	Proportion to— Premium Income.	Proportion to— Gross Receipts.
	£	per cent.	per cent.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	182,882	13·92	8·91
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	41,912	29·62	21·20
City Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	9,426	30·74	24·43
Citizens' Life Assurance Company (Ltd.)	8,322	16·34	15·00
Australian Alliance Assurance Company	4,065	19·54	12·77
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia (Ltd.) ...	52,912	24·75	18·06
Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria (Ltd.)	31,975	29·64	20·77
Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society (Ltd.) ...	37,288	24·67	17·43
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	77,828	25·29	19·82
Australasian Temperance and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)...	10,812	33·04	27·23

No. 51.—Fire Insurance—Net Risks, 1887–96.

Year ended 31 Dec.	Net Amount at Risk.	Year ended 31 Dec.	Net Amount at Risk.	Year ended 31 Dec.	Net Amount at Risk.	Year ended 31 Dec.	Net Amount at Risk.	Year ended 31 Dec.	Net Amount at Risk.
	£		£		£		£		£
1887	49,209,395	1889	57,148,388	1891	58,415,945	1893	59,844,701	1895	59,720,282
1888	53,583,000	1890	58,207,183	1892	61,185,715	1894	59,340,096	1896	59,907,953

Returns of Fire Brigades.—For information concerning Fire Brigades, see Part "Miscellaneous."

No. 52.—Fire Insurance—Net Risks in Metropolitan Area, December, 1896.

Company.	Net amount at risk on 31st Dec., 1896.	Company.	Net amount at risk on 31st Dec., 1896.
	£		£
Alliance Assurance Co.	1,761,166	Netherlands India Sea and Fire Insurance Co....	135,000
Atlas Assurance Co.	404,897	New Zealand Insurance Co.	2,996,756
Australian Alliance Assurance Co. ...	438,844	North British and Mercantile Insurance Co.	1,029,993
Australian Mutual Fire Insurance Co.	8,177,013	North Queensland Insurance Co., Ltd.	719,726
Batavia Sea and Fire Insurance Co....	266,740	Northern Assurance Co.	711,745
Caledonian Insurance Co.	432,267	Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society	2,171,909
City Mutual Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	3,089,340	Palatine Insurance Co., Ltd.	520,684
Colonial Mutual Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	970,641	Phœnix Assurance Co. of London ...	1,062,731
Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ltd.	6,179,411	Queensland Mutual Insurance Co., Ltd.	244,228
Cornwall Fire and Marine Insurance Co., Ltd.	256,748	Royal Insurance Co.	2,097,413
Derwent and Tamar Fire and Marine Insurance Co.	280,862	Royal Exchange Assurance Corporation	313,061
Guardian Fire and Life Assurance Co., Ltd.	549,982	Scottish Union and National Insurance Co.	450,416
Imperial Insurance Co. of London, Ltd.	1,389,032	South British Fire and Marine Insurance Co. of N.Z.	1,560,863
Indemnity Fire and Marine Insurance Co. of Australia, Ltd.	135,429	Standard Fire and Marine Insurance Co. of N.Z.	787,553
Lancashire Insurance Co.	223,255	Sun Insurance Office of London ...	1,077,405
Lion Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. ...	269,164	United Insurance Co., Ltd.	4,144,625
Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Co....	2,462,800	United Australian Mutual Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	350,629
London and Lancashire Fire Insurance Co.	1,150,435	Victoria Insurance Co., Ltd.	1,580,209
London Assurance Corporation ...	293,613	*Fire Underwriters' Association of N.S.W., for Offices outside the Colony	200,260
Manchester Fire Assurance Co. ...	381,695		
Mercantile Mutual Insurance Co. ...	8,495,722		
National Fire and Marine Insurance Co. of N.Z.	1,143,689	Total	59,907,953

* **Insurances outside New South Wales.**—In cases where insurances cannot be effected in New South Wales permission is granted by the Fire Underwriters' Association for the risks to be placed outside the Colony, provided that the proportion of the assessment due to the Fire Brigades Board be duly paid by the insured.

Return of Net Risks under Fire Brigades Act.—Under the 15th Clause of the Fire Brigades Act, 1884, the Insurance Companies holding risks within the proclaimed area under the Fire Brigades Board of Sydney are required to furnish annually to the Board the amount held at risk (within the proclaimed area) by each Company on the preceding 31 December, less the sums reinsured with other contributing Companies under the Act. The total subsidies for 1897 were £6,700 from 40 Companies and the Fire Underwriters' Association for risks held outside the Colony; the amount to be contributed by each Company towards the cost of maintenance for the year is established by the Board from the returns supplied by the Companies.

No. 53.—Private Railways, 1896.

CAPITAL EXPENDED AND ROLLING STOCK.

Name.	Date of Opening.	Line. Length.	Line. Gauge.	Total Capital Expended.	Reserve Fund.	Debentures Outstanding.	Rolling Stock. Locomotives.	Rolling Stock. Passenger Carriages.	Rolling Stock. Goods Carriages and Vans.
		m. ch.	ft. in.	£	£	£	No.	No.	No.
Deniliquin and Moama ..	4 July, 1876	45 0	5 3	162,672	14,187	31,300	4	6	63
Silverton	11 Jan., 1888	35 54	3 6	341,765	40,000	Nil.	15	17	600
Rosehill	27 Jan., 1888	3 0	4 8½	48,000	Nil.	Nil.	Government.		
Warwick Farm	18 June, 1889	0 60	4 8½	5,700	.....	.....			

TRAFFIC, REVENUE, AND EXPENDITURE.

Name.	Train Miles run.	Passengers Carried.	Goods Carried.	Live Stock Carried.	Revenue.	Expenditure. Working.	Expenditure. Interest.	Expenditure. Total.
	No	No.	Tons.	No.	£	£	£	£
Deniliquin and Moama.. ..	60,459	13,617	21,343	136,240	18,819	9,680	1,699	11,379
Silverton	176,235	48,649	549,798	17,765	147,105	40,210	Nil.	40,210
Rosehill	244	24,258	2,352	869	Not available.			
Warwick Farm	73	18,716	Nil.	878				

Other Lines.—In addition to the above there are several branch lines connected with the coal and other mines in the Colony, but as regards length they are unimportant.

Private Railways under Construction.—During 1893 authority was obtained for the construction of two private lines, viz., Menindie to Broken Hill, in the Western district, and Rosehill to Dural (Simpson's), in the Parramatta district. The latter has been constructed as far as Pennant Hills Road, a distance of 3 miles 28 chains, but the line has not yet been opened for traffic. The total length of the line when completed will be 9 miles.

Private Tramlines—	Year of opening.	Length of line. miles.	Gauge. ft.	Gauge. in.
Rockdale to Lady Robinson's Beach (steam)	1885	1	4	8½
Parramatta to Duck River (steam)	1883	3	4	8½
Fassifern to Toronto (steam)	1891	2¾	4	8½

State Railways and Tramways.—See Part "Public Finance."

No. 54.—Weights and Measures.

TRANSACTIONS IN METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, 1896.

Designation.	Approved.	Rejected.	Condemned.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.
Weights	28,293	710	171	29,174
Measures (capacity and length)	3,564	188	.....	3,752
Weighbridges	24	.....	.....	24
Weighing Machines	399	47	.....	446
Counter Scales	326	70	11	407
Steelyards	37	7	.....	44
Standards (sent by Country Inspectors to be tested)	.....	.....	.....	47
Total number of Outdoor Inspections	.....	.....	.....	9,258
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Standards.—The Weights and Measures Act (16 Vic. No. 34), which was passed in December, 1852, repealed the original Act (3 Wm. IV, No. 4). Under the provisions of the existing Act, the standard Imperial Weights and Measures of Great Britain are declared to be the standards for New South Wales. The Act also provides that all articles sold by weight must be sold by Avoirdupois, except gold, silver, platina, diamonds, or other precious stones, which are to be sold by Troy weight, and drugs, which, when sold by retail, may be sold by Apothecaries' weight.

Inspectors.—The Inspectors of Weights and Measures, other than those in the Metropolitan District, administer two Acts, viz., the Bakers' Act (6 Wm. IV. No. 1) and the Weights and Measures' Act (16 Vic. No. 34). The Coal Delivery Act (9 Vic. No. 8) only applies within the Metropolitan District to a radius of 5 miles from Macquarie-place. In the country districts the inspectors are appointed by the local Magistrates, the persons selected being generally Sergeants of Police, who, however, are not subject to any control beyond the provisions of the Weights and Measures Act, and consequently no records are available as to material dealt with.

FEES PAID INTO TREASURY, 1896.

	£		£
For examining Weights and Measures	68	For examining Troy Weights	4
" Weighing Machines..	85		
" Weighbridges	22	Total Fees .. .. .. £	179

Fees paid into Treasury.—The fees for testing weights and measures are fixed by the Act, but for examining scales and testing weighing machines, weighbridges, and Troy weights the fees are fixed by the Minister for Justice. The amounts received in the Metropolitan area are paid into the Treasury, but those collected in the country are retained by the inspectors.

Prosecutions.—The prosecutions in the Metropolitan area during 1896 by the inspector numbered 47, of which 44 were instituted under the Weights and Measures Act and 3 under the Bakers' Act. The total amount of fines and costs of court during the year was £172.

***Coal Mines Regulation Act (60 Vic. No. 12).**—Under the provisions of clause 42 of this Act, the inspectors of weights and measures under Act 16 Vic. No. 34 must examine all weights, scales, balances, &c. used in coal mines, at least once in every six months.

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Public Account—			£	£	£
General Trust Funds (subject to Audit Act)—					
Civil Service Superannuation Account			338,000	112,199	450,199
Public Instruction Endowment "			193,872	1,144	195,016
Police Reward Fund			.....	1,591	1,591
Police Superannuation Fund			.....	2,042	2,042
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Special Deposits Account—					
Government Savings Bank Account			3,793,367	643,370	4,436,737
Savings Bank of New South Wales			.....	2,165,000	2,165,000
Other			198,400	617,431	815,831
Consolidated Revenue Fund			.....	114,445	114,445
Total Public Account			4,523,639	3,657,504	8,181,143
*Special Suspense Accounts—		£			
General Post Office New-street Resumption Account	Dr.	469,263			
Centennial Park Account	Dr.	224,372			
Advances to General Loan Account	Dr.	1,500,000	.....	Dr. 2,193,635	Dr. 2,193,635
			4,523,639	1,463,869	5,987,508
Special Trust Funds (not subject to Audit Act)—					
Sinking Funds—					
Railway Loan Redemption Fund			.....	75,000	75,000
1924 Stock Redemption Fund } Sinking Funds in connection with			.....	13,204	13,204
1925 " " } temporary works.			.....	14,817	14,817
Treasury Notes Withdrawal Account			.....	110	110
Colonial Treasurer's Supreme Court Moneys Accounts			318,554	184,359	502,913
General Loan Account			.....	682,803	682,803
Ledger Balance of General Account on 30th June, 1897		£	4,842,193	2,434,162	7,276,355

* **Special Suspense Accounts.**—The "Centennial Park Account" (51 Vic. No 9), and the "General Post Office New Street Resumption Account" (53 Vic. No. 13), originally formed part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund. The former was opened in 1887 and placed in suspense during 1894; the latter was opened in 1890 and placed in suspense in 1892. The debit balances on the 30th June, 1897, were £224,372 and £469,263 respectively. Both of these amounts have been covered by advances from the Trust Funds.—See Table No. 20.

The Public Account.—The "Public Account," as defined by the Treasury, consists of the Consolidated Revenue Fund and the General Trust Funds (subject to the Audit Act). It must be mentioned, however, that the Audit Act recognizes only one "Public Account," whether the transactions are connected with Consolidated Revenue, Trust Funds, or Loans.

The General Account.—The "General Account" consists of the General Trust Funds (subject to the Audit Act), the Consolidated Revenue Fund, the two Special Suspense Accounts, the Special Trust Funds (not subject to the Audit Act), and the General Loan Account.

Section I.—CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND AND TRUST FUND

No. 2.—Appropriations for Year ending June, 1898.

Services.	Permanent Appropriations.	Annual Appropriations.	Total.
	£	£	£
Permanent Appropriations—			
Schedules to Constitution Act	44,598	.....	44,5
Public Debt	2,537,639	.....	2,537,4
Other	354,700	.....	354,7
Annual Appropriations—			
Supplement to Schedule B (part of)	.....	1,478	1,(
Executive and Legislature	.....	31,494	31,(
Colonial Secretary	.....	955,618	955,(
Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—			
Departments generally	.....	589,751	589,7
Railways and Tramways	.....	1,840,258	1,840,5
Attorney-General	.....	47,623	47,(
Secretary for Lands (excluding Church and School Lands Estimate)	.....	299,042	299,(
Secretary for Public Works	.....	850,108	850,1
Administration of Justice	.....	260,012	260,(
Public Instruction	.....	731,423	731,(
Mines and Agriculture	.....	135,356	135,3
Postmaster-General	.....	709,197	709,1
In adjustment of the vote, "Advance to Treasurer, 1896–7," on account of the services of 1896–7	.....	55,028	55,(
Total .. .. £	2,936,937	6,509,388	9,446,3
Advances—			
Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—Advance to Treasurer	.....	100,000	100,(
Secretary for Mines and Agriculture— Expenditure chargeable to the prevention of scab in sheep	.....	26,072	26,(
Total .. .. £	2,936,937	6,635,460	9,572,3

No. 3.—Expenditure by Appropriations for Services of each year, 1888–9

Expended during—	Expenditure (proper) for services on account of—									
	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.*	1896.†	1
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
1888	7,684,669	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
1889	904,603	8,228,562	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
1890	27,952	877,711	8,629,708	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
1891	5,789	37,240	793,556	9,633,045	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
1892	2,550	7,924	142,847	735,988	9,648,604	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
1893	.....	.....	3,572	203,696	1,115,496	8,096,258	.....	.....	.....	..
1894	.....	.....	.....	5,431	90,939	611,289	8,778,225	.....	.....	..
*1895	.....	.....	.....	13	8,682	83,899	772,224	4,059,535	.....	
†1896	.....	.....	.....	57	2,954	155,429	144,080	650,296	8,[illegible]	
†1897	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,346	.....	360	152,363	26,240	9,4
Gross Expenditure	8,625,563	9,151,437	‡9,569,683	‡10,578,230	‡10,868,021	‡9,816,875	‡9,694,889	‡4,862,184	‡8,925,651	9,4

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ Includes redemption of Treasury Bills in aid of rev

RECAPITULATION.

Classification.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.*	1896.†	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
Expenditure authorised	9,138,985	9,493,776	9,809,183	10,758,952	11,288,413	10,513,158	10,203,957	4,888,704	9,304,148	9,(
Actual payments ..	8,625,563	9,151,437	9,569,683	10,578,230	10,868,021	9,816,875	9,694,889	4,862,184	8,925,651	9,(
Revenue (proper) available	8,886,332	9,066,941	9,494,584	10,036,185	10,501,104	9,706,734	9,459,235	4,558,569	9,253,939	9,5
Excess of payments ..	....	84,496	75,099	542,045	366,917	110,141	235,654	303,615	....	1
Excess of Revenue ..	260,769	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	328,288	

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

No. 4.—Position of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1870–97.

ear.	Credit.	Debit. Treasury Bills. 1888 and 1889 issues —Amount current.	Debit. Treasury Bills. 1896 issue —Amount current.	Debit. Cash overdraft.	Debit. Total Deficiency.	Remarks.
	£	£	£	£	£	
870	32,059	.....	.....	.....	.....	Accumulated Surplus. At the end of 1877 the "Accumulated Surplus" amounted to £2,351,074. The revenue for 1878 and 1879 was not sufficient to meet the expenditure, so that the balance at the close of 1879 was reduced to £1,341,619. The surpluses of 1881 and 1882, however, increased the fund to £3,888,753 at the end of the latter year. Between 1882 and 1885, considerable sums were spent out of the Accumulated Surplus, with the result that this fund became practically exhausted at the end of 1885. Until 1885 the Government had, therefore, a reserve fund to meet any revenue deficiency, but from that year no further assistance could be obtained from this source.
871	.....	.....	.....	366,684	366,684	
872	132,338	.....	.....	.....	.....	
873	925,069	.....	.....	.....	.....	
874	825,606	.....	.....	.....	.....	
875	1,110,992	.....	.....	.....	.....	
876	1,945,807	.....	.....	.....	.....	
877	2,351,074	.....	.....	.....	.....	
878	1,922,784	.....	.....	.....	.....	
879	1,341,619	.....	.....	.....	.....	
880	1,440,227	.....	.....	.....	.....	
881	2,927,434	.....	.....	.....	.....	
882	3,888,753	.....	.....	.....	.....	
883	2,511,016	.....	.....	.....	.....	
884	1,229,338	.....	.....	.....	.....	
885	2,901	.....	.....	.....	.....	
886	.....	.....	.....	1,286,581	1,286,581	First Deficit. On the 31st December, 1885, the Consolidated Revenue Fund showed a credit balance of £2,900, but it was only a nominal credit, as heavy liabilities were outstanding of 1885 and previous years, and the payments on this account created a heavy deficit in the succeeding year, which was considerably increased by subsequent operations. To adjust the accounts to 31st December, 1886, authority was given, under an Act passed in 1889, to issue Treasury Bills. At the close of that year, Bills to the value of £1,907,100 were issued, and the balance was taken up in the succeeding year. The shortage in Revenue was eventually found to be £2,502,183. The Bills are being redeemed by annual payments of £150,000.
887	.....	.....	.....	2,159,295	2,159,295	
888	.....	.....	.....	1,581,645	1,581,643	
889	201,026	1,907,100	.....	.....	1,706,074	
890	737,333	2,352,884	.....	.....	1,615,551	
891	176,038	2,202,884	.....	.....	2,026,846	
892	107,830	2,052,884	.....	.....	1,945,054	Second Deficit.
893	.....	1,902,884	.....	392,051	2,294,935	During the period January, 1887, to June, 1895, a second deficit accumulated, and a further adjustment became imperative, especially as provision had been made under the "Audit Act Amendment Act of 1895" to keep the accounts on a cash basis from the 1st July, 1895. Accordingly, on the 23rd December, 1895, authority was obtained to issue £1,174,700 Bills to cover all deficiencies to 30th June, 1895. This amount was found to be £150,000 in excess of the sum required, and consequently Bills to that value were cancelled during 1896–97. The redemption date is fixed at 1901, but power is given to pay off annually at least £150,000 after the Bills of the first deficit have been extinguished.
894	.....	1,752,884	.....	464,715	2,217,599	
895	.....	1,752,884	.....	166,450	1,919,334	
896	476,530	1,602,884	1,174,700	.....	2,301,054	
897	114,445	1,452,884	1,024,700	.....	2,363,139	

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

Surplus for year 1896–97.—According to the financial statement delivered on the 14th October, 1897, the surplus for year ended 30th June, 1897, was £120,092. This amount differs from the credit balance on that date, which, as set down ve, was £114,445. The difference is accounted for by the fact that accounts under the old system are still current, but en the final adjustments are made the balance shown in the public accounts will represent the actual accumulated surplus deficiency on the last day of the financial year.

The apparent anomaly of a credit of £114,445 and a debit of £2,363,139 on the 30th June, 1897 is due to the adjustnts of revenue by the issue of Treasury Bills.

No. 5.—Gross Revenue and Receipts for year ended 30th June, 1897.

Head of Revenue or Receipt.	Amount.	
TAXATION.	£	£
INDIRECT TAXATION :—		
Customs Duties :—		
Specific Duties—		
Intoxicants (Ale, Beer, Wine, and Spirits)	748,612	
Narcotics (Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, and Opium)	273,955	
Sugar and Molasses	126,869	
Dried Fruits	62,564	
Oils	34,270	
Candles	8,534	
Confectionery	5,511	
Other Specific Duties	13,210	
Ad valorem Duties	4	
Miscellaneous Collections—		
Bonding Warehouses	7,145	
Rent of Goods in Queen's Warehouse	41	
		1,280,71[illegible]
Excise Duties :—		
Beer	130,777	
Spirits	5,295	
Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes	139,799	
Tobacco Factory License Fees	1,266	
		277,13[illegible]
License Collections :—		
To retail Fermented and Spirituous Liquors ...	94,546	
To Wholesale Spirit Dealers, Brewers, Distillers, and Rectifiers	7,036	
To retail Colonial Wine, Cider, and Perry	1,700	
Billiard and Bagatelle Licenses	6,832	
To Auctioneers	4,114	
To Hawkers, Pedlars, and Pawnbrokers	3,247	
For sale of Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes	2,422	
All other	1,642	
		121,53[illegible]
DIRECT TAXATION :—		
Land Tax	.....	141,02[illegible]
Income Tax	.....	305,31[illegible]
Stamp Duties :—		
Adhesive Stamps	18,382	
Impressed Stamps	102,896	
Bank-note Composition	23,840	
Probate, Administration and Settlement Duties ...	143,428	
Miscellaneous Receipts	9,927	
Paid direct to Treasury :—		
Value of Postage Stamps used as Duty Stamps (approximate)	24,000	
From other sources	9,872	
		332,34[illegible]
Gross Revenue from Taxation ... £	.....	2,458,07[illegible]

No. 5.—Gross Revenue and Receipts, year ended June, 1897—*continued.*

Head of Revenue or Receipt.	Amount.	
LAND REVENUE.		
	£	£
Auction and Special Sales—		
Auction Sales	60,710	
Improved Purchases...	2,022	
Newcastle Pasturage Reserve Sales	1,542	
Miscellaneous Purchases	4,325	
		68,599
Conditional Purchases—		
Deposits and Improvements (Act of 1884)	28,232	
Instalments and Interest (Acts of 1875 and 1884) ...	885,355	
Interest (Act of 861)	75,800	
Balances (Acts of 861, 1875, and 1884)	62,976	
Homestead Selections—(Improvements and Rent) ...	8,012	
		1,060,375
Pastoral Occupation—		
Pastoral Leases	320,448	
Conditional Leases	153,513	
Occupation Licenses...	123,065	
Homestead Leases	61,024	
Annual Leases	44,130	
Settlement Leases	14,357	
Improvement Leases	1,494	
Snow Leases	517	
Scrub Leases	445	
Inferior Leases	398	
		719,391
Mining Occupation—		
Mineral Leases	11,421	
Mineral Licenses	415	
Leases of Auriferous Lands	15,174	
Miners' Rights	5,791	
Business Licenses	1,287	
Residential Leases	376	
Royalty on Minerals	10,800	
Survey Fees—Gold Fields	2	
" Mineral Leases	53	
		45,319
Miscellaneous Land Receipts—		
Timber Licenses, &c.	8,216	
Quit Rents	468	
Rents, Special Objects	17,430	
Fees on Preparation and Enrolment of Title-deeds ...	2,189	
Survey Fees	22,141	
Fees on Transfer of Leases	818	
Other Receipts	8,484	
		59,746
Gross Revenue from Land ... ... £	.....	1,953,430

No. 5.—Gross Revenue and Receipts, year ended June, 1897—*contin*

Head of Revenue or Receipt.	Amount.	
REVENUE FROM SERVICES.	£	£
Railways and Tramways—		
Railway Tolls	3,032,550	
Miscellaneous	28,131	
Tramway Tolls	305,120	
Miscellaneous	1,751	3,367,55
Post and Telegraphs—		
Postage	488,974	
Telegraph	159,280	
Telephone	33,925	
Commission on Money Orders	15,444	
Postal Notes Poundage	8,497	706,12
Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage—		
Water Rates	167,998	
Miscellaneous	4,360	172,35
Sewerage Rates	85,029	
Miscellaneous	1,563	86,59
Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board—		
Water Rates	.....	22,36
Fees and Charges—		
Public School Fees	74,406	
Agricultural College	2,593	
Mint Receipts	12,907	
Fees for Escort and Conveyance of Gold	681	
Pilotage	24,005	
Harbour and Light Rates	23,883	
Harbour Dues	7,055	
Marine Board	2,198	
Registration of Brands	830	
Fees of Office—		
Registrar-General	31,486	
Courts of Petty Sessions	8,672	
Prothonotary	6,096	
District Courts	4,519	
Bankruptcy Court	4,891	
Master in Equity	3,970	
Registrar of Probates	2,005	
Sheriff	1,369	
Curator of Intestate Estates	1,887	
Shipping Masters	3,084	
Department of Mines	2,768	
Crown Solicitor	735	
Examiner of Patents	104	
Copyright Act	37	
Public Officers' Fees	1,838	
Wardens' Courts	127	
Board of Pharmacy	94	
Lunacy Act	150	
Imported Stock Act	566	
Cattle Export Act	514	
Public Instruction Department	255	
Registrar, Land Court...	87	
Inspector of Weights and Measures	180	
Certificates of Naturalisation	195	
Other Fees	20,336	244,5
Gross Revenue from Services ... ... £	.....	4,599,7

5.—Gross Revenue and Receipts, year ended June, 1897—*continued.*

Head of Revenue or Receipt.	Amount.	
NERAL MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS.		
xclusive of Lands)—	£	£
and Ferries	5,116	
rfs, Sheds, Jetties, &c....	56,237	
rnment Buildings and Premises	10,839	
Rent and Carriage of Gunpowder	6,764	
ic Watering Places	4,278	
		83,234
d Forfeitures—		
iff	867	
ts of Petty Sessions	11,214	
n's Share of Seizures	299	
iscated and unclaimed Property	26	
r Fines	2	
fulfilment of Contracts	3,335	
		15,743
:—		
rnment Property	9,934	
k performed by Prisoners (Value of Work)	6,776	
Wheat (Repayment)	2,592	
ctions by Government Printer	6,355	
time Goods, Samples, &c.	157	
		25,814
lights Receipts	.....	7
ns, &c.—		
sment on Sugar Refinery	1,500	
mission on Imperial Pensions	592	
ms Department for Superintending Re-packs ...	15	
ributions—		
Support of British Prisoners and Lunatics	182	
Support of Children, &c., in Industrial and Charitable Institutions	1,723	
Support of Patients in Hospitals for the Insane ...	13,746	
Under section 137, Bankruptcy Act, 1887	701	
" 19, Lunacy Act, 1894	457	
ange on Letters of Credit	711	
e Island Abattoirs Receipts	9,515	
—		
Presenting Private Bills to Parliament	178	
Patents Law Amendment Act	3,824	
Testing Cement	242	
Watering Live Stock	2,179	
x of Chinese Restriction Act	200	
rial issued by Stores Department	4,665	
ipts under Fisheries Act	2,642	
s in Quarantine...	331	
rtising under Real Property Act	400	
ging at Private Wharfs	1,653	
d of Exports	235	
ing Vessels	3,051	
field Farm Account	229	
ational—		
Technical Education, 1895	562	
" " 1896	777	
Hurlstone Training College, 1895	604	
" " " 1896	349	
igration remittances	728	
ng on Private Lands	236	
idage, 1892	305	
nue Suspense Account, 1894...	71	
" " 1895...	502	
of Diamond Drills, Augers, &c.	1,288	
e of Improvements, Homestead Leases	224	
		54,617
Carried forward ... ... £	.....	179,415

No. 5.—Gross Revenue and Receipts, year ended June, 1897—continued

Head of Revenue or Receipt.	Amount.	
	£	£
GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS—*continued.*		
Brought forward ... ... £	.....	179,41
Interest and Deposits—		
Bank Deposits and other Temporary Investments of Public Moneys	18,240	
Bankruptcy Estate Fund	450	
Country Towns Water Supply Works—Interest ...	10,593	
" " Repayments ...	535	
Interest on Loan, Lismore Council	175	29,9
Extraordinary Receipts, Refunds, and Transfers—		
Balances of Intestate Estates	10,016	
Costs recovered in various actions	900	
Government Savings Bank Account (estimated amount of Departmental Expenses)	8,000	
Labour Bureau	2,945	
Premium on Loan raised	450	
Public Instruction Endowment Account (Surplus Receipts)	13,000	
*Repayments to Credit of Votes (net)	16,558	
Unclaimed Moneys, 1895	924	
Dead Letter Office	32	
Section 32, Lunacy Act	91	
Advances to cash stamps	143	
Deposits on tenders, 1895	24	
" under Lands Act, 1895	8,354	
" " Mining Act	330	
Seamen's wages	64	
Unexpended balance, Royal Mint, 1895	1,114	
" " " " 1896	786	
Other Miscellaneous Receipts	2,655	66,3
General Miscellaneous Receipts ... ... £	.....	275,7
Gross Revenue, exclusive of advances ... £	.....	9,287,0
Advances, &c., from Revenue repaid... ... £	.....	182,6
Total Gross Revenue and Receipts ... ... £	.....	9,469,6

* Repayments to Credit of Votes (Recoveries).—These are sums charged in excess of actual expenditure in p years recovered and replaced to revenue after votes to which they were charged had lapsed.

Summary of Consolidated Revenue, 1896–97.

Head of Revenue.	Amount.	
	£	£
Revenue Proper—		
Taxation	2,458,074	
Land Revenue	1,953,430	
Revenue from Services	4,599,706	
General Miscellaneous Receipts	275,790	
Gross Revenue Proper ... ... £	.....	9,287,0
Advances Repaid { From Revenue and other sources, £97,477 / From Loans ... ... £85,204 } £	.....	182,6
Gross Revenue and Receipts ... £	.....	9,469,6

Supplementary Statement.

Gross and Net Revenue Proper.—In establishing the Net Revenue Proper, only the actual returns of collectio made on behalf of other colonies, and refunds to the public, have been taken into consideration. Transfers made Treasury for the purpose of adjusting the Consolidated Revenue Fund Account have been excluded.

Head of Revenue or Receipt.	Gross Revenue proper.	Refunds, including Charges on Collections.	Net Revenue prope	
			Total.	Per Inha
	£	£	£	£
Taxation	2,458,074	61,662	2,396,412	1
Land Revenue	1,953,430	54,595	1,898,835	1
Revenue from Services	4,599,706	41,080	4,558,626	3
General Miscellaneous Receipts	275,790	22,167	253,623	0
Total ... ... £	9,287,000	179,504	9,107,496	7

No. 6.—Revenue from Direct Taxation during Year ended 30th June, 1897.

Classification.		Amount Collected.
Stamp Duties—		£
Adhesive Stamps		18,382
Bank Note Composition		23,840
Impressed Stamps—		
Duties on Estates of Deceased Persons—		
Probate	£139,835	
Administration ...	3,189	
Settlement	404	
		143,428
Deeds	36,233	
Transfers of Shares...	2,467	
Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes	25,115	
Bills of Lading ...	3,333	
Cheques	34,958	
Receipts	2,089	
	104,195	
Less Commissions and Deductions	1,299	
		102,896
Stamp Duties—*continued*—		£
Miscellaneous Receipts—		
Repayments by Licensed Vendors		9,305
" Postmasters and Public Officers		464
Other Miscellaneous Receipts ...		158
Paid direct to Treasury—		
Value of Postage Stamps, used as Duty Stamps, (approximate) ...	£24,000	
From other sources ...	9,872	
		33,872
Total Stamp Duties	£	332,345
Income Tax	£	305,316
Land Tax...	£	141,022
Gross Collections...	£	778,683
Refunds	£	29,784
Net Collections ...	£	748,899

No. 7.—Number and Value of Estates of Deceased Persons, and Settlements, together with Duty paid thereon, 1890–97.

ESTATES OF DECEASED PERSONS, 1890–97.

Year.	Under £200.*		£200 and under £5,000.		£5,000 and under £12,500.		£12,500 and under £25,000.		£25,000 and under £50,000.		£50,000 and over.		Total Value of Estates.	Duty paid.
	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.		
		£		£		£		£		£		£	£	£
1890	...	.....	1,525	1,269,025	59	461,380	34	636,425	11	412,350	17	3,669,605	6,448,785	240,985
1891	...	.....	1,716	1,245,055	73	594,390	28	512,425	16	506,580	6	717,770	3,576,220	95,863
1892	...	.....	1,990	1,372,870	74	579,155	20	381,860	19	720,320	14	1,488,145	4,542,350	139,988
1893	254	23,005	1,541	1,199,480	67	523,055	24	381,960	11	394,145	8	1,284,735	3,806,380	113,917
1894	538	49,500	1,374	1,294,625	68	540,490	29	494,815	15	563,890	7	1,171,005	4,114,325	119,706
†1895	281	23,290	622	510,165	31	235,075	13	246,855	8	277,875	6	564,955	1,858,215	56,572
‡1896	591	53,620	1,485	1,230,980	54	434,090	22	376,065	12	429,175	15	1,670,600	4,194,530	132,971
‡1897	610	55,870	1,349	1,105,455	56	452,580	24	439,245	17	588,925	15	1,724,425	4,366,500	143,024

*Estates under the Value of £200.—Under the provisions of the Probate Act of 1890 Amendment Act (56 Vic. No. 30) passed in 1893, no stamp duty can be levied on estates under the value of £200 gross, with the exception of Settlements.
† Half-year ended 30th June. ‡ Year ended 30th June.

SETTLEMENTS, 1890–97.

Year.	Under £5,000.		£5,000 and under £12,500.		£12,500 and under £25,000.		£25,000 and under £50,000.		£50,000 and over.		Total Value of Estates.	Duty paid.
	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.		
		£		£		£		£		£	£	£
1890	119	12,571	2	11,440	1	17,630	...	.....	...	.....	41,641	883
1891	120	9,284	1	10,000	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	19,284	293
1892	‡	17,632	2	17,325	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	34,957	523
1893	‡	12,960	1	10,400	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	23,360	338
1894	‡	17,625	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	17,625	176
*1895	‡	22,920	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	22,920	229
†1896	‡	27,200	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	56,339	83,539	3,089
†1897	‡	19,460	1	10,448	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	29,908	404

Stamp Duties Act.—The existing Act (44 Vic. No. 3) was passed in 1880, and provided for the imposition of duties from the 1st July of the same year. In 1886 an amendment was attached, under Act 50 Vic. No. 10, which came into operation on 31st August of that year, and a graduated scale of duties ranging from 1 to 5 per cent. was adopted.
* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ Information not available.

No. 8.—Revenue from Indirect Taxation, 1888–97.

Import Duties.

Year.	Specific.	Ad Valorem.	Other.	Gross Revenue.	Refunds.	Net Revenue. Total.	Net Revenue. Per Inhab
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s
1888	1,874,584	2	8,472	1,883,058	48,198	1,834,860	1 1
1889	1,897,083	Nil.	8,800	1,905,883	37,231	1,868,652	1 1
1890	1,879,559	Nil.	8,762	1,888,321	30,478	1,857,843	1 1
1891	2,120,233	39,394	8,638	2,168,265	35,851	2,132,414	1 1
1892	2,039,757	628,119	10,014	2,677,890	84,051	2,593,839	2
1893	1,667,752	449,591	10,302	2,127,645	50,828	2,076,817	1 1
1894	1,641,860	413,800	10,179	2,065,839	50,144	2,015,695	1 1
*1895	765,763	192,350	5,076	963,189	29,434	933,755	0 1
†1896	1,602,181	212,222	10,816	1,825,219	70,613	1,754,606	1
†1897	1,273,525	4	7,186	1,280,715	23,980	1,256,735	0 1

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

Tariff Changes.—For dates of changes in Tariffs see Table No. 24, Part, "Commerce."

Excise Duties.

Year.	Beer.	Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes.	Other.	Gross Revenue.	Refunds.	Net Revenue. Total.	Net Revenue. Per Inhab
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s
1888	116,255	129,968	13,353	259,576	1,161	258,415	0
1889	118,940	124,560	17,871	261,371	1,235	260,136	0
1890	120,245	121,094	24,548	265,887	1,440	264,447	0
1891	131,851	131,353	24,994	288,198	1,172	287,026	0
1892	134,097	133,062	22,444	289,603	1,509	288,094	0
1893	121,915	123,910	19,729	265,554	1,387	264,167	0
1894	117,644	123,999	16,479	258,122	1,458	256,664	0
*1895	60,414	63,372	5,368	129,154	906	128,248	0
†1896	125,475	138,100	8,251	271,826	1,270	270,556	0
†1897	130,777	139,799	6,561	277,137	850	276,287	0

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

No. 9.—Revenue from Direct Taxation, 1888–97.

Year.	Gross Collections.	Refunds.	Net Collections. Total.	Net Collections. Per Inhabitant
	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1888	409,658	1,331	408,327	0 7 11
1889	379,519	1,141	378,378	0 7 1
1890	460,975	9,919	451,056	0 8 2
1891	326,778	1,568	325,210	0 5 9
1892	349,795	17,534	332,261	0 5 7
1893	311,723	1,904	309,819	0 5 2
1894	297,062	2,841	294,221	0 4 9
*1895	147,581	829	146,752	0 2 4
†1896	345,962	394	345,568	0 5 5
†1897	778,683	29,784	748,899	0 11 7

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

No. 10.—Revenue from Public Lands, 1891-97.

Head of Revenue.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.*	1896.†	1897.†
Alienation—							
Auction and Special Sales—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auction Sales	146,868	200,214	231,969	216,707	32,242	60,349	60,710
Improved Purchases	24,279	11,327	6,209	10,914	786	1,292	2,022
Newcastle Pasturage Reserve Sales .	17,792	10,427	5,691	2,650	910	1,675	1,542
Miscellaneous Purchases	2,757	2,196	8,913	4,137	2,440	4,580	4,325
Total .. .. £	191,696	224,164	252,782	234,408	36,378	67,896	68,599
Conditional Purchases—							
Deposits and Improvements (Act of 1884)	167,629	110,695	78,109	58,022	23,717	28,199	28,232
Instalments and Interest (Acts of 1875 and 1884)	701,784	705,436	781,814	819,229	682,747	893,549	885,355
Interest (Act of 1861)	107,174	96,141	86,318	84,018	71,989	80,755	75,800
Balances (Acts of 1861, 1875, and 1884) ..	102,229	58,953	66,747	68,792	63,253	63,838	62,976
Homestead Selections (Improvements and Rent)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,386	8,012
Total .. .. £	1,078,816	971,225	1,012,988	1,030,061	841,706	1,069,727	1,060,375
Occupation—							
Pastoral—							
Pastoral Leases	402,053	447,656	413,861	379,375	2,744	344,634	320,448
Conditional Leases	147,028	165,292	161,368	154,032	64,544	155,501	153,513
Occupation Licenses	185,562	161,293	137,751	115,067	9,923	126,216	123,065
Homestead Leases	59,880	76,076	72,083	68,130	38,491	77,100	61,024
Annual and Snow Leases	34,035	41,247	41,711	40,602	6,827	44,136	44,647
Scrub and Inferior Leases	18	88	704	555	429	634	843
Settlement Leases	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,184	14,357
Improvement Leases	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,323	1,494
Total .. .. £	828,576	891,652	827,478	757,761	122,958	756,728	719,391
Mining—							
Mineral Leases	24,879	15,260	12,839	7,723	2,785	11,093	11,421
Mineral Licenses	2,148	1,475	1,688	1,125	442	1,100	415
Leases of Auriferous Lands	12,101	7,693	7,740	6,970	4,115	15,069	15,174
Miners' Rights	6,889	6,073	6,808	10,903	9,964	10,857	5,791
Business Licenses	3,560	2,638	2,116	1,710	890	1,485	1,287
Residential Leases	165	210	289	346	154	325	376
Royalty on Minerals	3,709	10,533	18,042	13,958	3,153	9,221	10,800
Survey Fees (Gold Fields)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
,, (Mineral Leases)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	53
Total .. .. £	53,451	43,882	49,522	42,735	21,503	49,150	45,319
Miscellaneous Land Receipts—							
Timber Licenses, &c.	17,550	15,463	9,601	6,556	3,430	6,631	8,216
Rents, Special Objects	12,007	14,417	11,727	.....	6,595	16,780	17,430
Fees on Preparation and Enrolment of Title-deeds	3,894	2,635	2,819	3,204	1,268	2,048	2,189
Survey Fees	76,163	43,950	31,722	22,137	11,117	23,411	22,141
Fees on Transfer of Leases	1,054	1,335	998	965	507	984	818
Quit Rents and Other Receipts	3,429	5,339	6,630	27,348	7,890	24,381	8,952
Total .. .. £	114,097	83,139	63,497	60,210	30,807	74,235	59,746

Summary of Total Land Revenue.

Auction Sales, &c.	191,696	224,164	252,782	234,408	36,378	67,896	68,599
Conditional Purchases	1,078,816	971,225	1,012,988	1,030,061	841,706	1,069,727	1,060,375
Pastoral Occupation	828,576	891,652	827,478	757,761	122,958	756,728	719,391
Mining Occupation	53,451	43,882	49,522	42,735	21,503	49,150	45,319
Miscellaneous Land Receipts	114,097	83,139	63,497	60,210	30,807	74,235	59,746
Gross Revenue (proper) .. .. £	2,266,636	2,214,062	2,206,267	2,125,175	1,053,352	2,017,736	1,953,430
Refunds .. .. £	149,633	158,498	91,082	46,424	15,669	41,496	54,595
Net Revenue (proper) .. .. £	2,117,003	2,055,564	2,115,185	2,078,751	1,037,683	1,976,240	1,898,835

Land Revenue per Inhabitant.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auction Sales, &c.	0 3 4	0 3 10	0 4 2	0 3 9	0 0 7	0 1 1	0 1 1
Conditional Purchases	0 18 10	0 16 5	0 16 0	0 16 8	0 13 5	0 16 9	0 16 4
Pastoral Occupation	0 14 6	0 15 1	0 14 6	0 12 3	0 1 11	0 11 10	0 11 1
Mining Occupation	0 0 11	0 0 9	0 0 10	0 0 8	0 0 4	0 0 9	0 0 8
Miscellaneous Land Receipts	0 2 0	0 1 5	0 0 11	0 1 0	0 0 6	0 1 2	0 0 11
Gross Revenue (proper)	1 19 7	1 17 6	1 16 5	1 14 4	0 16 9	1 11 7	1 10 1
Refunds	0 2 7	0 2 8	0 1 6	0 0 9	0 0 3	0 0 8	0 0 10
Net Revenue (proper)	1 17 0	1 14 10	1 14 11	1 13 7	0 16 6	1 10 11	1 9 3

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

No. 11.—Revenue from Services, 1888–97.

Year.	Railways and Tramways.	Post and Telegraphs.	Water Supply and Sewerage.	Other Services.	Gross Revenue.	Refunds.	Net Revenue
			TOTAL REVENUE.				
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1888	2,759,280	562,909	90,089	242,415	3,654,693	53,312	3,601,381
1889	2,875,135	597,988	147,071	301,573	3,921,767	55,630	3,866,137
1890	3,013,921	629,894	232,519	293,081	4,169,415	48,407	4,121,008
1891	3,439,283	648,553	245,821	266,197	4,599,854	57,422	4,542,432
1892	3,416,496	650,635	255,641	263,113	4,585,885	58,018	4,527,867
1893	3,253,272	643,849	275,954	238,867	4,411,942	50,925	4,361,017
1894	3,148,720	626,864	275,835	233,416	4,284,835	48,204	4,236,631
*1895	1,454,973	316,888	135,989	108,959	2,016,809	27,561	1,989,248
†1896	3,156,527	676,668	270,376	251,219	4,354,790	55,571	4,299,219
†1897	3,367,552	706,120	281,511	244,523	4,599,706	41,080	4,558,626
			REVENUE PER INHABITANT.				
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1888	2 13 4	0 10 10	0 1 9	0 4 8	3 10 7	0 1 0	3 9 7
1889	2 13 11	0 11 3	0 2 9	0 5 8	3 13 7	0 1 0	3 12 7
1890	2 14 8	0 11 5	0 4 3	0 5 4	3 15 8	0 0 10	3 14 10
1891	3 0 2	0 11 4	0 4 4	0 4 8	4 0 6	0 1 0	3 19 6
1892	2 17 10	0 11 0	0 4 4	0 4 5	3 17 7	0 1 0	3 16 7
1893	2 13 9	0 10 8	0 4 7	0 3 11	3 12 11	0 0 11	3 12 0
1894	2 10 11	0 10 2	0 4 5	0 3 9	3 9 3	0 0 9	3 8 6
*1895	1 3 3	0 5 1	0 2 2	0 1 9	1 12 3	0 0 5	1 11 10
†1896	2 9 5	0 10 7	0 4 3	0 3 11	3 8 2	0 0 10	3 7 4
†1897	2 11 11	0 10 11	0 4 4	0 3 9	3 10 11	0 0 8	3 10 3

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

No. 12.—Revenue from all sources, 1888–97.

Year.	Gross Revenue.	Refunds.	Net Revenue.	
			Total.	Per Inhabitant.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1888	8,886,332	172,148	8,714,184	8 8 2
1889	9,066,941	191,211	8,875,730	8 6 5
1890	9,494,584	188,893	9,305,691	8 8 11
1891	10,036,185	263,405	9,772,780	8 10 11
1892	10,501,104	327,537	10,173,567	8 10 5
1893	9,706,734	207,482	9,499,252	7 16 11
1894	9,459,235	158,492	9,300,743	7 10 4
*1895	4,558,569	80,054	4,478,515	3 11 3
†1896	9,253,939	179,161	9,074,778	7 2 0
†1897	9,287,000	179,504	9,107,496	7 0 5

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

No. 13.—Gross Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue, year ended 30th June, 1897.

Head of Expenditure.	Expenditure for Services— Of other years. (Liabilities contracted under old System.)	Of year ended 30th June, 1897.	Total.
	£	£	£
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.			
Schedule A and Supplement—			
His Excellency the Governor and the Private Secretary			
The Chief Justice			
Do as Acting Governor			
The Puisne Judges	.....	31,317	31,317
The Colonial Secretary			
The Colonial Treasurer			
The Attorney-General			
The Auditor-General			
Schedule B and part Supplement—			
Pensions to Judges...	.....	3,185	3,185
Do Political Officers	.....	900	900
Do Superannuated Officers	.....	3,500	3,500
Schedule C—			
Church of England...	.....	3,537	3,537
Roman Catholic Church	.....	1,888	1,888
Presbyterian Church	.....	552	552
Wesleyan Methodist Church	.....	750	750
*Public Debt—			
Interest on Debentures and Funded Stock	.....	2,135,524	2,135,524
Interest on Railway Loan (31 Vic. No. 11)	.....	11,435	11,435
Interest on Treasury Bills—			
Deficiency of 1886 and previous years (53 Vic. No. 9)	.....	51,972	51,972
For Loan Services (55 Vic. No. 7)	.....	36,239	36,239
Deficiency to 30th June, 1895 (59 Vic. No. 22) ...	.....	32,691	32,691
Railway Loan Redemption Fund (53 Vic. No. 24) ...	.....	75,000	75,000
Redemption of N.S.W. 1924 Stock (58 Vic. No. 14) ...	.....	6,602	6,602
" " 1925 " (59 Vic. No. 6) ...	.....	7,408	7,408
Redemption of Railway Loan of 1867 (31 Vic. No. 11)	.....	26,800	26,800
Interest—On uninvested funds at credit of Government Savings Bank (34 Vic. No. 15)	.....	16,099	16,099
Endowments—			
Educational Institutions—			
Sydney University. (See also page 784)	.....	5,000	5,000
St. Paul's College	.....	500	500
Carried forward ... ... £	.....	2,450,899	2,450,899

Schedules A, B, and C.—The Civil List under the Constitution Act (18 and 19 Vic., cap. 54), provided for the ayment of salaries, pensions to certain officials, and State Aid to public worship. Schedules A, B, and C, provide for the alaries of those enumerated in the table; the expenditure under Schedule C,—which represents payments made to Ministers f Religion who were in receipt of State Aid previous to the passing of the "Grants for Public Worship Prohibition Act,"—ill in the course of time cease.

*** Public Debt.**—The sum of £300,000 paid towards redemption of Treasury Bills issued in aid of Revenue has ot been included as an item of expenditure as the accumulated deficiency has been reduced by a like amount.

No. 13.—Gross Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue, year ended 30th June, 1897—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Expenditure for Services— Of other years. (Liabilities contracted under old System.)	Of year ended 30th June, 1897.	Total
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS—*continued.*	£	£	£
Brought forward	.....	2,450,899	2,450,8
Endowments—*continued.*			
Educational Institutions—*continued.*			
St. John's College	.....	500	5
St. Andrew's College	.....	500	5
Women's College	.....	500	5
Sydney Grammar School	.....	1,500	1,5
Australian Museum. (See also page 784)	.....	1,000	1,0
Fire Brigades (47 Vic. No. 3). (See also page 778) ...	.....	7,657	7,6
Municipal Institutions (53 Vic. No. 12 and 56 Vic. No. 9). (See also page 778)...	.....	26,364	26,3
Municipal Institutions—Preliminary Expenses... ...	.....	69	
Salaries, Allowances, &c.—			
Judges, District Court (22 Vic. No. 18)	.....	10,500	10,5
Fees to Commissioners for Customs (42 Vic. No. 19) ...	.....	161	1
Commissioners for Railways (51 Vic. No. 35 and 52 Vic. No. 5)	.....	5,750	5,7
Land Appeal Court, President and Members (55 Vic. No. 26.) (See also page 783)	.....	4,000	4,0
Parliamentary Representatives Allowances (53 Vic. No. 12). (See also page 777)	.....	34,153	34,1
Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works (53 Vic. No. 11). (See also page 777)	.....	8,271	8,2
Witnesses under Parliamentary Evidence Act (45 Vic. No. 5)	.....	77	
Public Service Board (59 Vic. No. 25)	.....	2,840	2,8
Widow and Children of the late Sir Henry Parkes—			
Maintenance (60 Vic. No. 3)...	.....	548	5
Providing Home (60 Vic. No. 3)	.....	500	5
Federal Constitution (59 Vic. No. 24)	.....	156	1
Pensions. (See also previous page)—			
Judges, District Court (46 Vic. No. 16)	.....	2,250	2,2
Railway Act (51 Vic. No. 35)	.....	363	3
Superannuation Act Repeal Act of 1873	.....	2,744	2,7
Sydney Branch, Royal Mint (28 Vic. No. 3)	.....	15,000	15,0
Defence—Australasian Naval Force Act (51 Vic. No. 22.) (See also page 777)	.....	37,989	37,9
Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board (55 Vic. No. 27). See also page 783)	.....	29	
Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage (43 Vic. No. 32, and 51 Vic. No. 28). (See also page 783)...	.....	29	
Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act, 1893 ...	.....	1,767	1,7
Refunds—			
Drawbacks and Refunds of Duties	.....	24,830	24,8
Land Revenue	.....	54,271	54,2
Railway Revenue	.....	33,236	33,2
Charges on Collections	.....	686	6
Miscellaneous Services	.....	66,481	66,4
Total Special Appropriations ... ... £	.....	2,795,620	2,795,6

No. 13.—Gross Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue, year ended 30th June, 1897—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Expenditure for Services— Of other years. (Liabilities contracted under old system.)	Of year ended 30th June, 1897.	Total.
ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS.	£	£	£
Supplement to Schedule B (part of)—			
Pensions to relatives of Pilots and Soldiers	.....	1,512	1,512
Executive and Legislature—			
His Excellency the Governor	.....	1,226	1,226
The Executive Council	.....	967	967
The Legislative Council	.....	5,731	5,731
The Legislative Assembly. (See also Parliamentary Representatives' Allowances, page 776)	.....	10,302	10,302
The Legislative Council and Assembly	139	3,619	3,758
The Parliamentary Library	.....	1,968	1,968
Parliamentary Reporting Staff	.....	6,157	6,157
Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works. (See also page 776)	.....	1,016	1,016
Total, Executive and Legislature... £	139	30,986	31,125
Chief Secretary—			
Chief Secretary	.....	7,419	7,419
Vice-President of the Executive Council and Representative of the Government in the Legislative Council	.....	229	229
Agent-General for the Colony	.....	5,664	5,664
Department of Audit	.....	10,401	10,401
Government Statistician	.....	4,849	4,849
Registrar-General	.....	22,617	22,617
Registrar of Friendly Societies	.....	1,133	1,133
Master-in-Lunacy	.....	2,797	2,797
Analytical Branch	.....	1,016	1,016
Defence—Military and Naval Expenditure (see also page 776)—			
Military Secretary	.....	1,916	1,916
" Forces (Permanent and Volunteer) ...	355	157,702	158,057
Naval Forces	.....	8,705	8,705
Proportion paid by New South Wales of amount expended in maintaining Garrison at Albany ...	.....	800	800
Proportion paid by New South Wales of amount expended in maintaining Garrison at Thursday Island	.....	2,345	2,345
Grants in aid of Rifle Associations—			
New South Wales	.....	1,000	1,000
Northern	.....	250	250
Southern	.....	250	250
Western	.....	250	250
Bingara Civilian Rifle Club	.....	20	20
Hillgrove...	.....	20	20
St. Leonards	.....	25	25
Royal Naval House	.....	200	200
Carried forward ... ... £	355	229,608	229,963

No. 13.—Gross Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue, year ended 30th June, 1897—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Expenditure for Services— Of other years. (Liabilities contracted under old system.)	Of year ended 30th June, 1897.	Total.
Chief Secretary—*continued.*	£	£	£
Brought forward	355	229,608	229,9
Police	.....	330,245	330,2
Pension to Constable...	.....	46	
Rewards for Apprehensions	.....	225	2
Parks, Recreation Reserves, &c.—			
Government Domains	.....	2,531	2,5
Botanic Gardens	.....	6,027	6,0
Garden Palace Grounds	.....	1,093	1,0
Centennial Park	.....	4,270	4,2
National Park...	.....	4,000	4,0
Construction of Boundary Road	.....	1,188	1,1
Campbelltown Nursery Garden	.....	999	9
Local Government—Special Grant to Municipalities (see also page 776)	.....	59,392	59,3
Civil Service Board	291	246	5
Commissions—			
Dangers of Coal Cargoes	.....	427	4
Coal Mining Regulation Bill...	813	.....	8
Fisheries	.....	2,605	2,6
Works Department	.....	1,013	1,0
Fire Brigades (see also page 776)	.....	940	9
Suburban and Country Brigades	.....	3,955	3,9
Paddington Volunteer Fire Brigade	30	.....	
Granville Volunteer Fire Brigade	50	.....	
Educational Institutions, &c.—			
Board of International Exchange of Literary and Scientific Works	.....	65	
Exhibit at Imperial Institute	.....	410	4
Revising List of Fishes	.....	87	
Zoological Society	.....	1,052	1,0
Hawkesbury Agricultural College exhibit	.....	300	3
Preparation of Statistics of Resources of Colony ...	.....	400	4
Women's Co-operative Silk-Growing Association...	.....	200	2
Hospitals, Charitable Institutions, &c.:—			
Medical Adviser to the Government	.....	11,822	11,8
Medical Board	.....	124	
Coast Hospital, Little Bay	17	9,360	9,3
Charitable Istitutions...	593	95,041	95,6
Maintenance of Deserted Children, Paupers taken in Charge for Protection, &c.	.....	7,286	7,2
Railway Claims for transmission of paupers, &c. ...	.....	2,202	2,2
Burial of Destitute Persons	.....	645	6
Conveyance of Chinese Lepers to China	.....	2,073	2,0
Aborigines Protection Board	.....	9,388	9,3
Carried forward ... ... £	2,149	789,265	791,

No. 13.—Gross Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue, year ended 30th June, 1897—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Expenditure for Services. Of other years. (Liabilities contracted under old system.)	Expenditure for Services. Of year ended 30th June, 1897.	Total.
f Secretary—*continued.*	£	£	£
Brought forward	2,149	789,265	791,414
Iospitals, Charitable Institutions, &c.—*continued.*			
Lunacy—			
Institutions for Insane generally	.....	46,523	46,523
Hospitals for Insane generally...	.....	44,970	44,970
Lunatic Patients...	.....	1,849	1,849
Maintenance of Sick Paupers	1,230	11,000	12,230
Hospitals—			
Aid on the usual conditions—			
Sydney Hospital...	3,000	3,999	6,999
Regent Street Dispensary	.....	700	700
Moorcliff and Victoria Lodge, Miller's Point	.....	350	350
Prince Alfred Hospital	.....	3,576	3,576
Alterations, &c.	.....	300	300
Carrington Centennial Hospital, Camden ...	.....	642	642
Hospital for Sick Children, Sydney	.....	1,200	1,200
Rent	.....	250	250
Country and Suburban Hospitals	.....	763	763
Special Grants—			
Ballina Hospital...	.....	80	80
Balmain Cottage Hospital	.....	100	100
Bega Hospital	.....	75	75
Berrima Hospital	.....	100	100
Bombala Hospital	.....	75	75
Braidwood Hospital	.....	20	20
Brewarrina Hospital	.....	100	100
Broken Hill Hospital	.....	500	500
Bulli Cottage Hospital	.....	50	50
Burrangong Hospital	.....	350	350
Collarendebri Hospital	.....	100	100
Cooma Hospital	.....	200	200
Forbes Hospital	.....	50	50
Glen Innes Hospital	.....	20	20
Goodooga Hospital	.....	50	50
Goulburn Hospital	.....	100	100
Hillgrove Hospital	.....	100	100
Inverell Hospital	.....	100	100
Junee Hospital	.....	75	75
Lismore Hospital	.....	100	100
Lithgow Hospital	.....	150	150
Macleay Hospital	.....	75	75
Maitland Hospital	.....	150	150
Maitland West Hospital	150	.....	150
Manly Hospital	.....	250	250
Manning River Hospital	.....	500	500
Carried forward ... ... £	6,529	908,857	915,386

No. 13.—Gross Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue, year ended 30th June, 1897—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Expenditure for Services— Of other years. (Liabilities contracted under old system).	Of year ended 30th June, 1897.	Total
Chief Secretary—*continued.*	£	£	
Brought forward	6,529	908,857	915
Hospitals, Charitable Institutions, &c.—*continued.*			
Hospitals—*continued.*			
Special Grants—*continued.*			
Narrandera Hospital	.....	75	
Nepean Hospital	.....	100	
Newcastle Hospital	.....	500	
Nyngan Hospital	.....	200	
Parkes Hospital	100	150	
Sofala Hospital	.....	50	
Temora Hospital	.....	100	
Tibooburra Hospital	.....	250	
Walgett Hospital	.....	100	
Wallsend Hospital	.....	450	
Warialda Hospital	.....	300	
Wilcannia Hospital	.....	100	
Wollongong Hospital	.....	50	
Wyalong Hospital	100	350	
Charitable Institutions, &c.:—			
Aid on the usual conditions—			
Deaf and Dumb and Blind Institution ...	.....	450	
Home for Industrial Blind Women, Strathfield	.....	500	
Infants' Home, Ashfield	.....	500	
Benevolent Society of New South Wales ...	2,000	7,435	
Sydney Rescue Work Society	.....	969	
Animals Protection Society	.....	128	
Unenumerated Institutions (General Subsidy)	489	27,969	2
Special Grants—			
Balmain Benevolent Society	.....	50	
Bathurst Poor Relief Society	.....	200	
Benevolent Society of New South Wales ...	.....	4,250	
Bombala Benevolent Society	.....	30	
Central Mission Children's Home	.....	100	
Grafton Benevolent Asylum	.....	150	
Leichhardt Ladies' Benevolent Society ...	.....	75	
Maitland Benevolent Society	.....	250	
Milton Benevolent Society	.....	100	
Narrabri Ladies' Benevolent Society	.....	50	
National Shipwreck Relief Society of N.S.W....	.....	250	
Newcastle Benevolent Society	.....	3,500	
Newcastle Mutual Help Society	.....	100	
Newcastle Relief Society	.....	100	
Parramatta Benevolent Society	.....	50	
Tumut Benevolent Society	100	.....	
Walcha Ladies Relief Society	.....	100	
Relief to Flood Sufferers	.....	104	
Electoral Office	.....	2,566	
Expenses in connection with Electoral System	.....	1,988	
Governor Phillip's Statue...	.....	4,421	
Reorganisation of the Public Service	.....	7,993	
Protectorate of New Guinea	.....	5,000	
Miscellaneous Services	466	15,204	1
Total, Chief Secretary ... ... £	9,784	996,214	1,00

No. 13.—Gross Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue, year ended 30th June, 1897—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Expenditure for Services— Of other years. (Liabilities contracted under old system.)	Of year ended 30th June, 1897.	Total.
Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade.	£	£	£
Treasury	.....	20,822	20,822
Stores and Stationery	.....	92,330	92,330
Government Printer	6,157	78,516	84,673
Customs	.....	53,037	53,037
Land and Income Tax	.....	55,658	55,658
Stamp Duties	.....	4,390	4,390
Board of Health	.....	20,130	20,130
Board of Pharmacy	.....	129	129
Board of Exports	.....	838	838
Marine Board	125	59,556	59,681
Shipping Masters	.....	2,182	2,182
Public Wharfs	.....	4,542	4,542
Mercantile Explosives	.....	7,119	7,119
Gold Receivers	.....	54	54
Gold and Escort	.....	291	291
Public Debt and Expenses—			
Commission on payment of Debentures and Interest on Debentures in Sydney	59	294	353
Commission on payments in England by Government Financial Agents	.....	2,000	2,000
Management and Expenses in connection with payment of half-yearly dividends on Inscribed Stock by Bank of England	68	18,558	18,626
Premium on Debentures—Railway Loan 31 Vic. No. 11	.....	303	303
Exchange on Remittances within and beyond Colony ...	.....	19,997	19,997
Discount on Bills of Exchange, &c.	.....	37	37
Interest—Trust Funds—			
On Funds belonging to Suitors in Equity and Lunacy Patients...	.....	1,661	1,661
On uninvested Funds at credit of Civil Service Superannuation Account	.....	6,929	6,929
On balance at credit of the Municipal Council of Sydney Sinking Fund Account...	.....	680	680
On balance at the credit of Bankruptcy Unclaimed Dividend Fund	.....	96	96
On balance at the credit of Bankruptcy Estates Account	.....	240	240
On special deposits of the Savings Bank of New South Wales	26	51,717	51,743
Supreme Court Moneys—			
Colonial Treasurer's Registrar in Bankruptcy Account	.....	60	60
Colonial Treasurer's Registrar of Probates Account	.....	163	163
Colonial Treasurer's Curator of Intestate Estates Account	.....	667	667
Carried forward ... ... £	6,435	502,996	509,431

No. 13.—Gross Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue, year ended 30th June, 1897—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Expenditure for Services— Of other years. (Liabilities contracted under old system.)	Of year ended 30th June, 1897.	Tot
	£	£	
Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—*continued.*			
Brought forward	6,435	502,996	509
Public Departments—			
Advertising	228	6,132	6
Telegraphic Messages...	.....	20,000	20
Postage	.....	30,403	30
Sewerage Rates—Public Buildings	.....	3,983	3
Water Rates—Public Buildings	.....	4,545	4
Insurance on Government Buildings, &c.	.....	221	
Private Letter-boxes for Public Departments ...	.....	394	
Legal Expenses	195	300	
Charitable Allowances:—			
Sailors' Home, Newcastle	.....	350	
Sailors' Home, Sydney	.....	350	
Relief and Conveyance of Distressed Seamen ...	.....	7	
Gratuities to Officers upon retirement, &c.	153	49,257	49
Adjustment of Salaries on revision by Public Service Board	.....	8,807	8
Prime Minister's visit to England	.....	1,000	1
Railway free passes to Members of Parliament, Distinguished Visitors, School Children and others...	.....	15,000	15
Unforeseen expenses	.....	2,153	2
Miscellaneous Services	321	1,528	1
Total, Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade (exclusive of Railways and Tramways) ... £	7,332	647,416	654
Railways and Tramways—			
*Existing Lines (Working Expenses).			
Railways (see also Special Appropriations, page 776.) ...	.....	1,578,643	1,578
Tramways (see also Special Appropriations, page 776.) ...	.....	243,355	243
Gratuities, Abatements, &c.	.....	5,152	5
Total, Railways and Tramways ... £	.....	1,827,150	1,827
Attorney-General.			
Attorney-General's Department	1,162	11,935	13
Crown Solicitor	.....	29,415	29
Total, Attorney-General ... ... £	1,162	41,350	42

* **Existing Lines.**—The amounts given under this head are exclusive of the salaries of the Railway Commissioner and the pension paid to the ex-Commissioner, which are included amongst the Special Appropriations, page 7

No. 13.—Gross Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue, year ended 30th June, 1897—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Expenditure for Services— Of other years. (Liabilities contracted under old system.)	Of year ended 30th June, 1897.	Total.
Secretary for Lands.	£	£	£
Department of Lands	.....	153,153	153,153
Land Agents, Appraisers, and others	.....	37,150	37,150
Land Appeal Court (see also page 776)	.....	1,368	1,368
Legal Expenses	.....	6,380	6,380
Surveys :—			
Survey of Lands	.....	69,250	69,250
Trigonometrical Survey of the Colony	.....	2,227	2,227
Detailed Survey of Cities, Towns, and Suburbs ...	.....	2,386	2,386
Public Parks and Recreation Reserves :—			
Improvement and Maintenance—			
Parks	.....	2,350	2,350
Recreation Reserves	.....	500	500
Purchase and Resumption of Sites	.....	14,153	14,153
Compensation, &c.—			
Deficient Areas, Improvements, Resumptions, &c....	.....	439	439
Minor Roads—Claims for Land taken, &c.... ...	.....	2,520	2,520
Public Cemeteries—Purchase and Resumption of Sites, &c. (see also Administration of Justice)	.....	2,413	2,413
Labour Settlements	.....	557	557
Gratuity	.....	500	500
Total, Secretary for Lands... ... £	.....	295,346	295,346
Secretary for Public Works.			
Department of Public Works, Establishment	.....	45,053	45,053
Roads and Bridges	100	547,767	547,867
Harbours and Rivers Navigation, Country Towns Water Supply and Sewerage, Docks, &c.	926	37,799	38,725
Dredge Service	.....	78,554	78,554
Architect	4,441	50,121	54,562
Boards :—			
Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, (see also page 776)	.....	69,783	69,783
Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board (see also page 776)	500	10,185	10,685
Miscellaneous Services	150	1,333	1,483
Total, Secretary for Public Works... £	6,117	840,595	846,712
Administration of Justice.			
Department of Justice	.....	7,980	7,980
Petty Sessions	47	84,691	84,738
Coroners	.....	7,311	7,311
District Courts	.....	6,988	6,988
Supreme Court :—			
Prothonotary	1,440	7,536	8,976
Master in Equity	.....	3,255	3,255
Bankruptcy	.....	2,406	2,400
Probate and Intestate Estates	.....	2,618	2,618
Sheriff	.....	21,190	21,190
Prisons	10	98,812	98,822
Patents and Copyright	.....	1,355	1,355
Cemetery Improvements (see also Secretary for Lands)	.....	650	650
Gratuities	.....	508	508
Miscellaneous Services	25	2,154	2,179
Total, Administration of Justice ... £	1,522	247,454	248,976

No. 13.—Gross Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue, year ended 30th June, 1897—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Expenditure for Services— Of other years. (Liabilities contracted under old system.)	Of year ended 30th June, 1897.	Tot
	£	£	
Public Instruction, Labour, and Industry.			
Public Instruction	.....	660,535	660
Educational and Scientific Institutions :—			
Free Public Library	.....	7,284	7
Observatory	.....	3,896	3
Australian Museum (see also page 776)	.....	5,134	5
Sydney University (see also page 775)	.....	7,092	7
National Art Gallery...	.....	3,967	3
Art Society of New South Wales	.....	500	
Royal Society	.....	500	
Royal Geographical Society of Australasia ...	29	49	
Instruction to the Blind	.....	500	
Other Educational Institutions	.....	5,611	5
Industrial Schools :—			
N.S.S. "Sobraon"	.....	7,893	7
Industrial School for Girls	.....	2,995	2
Labour and Industry Branch	.....	11,755	11
Centennial Park—Clearing, Levelling, &c.... ...	847	3,204	4
Miscellaneous Services	.....	1,275	1
Total, Public Instruction, Labour, and Industry £	876	722,190	723
Secretary for Mines and Agriculture.			
Department of Mines	383	66,073	66
Agriculture and Forestry...	.....	25,527	25
Public Watering-places and Artesian Boring	122	12,559	12
School of Mines and Assay Works	.....	1,355	1
Registrar of Brands	.....	639	
Imported Stock	.....	3,696	3
Management of Pounds and Commons	.....	82	
Pastures and Stock Protection Act	.....	1,591	1
Administration of Coal-mines Regulation Act	.....	491	
Subsidies to Agricultural Societies	.....	5,894	5
Distribution of Seed Wheat to Distressed Farmers (to be repaid)...	2,264	12,586	14
Expenses in connection with the Eradication of Phylloxera	.....	1,993	1
Special Grants to Pastoral, Agricultural, and Horticultural Societies...	350	4,578	4
Special Grants to encourage the Dairying Industry ...	.....	350	
Miscellaneous Services	258	454	
Total, Secretary for Mines and Agriculture £	3,377	137,868	141
Postmaster-General.			
Postal and Electric Telegraph Department	.....	476,967	476
Conveyance of Mails	.....	211,902	211
Cable Subsidies :—			
British and Australian	.....	13,151	13
New Caledonian	.....	2,000	2
Tasmanian	.....	1,972	1
Miscellaneous Services	.....	127	
Total, Postmaster-General... ... £	.....	706,119	706
Total Expenditure under Votes ... ... £	30,309	6,494,200	6,524

No. 13.—Gross Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue, year ended 30th June, 1897—*continued.*

SUMMARY.

Head of Expenditure.	Expenditure for Services— Of other years. (Liabilities contracted under old system.)	Of year ended 30th June, 1897.	Total.
	£	£	£
Special Appropriations—			
Schedules to Constitution Act	.....	45,629	45,629
Public Debt...	.....	2,383,671	2,383,671
Endowments	.....	43,590	43,590
Salaries, Allowances, &c.	.....	66,956	66,956
Pensions	.....	5,357	5,357
Refunds, Drawbacks, &c.	.....	179,504	179,504
Other	.....	70,913	70,913
Total ... ... £	.....	2,795,620	2,795,620
Annual Appropriations (Votes)—			
Supplement to Schedule B (Part of)	.....	1,512	1,512
Executive and Legislature	139	30,986	31,125
Chief Secretary	9,784	996,214	1,005,998
Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade ...	7,332	647,416	654,748
Railways and Tramways	.....	1,827,150	1,827,150
Attorney-General	1,162	41,350	42,512
Secretary for Lands	.....	295,346	295,346
Secretary for Public Works	6,117	840,595	846,712
Administration of Justice	1,522	247,454	248,976
Public Instruction, Labour, and Industry	876	722,190	723,066
Secretary for Mines and Agriculture	3,377	137,868	141,245
Postmaster-General	.....	706,119	706,119
Total ... ... £	30,309	6,494,200	6,524,509
Gross Expenditure (proper) ... ... £	30,309	9,289,820	9,320,129
*Advances made—		£	
To be recouped from sources other than Loans		125,191	211,637
" " Loans		86,446	
Gross Expenditure, including Advances ... ... £			9,531,766

*Advances.—Under the Appropriation Act sums are voted under the head of Advance Accounts, the chief of ich are the "Treasurer's Advance Account" and the "Prevention of Scab in Sheep Account."

No. 14.—Revenue and Expenditure of each Department, 1896–97.

Department.	Gross Revenue.	Gross Expenditure.	Department.	Gross Revenue.	Gross Expenditure.
	£	£		£	£
Special Appropriations ...	15,527	2,795,620	Annual Appropriations *continued*—		
Annual Appropriations—					
Supplement to Schedule B (part of)	.....	1,512	Secretary for Public Works	315,125	846,712
Executive and Legislature	298	31,125	Administration of Justice	205,313	248,976
Chief Secretary	64,102	1,005,998	Public Instruction, Labour and Industry	90,749	723,066
Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade...	2,524,052	654,748	Secretary for Mines and Agriculture	75,966	141,245
Railways	3,367,552	1,827,150	Postmaster-General ...	714,859	706,119
Attorney-General ...	1,733	42,512			
Secretary for Lands ...	1,911,724	295,346	Total... ... £	9,287,000	9,320,129

No. 15.—Revenue and Receipts, 1888–97.

Head.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	*1895.	†1896.	†1897.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Taxation—										
Customs	1,883,058	1,905,883	1,888,321	2,168,265	2,677,890	2,127,645	2,065,839	963,189	1,825,219	1,280,715
Excise	259,576	261,371	265,887	288,198	289,603	265,554	258,122	129,153	271,826	277,137
Stamps	409,658	379,519	460,975	326,778	340,794	311,723	297,062	147,581	318,304	382,345
Land tax	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	141,022
Income tax	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	27,658	305,316
Licenses	129,591	130,396	133,156	133,103	132,500	129,644	124,677	82,362	123,109	121,539
Total .. £	2,681,883	2,677,169	2,748,339	2,916,344	3,449,787	2,834,566	2,745,700	1,322,285	2,566,116	2,458,074
Land—										
Sales—Auction & Special	316,034	214,691	225,387	191,696	224,164	252,782	234,408	36,378	67,896	68,509
Conditional Purchases ..	896,249	934,480	1,050,271	1,078,816	971,225	1,012,988	1,030,061	841,706	1,069,727	1,060,375
Occupation—Pastoral ..	916,284	890,425	760,343	828,576	891,652	827,478	757,761	122,958	756,728	719,391
,, Mining ..	95,347	53,384	62,794	53,451	43,882	49,522	42,735	21,503	49,150	45,319
Miscellaneous Receipts	44,339	44,583	144,244	114,097	83,139	63,497	60,210	30,807	74,235	59,746
Total .. £	2,268,253	2,137,563	2,243,039	2,266,636	2,214,062	2,206,267	2,125,175	1,053,352	2,017,736	1,953,430
Services—										
Railways and Tramways	2,759,280	2,875,135	3,013,021	3,439,293	3,416,496	3,253,272	3,148,720	1,454,973	3,156,527	3,367,552
Post and Telegraphs ..	562,909	597,988	629,894	648,553	650,635	643,849	626,864	316,888	676,668	706,128
Water Supply & Sew'ge—										
Metropolitan	90,080	147,071	232,519	245,821	249,694	254,346	253,251	124,647	250,531	258,950
Hunter District ..	....	....	....	....	5,947	21,608	22,584	11,342	19,845	22,561
Public School Fees ..	69,554	72,320	71,827	75,916	77,524	73,267	70,693	35,189	73,519	74,408
Pilotage, Harbour and Light Rates, and Fees	63,056	67,355	54,609	68,280	65,287	51,203	58,684	25,710	66,259	57,141
Miscellaneous Services ..	109,805	161,898	166,645	122,001	120,302	114,397	104,039	48,060	111,441	112,976
Total .. £	3,654,693	3,921,767	4,169,415	4,599,854	4,585,885	4,411,942	4,284,835	2,016,800	4,354,790	4,599,706
Miscellaneous—										
Rents, exclusive of lands	64,073	66,825	55,652	70,643	98,279	88,337	81,364	42,383	89,864	92,749
Fines and Forfeitures ..	18,025	15,378	15,808	19,537	18,708	17,774	13,633	7,415	18,022	15,743
Country Towns Water Supply and Sewerage Works, Interest and Repayments	10,885	3,188	5,522	5,818	6,370	3,845	9,979	5,036	15,032	11,158
Unclassified Revenue ..	188,520	245,051	256,809	157,353	128,013	144,003	198,549	111,289	192,372	156,157
Total .. £	281,503	330,442	333,791	253,351	251,370	253,959	303,525	166,123	315,297	275,700

Summary of Total Revenue.

Taxation	2,681,883	2,677,169	2,748,339	2,916,344	3,449,787	2,834,566	2,745,700	1,322,285	2,566,116	2,458,074
Land	2,268,253	2,137,563	2,243,039	2,266,636	2,214,062	2,206,267	2,125,175	1,053,352	2,017,736	1,953,430
Services	3,654,693	3,921,767	4,169,415	4,599,854	4,585,885	4,411,942	4,284,835	2,016,800	4,354,790	4,599,706
Miscellaneous	281,503	330,442	333,791	253,351	251,370	253,959	303,525	166,123	315,297	275,700
Gross Revenue (proper) £	8,886,332	9,066,941	9,494,584	10,036,185	10,501,104	9,706,731	9,459,235	4,558,569	9,253,939	9,287,000
Refunds (including charges on collections)	172,148	191,211	188,893	263,405	327,537	207,482	158,492	80,054	179,161	179,556
Net Revenue (proper) £	8,714,184	8,875,730	9,305,691	9,772,780	10,173,567	9,499,252	9,300,743	4,478,515	9,074,778	9,107,445

Revenue per Inhabitant.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Taxation	2 11 9	2 10 2	2 9 11	2 11 0	2 18 5	2 6 10	2 4 5	1 1 2	2 0 2	1 17 11
Land	2 3 9	2 0 1	2 0 9	1 19 8	1 17 6	1 16 5	1 14 4	0 16 9	1 11 7	1 1[illegible] 1
Services	3 10 7	3 13 7	3 15 8	4 0 5	3 17 7	3 12 11	3 9 3	1 12 3	3 8 2	3 10 [illegible]
Miscellaneous	0 5 5	0 6 2	0 6 0	0 4 5	0 4 3	0 4 2	0 4 11	0 2 8	0 4 11	0 4 4
Gross Revenue (proper) ...	8 11 6	8 10 0	8 12 4	8 15 6	8 17 9	8 0 4	7 12 11	3 12 10	7 4 10	7 3 [illegible]
Refunds (including charges on collections)	0 3 4	0 3 7	0 3 5	0 4 7	0 5 6	0 3 5	0 2 7	0 1 3	0 2 10	0 2 9
Net Revenue (proper) ...	8 8 2	8 6 5	8 8 11	8 10 11	8 12 3	7 16 11	7 10 4	3 11 7	7 2 6	7 0 [illegible]

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

No. 16.—Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue, 1888–97.

Total Expenditure.

Service.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	*1895.	†1896.	†1897.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Public Debt—										
Interest	1,702,595	1,760,274	1,857,656	1,874,616	1,715,096	2,440,326	2,255,255	1,133,566	2,262,997	2,267,861
Redemptions	44,588	49,519	39,203	105,400	115,196	111,897	107,502	21,561	111,752	116,113
Railways & Tramways—										
Existing Lines	1,812,296	1,804,033	2,043,080	2,363,032	2,156,671	1,901,347	1,747,925	881,520	1,883,543	1,833,263
Post and Telegraphs ..	616,371	628,182	648,993	694,732	759,209	774,502	750,196	394,298	745,343	706,119
Public Instruction—										
Primary	598,347	616,440	650,642	690,202	778,531	717,543	674,227	363,096	705,840	660,535
Other	105,747	96,464	80,945	80,611	80,012	87,787	61,931	28,243	52,359	46,576
Immigration	7,854	8,073	5,916	4,564	2,333	3,106	2,109	695	547	486
Hospitals and Charities ..	261,703	374,316	269,866	285,139	282,177	320,223	336,610	241,031	379,660	336,463
Military and Naval ..	151,070	209,214	241,148	281,786	321,449	220,094	259,663	151,923	221,442	211,827
Customs	62,467	69,301	63,145	59,764	73,036	76,899	74,998	39,570	71,839	53,198
Other Services	3,301,076	3,576,839	3,502,968	3,888,827	4,083,203	3,485,298	3,066,804	1,668,850	3,266,896	3,087,688
Gross Expenditure (proper)	8,664,114	9,192,655	9,403,562	10,328,673	10,366,913	10,139,022	9,337,230	4,924,353	9,702,218	9,320,129
Refunds (including charges on collections)	172,148	191,211	188,893	263,067	435,502	207,364	158,524	80,054	179,161	179,504
Net Expenditure (proper)	8,491,966	9,001,444	9,214,669	10,065,606	9,931,411	9,931,658	9,178,706	4,844,299	9,523,057	9,140,625

Expenditure per Inhabitant.

Service.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	*1895.	†1896.	†1897.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Public Debt—										
Interest	1 12 10	1 13 0	1 13 8	1 12 9	1 9 1	2 0 4	1 16 5	0 18 0	1 15 5	1 14 11
Redemptions	0 0 11	0 0 11	0 0 8	0 1 10	0 1 11	0 1 10	0 1 9	0 0 4	0 1 9	0 1 10
Railways & Tramways—										
Existing Lines	1 15 0	1 13 10	1 17 2	2 1 3	1 16 5	1 11 5	1 8 3	0 14 0	1 9 6	1 8 3
Post and Telegraphs ..	0 11 11	0 11 9	0 11 10	0 12 2	0 12 10	0 12 10	0 12 2	0 6 3	0 11 8	0 10 11
Public Instruction—										
Primary	0 11 7	0 11 7	0 11 10	0 12 1	0 13 2	0 11 10	0 10 11	0 5 9	0 11 1	0 10 2
Other	0 2 0	0 1 10	0 1 5	0 1 5	0 1 4	0 1 5	0 1 0	0 0 5	0 0 10	0 0 9
Immigration	0 0 2	0 0 2	0 0 1	0 0 1	0 0 1	0 0 1	....	....	....	....
Hospitals and Charities ..	0 5 0	0 7 0	0 4 11	0 5 0	0 4 10	0 5 4	0 5 5	0 3 10	0 5 11	0 5 2
Military and Naval ..	0 2 11	0 3 11	0 4 4	0 4 11	0 5 5	0 3 6	0 4 2	0 2 5	0 3 6	0 3 3
Customs	0 1 3	0 1 4	0 1 2	0 1 1	0 1 3	0 1 3	0 1 3	0 0 8	0 1 1	0 0 10
Other Services	3 3 9	3 7 1	3 3 7	3 8 0	3 9 2	2 17 8	2 9 7	1 6 6	2 11 1	2 7 7
Gross Expenditure (proper)	8 7 4	8 12 5	8 10 8	9 0 7	8 15 6	8 7 6	7 10 11	3 18 2	7 11 10	7 3 8
Refunds (including charges on collections)	0 3 4	0 3 7	0 3 5	0 4 7	0 7 5	0 3 5	0 2 7	0 1 3	0 2 10	0 2 9
Net Expenditure (proper)	8 4 0	8 8 10	8 7 3	8 16 0	8 8 1	8 4 1	7 8 4	3 16 11	7 9 0	7 0 11

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

No. 17.—Cost of General Government and other Services, 1888–97.

Classification.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	*1895.	†1896.	†1897.
TOTAL EXPENDITURE.										
General Government.										
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Net Revenue	5,894,357	5,884,127	6,083,035	6,113,606	6,418,853	5,997,554	5,906,447	2,916,981	5,683,403	5,491,91[illegible]
Net Expenditure, including Interest on Loan Capital of Services connected with General Government	5,293,763	5,735,473	5,616,824	6,113,186	6,267,810	6,003,848	5,548,131	3,046,342	5,863,385	5,412,40[illegible]
Excess of Revenue ..	600,594	148,654	466,211	420	151,043	....	358,316	....	....	79,51[illegible]
,, Expenditure	....	....	....	.....	.....	6,294	....	129,361	179,982	....
Other Services—Railways, Tramways, Metropolitan and Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage.										
Net Revenue	2,819,827	2,991,603	3,222,656	3,659,512	3,646,749	3,501,816	3,394,264	1,561,534	3,391,375	3,615,580
Net Working Expenses and Interest on Loan Capital of these Services, including repayments of Loans	3,198,203	3,265,971	3,597,845	3,952,420	3,063,601	3,927,810	3,630,575	1,797,957	3,659,672	3,728,225
Excess of Revenue ..	....	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....
,, Expenditure	378,376	274,368	375,189	292,908	16,852	425,994	236,311	236,423	268,297	112,645
EXPENDITURE PER INHABITANT.										
General Government.										
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Net Revenue	5 13 9	5 10 4	5 10 5	5 6 11	5 10 6	4 19 1	4 15 6	2 7 2	4 8 11	4 4 [illegible]
Net Expenditure, including Interest on Loan Capital of Services connected with General Government	5 2 3	5 7 7	5 1 11	5 6 11	5 6 1	4 19 3	4 9 8	2 8 8	4 11 9	4 3 5
Excess of Revenue ..	0 11 7	0 2 9	0 8 6	.....	0 2 7	....	0 5 9	....	....	0 1 [illegible]
,, Expenditure	....	....	....	.....	.....	0 0 2	....	0 2 0	0 2 10	....
Other Services—Railways, Tramways, Metropolitan Water Supply and Sewerage.										
Net Revenue	2 14 5	2 16 1	2 18 6	3 4 0	3 1 9	2 17 10	2 14 10	1 4 5	2 13 1	2 15 9
Net Working Expenses and Interest on Loan Capital of these Services, including repayments of Loans	3 1 9	3 1 3	3 5 4	3 9 1	3 2 0	3 4 10	2 18 8	1 8 3	2 17 3	2 17 [illegible]
Excess of Revenue ..	....	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....
,, Expenditure	0 7 4	0 5 2	0 6 10	0 5 1	0 0 3	0 7 0	0 3 10	0 3 10	0 4 2	0 [illegible] 1

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

No. 18.—Amount of Trust Funds, 1871-97.

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
	£		£		£
1871	213,340	1880	1,190,130	1889	3,175,484
1872	321,766	1881	1,671,183	1890	3,381,992
1873	472,437	1882	1,884,899	1891	4,997,055
1874	530,399	1883	2,200,896	1892	4,536,756
1875	757,909	1884	2,384,480	1893	5,859,503
1876	854,571	1885	2,515,110	1894	6,544,001
1877	1,006,425	1886	2,702,486	*1895	7,025,660
1878	990,284	1887	2,731,036	†1896	7,657,741
1879	986,729	1888	3,172,056	†1897	8,672,742

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

No. 19.—Investment of Trust Funds, 30th June, 1897.

Account.	*Amount Invested in Government Securities.	*Amount Uninvested (used in Advances and Public Account). On which Interest is paid.	On which Interest is not paid.	Total Amount of Trust Funds on 30th June, 1897.
	£	£	£	£
General Trust Funds (subject to Audit Act)—				
Civil Service Superannuation Account	338,000	112,199	.....	450,199
Public Instruction Endowment Account	193,872	.....	1,144	195,016
Police Reward Fund	.....	.....	1,591	1,591
Police Superannuation Fund	.....	.....	2,042	2,042
Trust Moneys Account	.....	.....	282	282
Special Deposits Account—				
Government Savings Bank Account	3,793,367	643,370	.....	4,436,737
Savings Bank of New South Wales—Deposit Account	.....	2,165,000	.....	2,165,000
Assurance Fund, Real Property Act	140,900	.....	15,530	156,430
Railway Construction Store Account	.....	.....	102,445	102,445
Railway Store Account	.....	.....	240,982	240,982
Perpetual Trustee Company (Limited)	20,000	.....	.....	20,000
Permanent Trustee Company of New South Wales (Limited)	20,000	.....	.....	20,000
Municipal Council of Sydney Sinking Fund	6,500	19,097	.....	25,597
Bankruptcy Estates Account	7,000	8,000	.....	15,000
Deposits under Land Acts	.....	.....	23,537	23,537
Money Orders due in London Account	.....	.....	6,609	6,609
Over Issues Loan Votes Account	.....	.....	95,161	95,161
Penrith Municipal Council Debentures Account	.....	.....	13,000	13,000
Railway Suspense Account	.....	.....	6,288	6,288
Revenue Suspense Account	.....	.....	9,116	9,116
Store Advance Account—Metropolitan Water and Sewerage	.....	.....	15,748	15,748
Treasury Guarantee Fund	.....	.....	8,619	8,619
Bankruptcy Unclaimed Dividend Fund	.....	6,787	.....	6,787
Wollongong Harbour Trust	.....	.....	5,386	5,386
Other Deposits	4,000	.....	41,126	45,126
Total General Trust Funds £	4,523,639	2,954,453	588,606	8,066,698
Special Trust Funds (not subject to Audit Act)—				
Railway Loan Redemption Fund	.....	.....	75,000	75,000
New South Wales 1924 Stock Redemption Fund	.....	.....	13,204	13,204
" " 1925 " "	.....	.....	14,817	14,817
Treasury Notes Withdrawal Account	.....	.....	110	110
Colonial Treasurer's—				
Master in Equity Account	276,770	86,118	.....	362,888
Curator of Intestate Estates Account	.....	67,550	.....	67,550
Master in Lunacy Account	41,784	17,804	.....	59,588
Registrar in Bankruptcy Account	.....	1,638	.....	1,638
Prothonotary Account	.....	.....	2,228	2,228
Registrar of Probates Account	.....	9,021	.....	9,021
Total Special Trust Funds £	318,554	182,131	105,359	606,044
Grand Total £	4,842,193	3,136,584	693,965	8,672,742

* Additional Statement.

Invested in Government Securities	£4,842,193
Advances to Special Suspense, and Loan Accounts	2,193,635
Amount at short call (Fixed Deposits and Cash Credit Balance)	1,636,914
Total	£8,672,742

No. 20.—Distribution of Trust Funds, 30th June, 1897.

Particulars.		Amount.	
		£	£
General Trust Funds (subject to Audit Act)—			
Advances—			
General Post Office New Street Resumption Suspense Account		469,263	
Centennial Park Suspense Account		224,372	
Advances to General Loan Account		1,500,000	
			2,193,635
Treasury Bills—			
Deficiency of 31st December, 1886, and previous years ...		1,239,100	
" from 1st January, 1837, to 30th June, 1895 ...		1,024,700	
			2,263,800
Debentures and Stock—			
4 per cent. Debentures		224,400	
5 " "		9,700	
New South Wales 4 per cents. (36 Vic. No. 21)		403,249	
" " Funded Stock (56 Vic. No. 1)		1,042,490	
" " " " (58 Vic. No. 14)		30,000	
" " " " (59 Vic No. 6)		380,000	
" " 1924 " (58 Vic. No. 14)		20,000	
" " 1925 " (59 Vic. No. 6)		150,000	
			2,259,839
Securities other than Government—			
Penrith Municipal Council		13,000	
Wollongong Harbour Trust		5,386	
Sundry Persons' Fixed Deposits		380	
			18,766
Cash Balances used in the Public Account—			
Working Balances...		880,658	
Fixed Deposits—	£		
Bank of New South Wales	300,000		
City Bank of Sydney...	150,000	450,000	
			1,330,658
Total General Trust Funds			8,06
Special Trust Funds (not subject to Audit Act)—			
Treasury Bills—Deficiency of 1886 and previous years			213,784
New South Wales Funded Stock (56 Vic. No. 1)			104,770
Cash Balances used in Public Account...			287,496
Total Special Trust Funds			6[illegible]
Grand Total...			£8,07[illegible]

Classes of Trust Funds.—The funds are divided into two classes—those operated upon directly by the T and those operated upon by officers of departments in whose names the accounts stand. The funds operated upon by the Treasury are subject to the Audit Act, and with the Consolidated Revenue Fund do not enter the "Public Ac as defined by the Treasury. The other trust funds are not subject to the Audit Act, for the [illegible] Account; they are, however, part of the "General Account," and as such constitute portion of the "General Account."

No. 21.—Rates of Interest on Trust Funds, 30th June, 1897.

Class of Trust Fund.	Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.			Tr[illegible] Trust F[illegible]
		[illegible] per cent.	per cent.	[illegible] per cent.	
	£	£	£	£	£
Invested...	18,705	2,602,084	2,163,409	9,700	4,860,
Uninvested	675,160	3,005,289	131,295	Nil.	3,811,
Total ... ... £	693,865	5,074,373	2,294,704	9,700	8,672,

Section II.—LOAN EXPENDITURE and PUBLIC DEBT.

No. 22.—Loan Expenditure authorised, 1875-97.

Year.	Amount authorised— For Public Works and Services.	For Redemption of Loans.	Total.	Year.	Amount authorised— For Public Works and Services.	For Redemption of Loans	Total.
	£	£	£		£	£	£
1875	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	1887	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
1876	2,236,000	Nil.	2,236,000	1888	3,641,305	1,390,600	5,031,905
1877	1,120,000	Nil.	1,120,000	1889	4,366,696	723,200	5,089,896
1878	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	1890	4,982,957	2,038,800	7,021,757
1879	7,352,768	Nil.	7,352,768	1891	4,000,000	Nil.	4,000,000
1880	1,262,000	Nil.	1,262,000	1892	4,414,568	Nil.	4,414,568
1881	8,807,500	Nil.	8,807,500	1893	839,806	40,000	879,806
1882	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	1894	1,690,662	832,000	2,522,662
1883	2,000,000	Nil.	2,000,000	1895	1,555,200	977,400	2,532,600
1884	14,388,303	Nil.	14,388,303	1896	2,205,576	65,800	2,271,376
1885	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	1897	1,810,952	177,200	1,988,152
1886	3,115,393	Nil.	3,115,393				

Treasury Bills in aid of Revenue.—The Treasury Bills authorised in 1889 and 1895, amounting to £2,600,000 and 1,174,700, respectively, which were issued to cover deficiencies in revenue, have not been included in the above table.

No. 23.—Loan Expenditure authorised under Loan Act of 1897.

Service.	Permanent and Reproductive Works for which no provision is made for Sinking Fund.	Other Works for which provision is made for Sinking Fund.	Total.
	£	£	£
Railways	605,175	.....	605,175
Tramways	70,000	.....	70,000
Harbours and Rivers	361,550	26,796	388,346
Roads and Bridges	137,600	59,751	197,351
Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage	142,250	.....	142,250
Sewerage Construction	22,580	.....	22,580
Government Architect...	163,250	58,460	221,710
Telegraphs and Telephones	50,000	.....	50,000
Department of Public Instruction, Labour and Industry	50,000	.....	50,000
„ Mines and Agriculture	13,900	5,000	18,900
Military Works...	.....	39,540	39,540
Other Services	.....	5,100	5,100
Total Public Works and Services	1,616,305	194,647	1,810,952
Repayment of Loans	177,200	.....	177,200
Total ... ... £	1,793,505	194,647	1,988,152

No. 24.—Expenditure on Public Works, 1890–97.

(Exclusive of cost of establishment.)

Year.	Expenditure from— Consolidated Revenue.	Expenditure from— Loans.	Total. Amount.	Total. Per Inhabitant.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1890	1,227,380	2,141,218	3,368,598	3 1 2
1891	1,486,803	4,750,167	6,236,970	5 9 1
1892	1,387,203	3,014,680	4,401,883	3 14 6
1893	1,101,251	1,913,580	3,014,831	2 9 10
1894	762,867	1,330,046	2,092,913	1 13 10
*1895	469,263	656,625	1,125,888	0 17 10
†1896	978,497	1,270,898	2,249,395	1 15 2
†1897	854,871	1,548,105	2,402,976	1 17 0

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

No. 25.—Expenditure on Public Works during year ended 30th June, 1897.

(Exclusive of cost of establishment.)

Service.	Expenditure from— Consolidated Revenue.	Expenditure from— Loans.	Total. Amount.	Total. Per Inhabitant.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.
Railways and Tramways	†170,431	476,674	647,105	0 10 0
Harbours, Rivers, Docks, Wharfs, &c.	38,725	240,172	278,897	0 4 3
Roads and Bridges	†494,980	55,004	549,984	0 8 5
Water Supply and Sewerage	500	342,930	343,430	0 5 4
Water Conservation, Irrigation, and Artesian Boring...	Nil.	97,179	97,179	0 1 6
Telegraphs and Telephones	Nil.	68,664	68,664	0 1 1
Endowments to Municipalities	59,392	Nil.	59,392	0 0 11
*Military and Naval Works	Nil.	11,102	11,102	0 0 2
Public Buildings, &c., including land resumptions ...	†90,843	256,380	347,223	0 5 4
Total ... ... £	854,871	1,548,105	2,402,976	1 17 0

* Exclusive of payments made in connection with Defences of Thursday Island (Queensland) and Albany (Western Australia
† Includes maintenance.

No. 26.—Annual and Total Loan Expenditure on Public Works, 1855–97.

(Exclusive of conversions and renewals.)

Year.	During each Year. Amount.	During each Year. Per inhabitant.	At the close of each Year. Amount.	At the close of each Year. Per inhabitant.
	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.
1855	564,702	2 5 1	804,749	3 0 6
1860	377,564	1 2 0	3,050,654	8 15 0
1865	554,872	1 7 9	5,395,335	13 3 9
1870	621,913	1 5 4	8,450,937	16 18 11
1875	1,149,152	1 19 4	11,312,377	19 0 8
1880	1,668,638	2 5 8	16,395,351	21 18 5
1885	3,896,145	4 4 0	32,462,040	34 3 9
1886	3,766,356	3 17 8	36,228,396	36 12 5
1887	1,965,019	1 19 1	38,193,415	37 8 8
1888	2,076,307	2 0 1	40,269,722	38 6 3
1889	1,464,900	1 7 6	41,734,622	38 11 7
1890	2,299,751	2 1 9	44,034,373	39 5 0
1891	4,750,167	4 3 1	48,784,540	41 17 3
1892	3,014,680	2 11 0	51,799,220	43 5 0
1893	1,929,580	1 11 11	53,728,800	43 18 4
1894	1,330,046	1 1 6	55,058,846	43 19 11
*1895	659,125	0 10 7	55,717,971	43 18 9
†1896	1,279,098	1 0 1	56,997,069	44 3 10
†1897	1,548,105	1 3 10	58,545,174	44 12 10

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

No. 27.—Annual Loan Expenditure, 1892–97.

Service.	1892.	1893.	1894.	*1895.	†1896.	†1897.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Railways	1,795,687	987,375	508,069	235,245	378,094	454,039
Tramways	39,240	155,955	93,766	16,108	8,031	22,635
Telegraphs and Telephones	25,837	15,965	5,202	7,442	36,709	68,664
Water Supply and Sewerage—						
Water Supply—						
Metropolitan	163,179	53,852	24,117	27,204	88,189	101,919
Hunter District	696	.....	.....	2,218	16,753	21,933
Country Towns and Mining Townships	30,771	65,038	55,425	46,938	41,311	29,880
Sewerage—						
Metropolitan	280,766	141,223	204,499	84,707	154,754	167,783
Buildings and Stores	.....	12,661	5,059	157	920	5,165
Country Towns	.....	.....	.....	206	2,381	16,250
Water Conservation and Irrigation	77,632	65,157	32,566	11,736	48,297	97,179
Harbours and Rivers Navigation—						
Wharfs, including resumption	47,837	18,692	140,953	24,977	42,667	39,011
Docks	1,360	2	.....	.....	.....	1,555
Harbours	58,653	59,437	41,578	44,550	94,087	55,859
Rivers	33,215	45,974	47,010	62,616	40,482	81,044
Navigation	44,275	23,729	160	1,591	15,088	6,070
Alteration of Dredges..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,301
Reclamation Works	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	43,332
Roads and Bridges	90,027	63,305	28,097	5,820	40,902	55,004
Fortifications and Military Works, and Naval Station, Sydney Harbour	77,851	51,797	48,979	11,624	21,975	11,102
Public Works, Buildings, &c.—						
Charitable Institutions	11,133	45,821	42,708	11,229	30,446	56,734
Administration of Justice	56,461	34,558	4,077	9,078	63,331	49,156
Educational	36,226	3,399	4,218	7,408	21,788	32,306
Public Instruction, School Buildings, &c.	56,764	33,093	2,000	109	1,006	14,000
Other Public Buildings and Works	87,070	38,080	40,963	32,173	79,726	52,020
Purchase of Sites and Erection of Buildings for Local Land Boards and Survey Offices	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,471
Forest Reserves, for thinning out and improving.. ..	.....	.....	.....	13,489	39,518	11,002
Compensation for cancellations under Mining Act of 1889	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,353	13
To promote settlement under Crown Lands Act of 1895..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	36,678
	3,014,680	1,915,133	1,330,046	656,625	1,270,898	1,548,105
Less Repayment to credit of Votes, &c... £	.....	1,553	.....	.....	.....	.....
	3,014,680	1,913,580	1,330,046	656,625	1,270,898	1,548,105
Municipal Works taken over by the State: (the expenditure on these Works is not rightly chargeable to the years in which the transfers were made) ..	.....	16,000	.....	2,500	8,200	.....
Total Expenditure on Public Works, &c. £	3,014,680	1,929,580	1,330,046	659,125	1,279,098	1,548,105
Loans repaid by New Loans (including Treasury Bills) ..	1,799,100	40,300	1,250,400	821,900	1,224,200	2,201,800
Total .. .. .. £	4,813,780	1,969,880	2,580,446	1,481,025	2,503,298	3,749,905

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

No. 28.—Total Loan Expenditure to 30th June, 1897.

Head of Expenditure.	Amount. £	Amount. £
Railways	.....	38,022,[illegible]
Tramways	.....	1,951,[illegible]
Telegraphs and Telephones	.....	885,[illegible]
Water Supply and Sewerage—		
Water Supply—		
Sydney	2,654,569	
County of Cumberland	685,087	
Compensation to Municipal Council of Sydney for Lands resumed under Water Supply Act 17 Vic. No. 35	43,262	
Municipal Council of the City of Sydney Waterworks	85,000	
Hunter District Water Supply	34,356	
Newcastle Borough Council—Water Supply Works	16,000	
Country Towns	742,298	
Sewerage—		
Sydney	2,386,511	
Municipal Council of the City of Sydney Sewerage Works	126,000	
" " of Darlington Sewerage Works	5,000	
" " of Redfern "	27,532	
" " of Balmain "	2,500	
" " of Ashfield "	8,200	
Country Towns	10,480	
Water Supply and Sewerage (Buildings and Stores)—		
Sydney	423,742	
Stores Advance Account	36,000	
		17,[illegible]
Water Conservation, Artesian Boring, &c.	.....	580,[illegible]
Harbours and Rivers Navigation—		
Wharfage accommodation, Sydney	1,177,925	
Wharfs and appliances	301,541	
Improvements, &c., Harbours and Rivers	951,924	
Breakwaters	34[illegible]	
Lighthouses	94,387	
Harbour of Refuge, Trial Bay	77,795	
Dock accommodation	31[illegible]	
Bridges and Piers	372,[illegible]	
Reclamation Works	3[illegible]	
New Pilot Steamer	23,[illegible]	
		[illegible]
Roads and Bridges	.....	[illegible]
Fortifications and Military Works	.....	1,[illegible]
Public Works, Buildings, &c.—		
Public Buildings	1,4[illegible]	
Public Buildings and Works for Educational and Scientific purposes	77[illegible]	
Reformatories, Hospitals, and Benevolent Asylums	1[illegible]	
Public Works and [illegible] generally	17[illegible]	
Purchase of Estates and [illegible] for Local Land Boards and District Surveyors' offices	15,[illegible]	
Land resumptions generally	4[illegible]	
		[illegible]
Compensation for cancellation of selections of lands under Land Act of 1884, and Mining Act of 1889	.....	[illegible]
*Immigration	.....	194
Total Expenditure on Public Works in New South Wales	.....	5[illegible]
Public Works, Queensland [illegible] portion	.....	[illegible]
Total Expenditure on Public Works	.....	5[illegible]
Loans repaid by New South Wales—		
Loans [illegible]	7,[illegible]	
Deficiency [illegible] Revenue for Immigration	[illegible]	
Treasury Bills [illegible]	[illegible]	+11,[illegible]
Total [illegible] Redemptions	£	60,[illegible]

* Immigration. [illegible] of £[illegible] [illegible] the maximum [illegible] of Loans Account, which, with the already stated (£[illegible]) gives a total expenditure on Immigration to 30th June, 1897, of £919,163.

* See note to Table No. 29 re Water Supply and Sewerage.

No. 29.—Balance-sheet of General Loan Account on 30th June, 1897.

DR.			£	£
easury Bills, Debentures, Inscribed				
d Funded Stock to 30th June, 1897.				
Total authorised			80,533,238	
Less not sold			13,293,160	
	Sold.			
	Redeemed.	Outstanding, 30th June, 1897.		
	£	£		
ıtures ..	From Revenue, 3,764,550	10,695,150		
.. ..		47,896,764		
r Loan				
rvices ..	By New Loan, 11,401,030	5,000		
aid of Revenue		2,477,584		
£	15,165,580	61,074,498	76,240,078	
Less Interest, Discount, and charges			2,836,761	
ınt available for Expenditure on orks			.....	73,403,317
-Amount of proceeds included in Public Debt Statement, but not credited to either Old or General Loan Accounts:—				
Immigration			724,733	
Treasury Bills in aid of Revenue—				
53 Vic. No. 9			2,502,884	
59 Vic. No. 22			1,174,700	
werage Works taken over:—				
Ashfield Council			1,500	
North Sydney			4,400	
nount over-raised under Act 16 Vic. No. 39, paid to Sydney Railway Company			7,365	
nounts over-raised and credited to Consolidated Revenue Fund:—				
Act 35 Vic. No. 5			445	
Act 36 Vic. No. 2			15,834	
Act 52 Vic. No. 16			25,117	
				4,456,978
				68,946,339
ld—Amount transferred from Consolidated Revenue under terms of Act 41 Vic. No. 8, to make good amount short-raised, Loan Act 36 Vic. No. 17			175,839	
Amount short-raised on part issue of Loan 16 Vic. No. 39			929	
Amount advanced from Consolidated Revenue Fund in anticipation of loans.. ..			1,500,000	
				1,676,768
			£	70,623,107

CR.	£	£
By Railways	38,412,306	
Tramways	1,861,493	
Telephones and Telephones ..	935,396	
Water Supply and Sewerage ..	*7,286,557	
Water Conservation, Artesian Boring, &c.	500,027	
Harbours and Rivers Navigation	4,059,937	
Roads and Bridges	989,573	
Fortifications and Military Works	1,242,006	
†Immigration	194,430	
Public Works, Buildings, &c. ..	3,013,594	
Total Expenditure in N.S.W..	.....	58,495,319
Public Works, Queensland, prior to separation	.....	49,855
Redemptions—		
Loans repaid under various acts	7,024,630	
Debenture debt due by Territorial Revenue for Immigration	375,500	
Treasury Bills for Loan Services repaid..	3,995,000	
		11,395,130
Cr. Balance, 30th June, 1897 ..	.....	682,903
		70,623,107

* Includes £5,900, municipal debentures paid off, which have been regarded by the Treasury as ordinary expenditure ıich, taken with the £11,395,130 shown above as redemptions, will give the amount (£11,401,030) which appears ıs redeemed in Table No. 33.

† See note to Table No. 28 *re* Immigration.

Reconciliation of Loan Expenditure with Public Debt.—The above Balance Sheet shows a reconciliation ɜn the statement of Loan Expenditure on works given in Table No. 28, and the Public Debt as shown in Table No. 30.

SUPPLEMENTARY STATEMENT.

POSITION OF THE PUBLIC DEBT ON 30TH JUNE, 1897.

ed Debt:—	£	£
nount of Debentures, Funded and Inscribed Stock sold to 30th June, 1897	68,562,494	
ıdeemed— £		
By New Loans .. 7,406,030		
From Revenue .. 2,564,550		
	9,970,580	
tal Funded Debt	.....	58,591,914

Unfunded Debt:—	£	£
Amount of Treasury Bills sold to 30th June, 1897	7,677,584	
Redeemed—		
From General Loan £ Account 3,995,000		
From Revenue .. 1,200,000		
	5,195,000	
Total Unfunded Debt	.....	2,482,584

Public Debt on 30th June, 1897 .. .. £61,074,498

Unfunded Debt.—As Treasury Bills do not form part of the Funded Debt, the Bills disappear from the Debt State- hen the last payment in redemption thereof has been made.

No. 30.—Public Debt, 1855–97.

Treasury Bills, Debentures, and Stock, at close of each year—

Year.	Authorised.	Sold.	Redeemed.			Public Debt	
			From Consolidated Revenue.	By New Loans.	Total.	Total.	Inh
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1855	2,126,184	1,283,000	282,200	.....	282,200	1,000,800	3
1860	5,012,324	4,921,030	329,700	761,100	1,090,800	3,830,230	10
1865	9,306,603	6,869,030	358,300	761,100	1,119,400	5,749,630	14
1870	12,900,431	11,100,530	358,300	1,061,100	1,419,400	9,681,130	19
1875	15,155,844	13,660,037	479,600	1,709,800	2,189,400	11,470,637	19
1880	27,333,964	17,986,519	1,371,870	1,710,730	3,082,600	14,903,919	19
1881	36,141,464	20,040,719	1,405,970	1,710,730	3,116,700	16,924,019	21
1882	36,141,464	22,040,719	1,608,770	1,710,730	3,319,500	18,721,219	22
1883	38,141,464	28,045,719	1,702,530	1,710,730	3,413,260	24,632,459	28
1884	51,824,267	33,550,719	1,738,030	1,710,730	3,448,760	30,101,959	33
1885	51,824,267	39,050,719	1,775,730	1,710,730	3,486,460	35,564,259	37
1886	54,939,660	44,550,719	1,805,740	1,710,730	3,516,470	41,034,249	41
1887	54,939,660	44,560,719	1,854,640	1,710,730	3,565,370	40,995,349	40
1888	60,056,565	48,188,619	1,897,740	2,197,830	4,095,570	44,093,049	43
1889	65,146,461	53,595,719	1,943,240	3,098,930	5,042,170	48,553,549	44
1890	74,929,218	54,331,503	2,131,240	3,816,930	5,948,170	48,383,333	43
1891	74,929,218	59,325,703	2,311,640	4,063,330	6,374,970	52,950,733	45
1892	83,119,494	62,837,203	2,501,340	5,862,430	8,363,770	54,473,433	45
1893	84,015,300	67,919,103	2,687,340	5,902,730	8,590,070	59,329,033	48
1894	86,537,962	69,058,533	2,879,250	7,153,130	10,032,380	59,026,153	47
*1895	86,540,462	69,086,213	2,890,250	7,975,030	10,865,280	58,220,933	45
†1896	87,257,462	74,673,353	3,062,750	9,199,230	12,261,980	62,411,373	48
†1897	89,533,238	76,240,078	3,764,550	11,401,030	15,165,580	61,074,498	46

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

Increase or Decrease in Debt.—The difference between the amounts outstanding at the [illegible] not, as a rule, represent the actual increase or decrease in the debt. Repayments of loans are [illegible] head of renewals, and in following out this practice, it is usually found necessary to [illegible] before the due date of the maturing loan, hence the liability appears twice in the Debt statement [illegible] are retired.

No. 31.—Annual Interest and Charges of Public Debt, 1888–97.

Year.	Interest.	Redemption, including premium on purchase of Debentures, a portion of Railway Loan, 37 Vict. No. 22.	Expenses connected with Management of Loans and Stock, Bank of England.	Commission paid to Financial Agents in England and New South Wales	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£
1888	1,702,545	44,588	13,160	2,862	1,7[illegible]
1889	1,760,274	44,516	14,426	4,202	1,8[illegible]
1890	1,857,050	33,203	15,855	3,008	1,[illegible]
1891	1,874,010	105,400	15,080	2,389	1,[illegible]
1892	1,715,046	115,176	18,259	3,410	1,[illegible]
1893	2,440,320	111,897	10,057	1,384	2,[illegible]
1894	2,255,255	107,572	14,952	1,809	2,[illegible]
*1895	1,133,570	21,571	10,241	827	1,[illegible]
†1896	2,202,237	111,752	15,223	1,718	2,[illegible]
†1897	2,257,801	111,113	18,020	2,353	2,[illegible]

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

Bank of England as London Agent. [illegible] Stock [illegible] and [illegible] dividends [illegible]

Bank of New South Wales as Local Agent. [illegible] transacted [illegible] the Colony of Victoria. [illegible] half-yearly dividends on Local Debt Funded Stock, [illegible] Revenue Fund, Trust Funds, and [illegible] Account. The Treasury [illegible] the operations connected with the [illegible] South Wales Funded Stock and Treasury Bills. During 1896–97 a current account was opened at the City Bank and during 1896–97 at the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney, Limited.

No. 32.—Particulars of Loans floated to 30th June, 1897.

...ss of Security.	Interest per Annum.	Authority. Act.	Authority. Amount.	Bonds and Stock sold. Date.	Bonds and Stock sold. Amount.	Net Amounts realised.	Debt on 30th June, 1897.	Annual Interest payable.
Raised on the Security of the Territorial Revenue.								
	per cent.	*Gazette* Notices.	£		£	£	£	£
·bentures ..	7·98	28 Dec., 1841	49,500	1842	49,500	48,760	.....	.....
" ..	6·08	28 Dec., 1841	2,300	1843	2,300	2,300	.....	.....
" ..	6·08	30 Jan., 1844	97,900	1844	97,900	97,264	.....	.....
" ..	4·94	28 May, 1849	75,000	1849	*75,000	77,154	.....	.....
" ..	4·94	5 Mar., 1850	57,500	1850	57,500	57,917	.....	.....
" ..	4·94	20 Jan. & 10 Nov., 1851 ..	79,600	1851	79,600	80,642	.....	.....
" ..	4·94	15 July, 1852	130,400	1852	130,400	142,504	.....	.....
" ..	4·18	30 Aug., 1853	100,000	1853	100,000	105,321	.....	.....
" ..	4·18	6 Mar., 1854	60,000	1854	60,000	60,746	.....	.....
" ..	4·94	18 Jan., 1855	53,000	1855	53,000	52,125	.....	.....
Total under *Gazette* Notices ..			705,200	....	705,200	724,733	.....	.....
		Act of Council.						
" ..	4·18 and 4·94	16 Vic. No. 39	217,500	1853-5	217,500	†223,936	.....	.....
Total		£	922,700	.....	922,700	948,669	.....	.....

NOTE.—In some of the earlier years the interest was fixed at a daily rate, in such cases an equivalent yearly rate quoted.

* £25,000 of this amount was repaid by the Government of Victoria.

† The total amount over-raised on two issues of this Act, viz., £7,365, was paid over to the Sydney Railway Company.

Raised on the Security of the Consolidated Revenue.—Loans included in "Old Loans Account."								
		Acts of Council.						
)ebentures ..	4 to 5	17 Vic. No. 34	200,000	1854-9	209,030	200,971	50	Ceased.
" ..	4 to 5	17 Vic. No. 35	200,000	1854-8	208,400	200,809	.....	.....
" ..	5	18 Vic. No. 35	178,750	1855-67	144,000	134,615	.....	.....
" Permanent	5	18 Vic. No. 40	624,734	1855-7	666,800	628,542	2,700	135
" ..	5	19 Vic. Nos. 38 & 40	445,323	1856-61	410,500	394,625	200	Ceased.
		Acts of Parliament.						
" ..	5	20 Vic. No. 1	73,776	1856-8	73,700	70,277	.....	.....
" ..	5	20 Vic. No. 1	200,000	1856	203,000	199,997	.....	.....
" ..	5	20 Vic. No. 16	130,400	1857	132,300	130,311	.....	.....
" ..	5	20 Vic. No. 33	107,718	1858-9	112,000	106,989	.....	.....
" ..	5	20 Vic. No. 34	300,000	1858-9	299,000	298,647	.....	.....
" ..	5	22 Vic. Nos. 5 & 26	145,000	1859-61	145,700	143,925	.....	.....
" ..	5	22 Vic. No. 22	758,500	1859-61	760,700	751,575	.....	.....
" ..	5	22 Vic. No. 26	11,600	1862	5,000	4,925	.....	.....
" ..	5	23 Vic. No. 5	365,600	1860-2	365,600	359,082	200	Ceased.
" ..	5	23 Vic. No. 10	348,223	1862	348,200	338,511	.....	.....
" ..	5	24 Vic. No. 24	113,535	1861-2	113,900	112,210	.....	.....
" ..	5	24 Vic. No. 26	55,000	1861	55,500	54,946	.....	.....
" ..	5	25 Vic. No. 19	1,782,371	1862-6	1,782,300	1,684,855	.....	.....
" ..	5	26 Vic. No. 14	161,832	1867	162,000	} 696,146	100	Ceased.
" ..	5	27 Vic. No. 14	670,025	1867	670,000		700	"
" ..	5	29 Vic. No. 5	300,000	1866	300,000	266,434	.....	.....
" ..	5	29 Vic. No. 9	219,450	1867	219,400	192,377	100	Ceased.
" ..	5	29 Vic. No. 23	758,000	1868	758,000	712,116	2,200	"
" ..	5	30 Vic. No. 23	65,850	1867	65,800	61,573	100	"
" ..	5	31 Vic. No. 11	1,000,000	1869	1,000,000	968,504	206,300	10,315
" ..	5	31 Vic. No. 27	177,407	1868-9	177,400	177,934	177,200	8,860
" ..	5	32 Vic. No. 13	197,885	1869-70	197,800	195,244	197,700	9,885
" ..	5	34 Vic. No. 2	407,152	1871	407,100	399,660	407,100	20,355
" ..	5	Under various Acts	.....	1871	450,000	437,899	450,000	22,500
Total (Old Loans Account)		£	9,998,131	.....	10,443,130	9,923,699	1,444,650	72,050

"Old Loans Account."—The £450,000 loan floated "Under various Acts" (commonly known as the "Tailings ...n") was floated during 1871 for the purpose of adjusting the amounts short and over raised under Act 17 Vic. No. 34, ...l all subsequent Acts to 34 Vic. No. 2. These loans constituted what is termed the "Old Loans Account," which ...med part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund till 1891, when the account was finally closed by the balance at the end ...that year (£132,326 0s. 4d.) being transferred to the "General Loan Account" under the provisions of the Loan Act 54 ...t. No. 33, as amended by Act 55 Vic. No. 35.

No. 32.—Particulars of Loans floated to 30th June, 1897—*continued.*

Class of Security.	Int. per Ann.	Authority. Act.	Authority. Amount.	Bonds and Stock sold. Date.	Bonds and Stock sold. Amount.	Net Amounts realised.	Debt [illegible] 30th June, 1897
Raised on the Security of the Consolidated Revenue and included in "General Loan Account"							
		Acts of Parliament.	£		£	£	£
Debentures ..	5	35 Vic. No. 5	374,950	1871	374,500	375,425	374,[illegible]
" ..	5	36 Vic. No. 2	406,893	1872	406,800	422,037	3[illegible]
" ..	4	36 Vic. No. 17	1,901,500	1875–6	1,901,500	1,725,661	1,[illegible]
" ..	4	39 Vic. No. 18	235,000	1876–88	224,000	221,045	224,[illegible]
" ..	4	38 Vic. No. 2	806,200	1879	3,249,500	3,175,374	3,2[illegible]
" ..	4	40 Vic. No. 12	2,236,000				
" ..	4	41 Vic. No. 4	207,352				
		Municipal Loans taken over by Government—					
" ..	6	Sydney Waterworks ..	35,000	1888	35,000	35,000	3[illegible]
" ..	5	" " ..	20,000		20,000	20,000	[illegible]
" ..	4	" " ..	30,000		30,000	30,000	[illegible]
" ..	6	Sydney Sewerage ..	88,000	1889	88,000	88,000	[illegible]
" ..	5	" " ..	38,000		38,000	38,000	[illegible]
" ..	6	Darlington Sewerage ..	5,000	1890	5,000	5,000	[illegible]
" ..	4	Redfern Sewerage ..	30,000	1891	30,000	27,[illegible]	[illegible]
" ..	5	Newcastle Water Supply ..	16,000	1893	16,000	16,000	[illegible]
" ..	6	Balmain Sewerage ..	2,500	1894	2,500	2,500	[illegible]
" ..	4½	Ashfield " ..	3,700	1895	3,700	3,700	[illegible]
" ..	5	" " ..	1,500	1896	1,500	1,500	[illegible]
" ..	5½	" " ..	4,500	1896	4,700	4,500	4,[illegible]
" ..	6	North Sydney Sewerage ..	4,400	1896	4,400	4,400	[illegible]
£2,563,700 Deb. ..	4	41 Vic. No. 7	1,120,000	1881–5	1,120,000	1,145,117	2,[illegible]
£5,000,000 In. Stk	4	43 Vic. No. 11	7,352,700		7,352,700	7,362,100	5,[illegible]
Inscribed and Funded Stock ..	4	44 Vic. No. 12	1,292,000	1883	1,292,000	1,244,[illegible]	1,2[illegible]
" " ..	4	44 Vic. No. 28	7,102,000	1883–5	315,200	310,[illegible]	[illegible]
	3½				6,790,700	6,170,1[illegible]	[illegible]
" " ..	3½	45 Vic. No. 22	1,000,000	1885	1,000,000	984,887	1,[illegible]
" " ..	3½	46 Vic. No. 23	2,000,000	1885	2,000,000	1,7[illegible],774	2,[illegible]
" " ..	3½	48 Vic. No. 26	14,588,303	1885–9	12,322,700	11,811,176	12,[illegible]
" " ..	3	50 Vic. No. 28	3,115,303	1896	1,122,000	1,0[illegible],773	1,[illegible]
" " ..	2½	52 Vic. No. 16	1,330,000	1891	1,300,000	1,3[illegible],813	1,[illegible]
" " ..	3	52 Vic. No. 17	3,641,305	1895–7	1,100,000	1,0[illegible],278	1,[illegible]
" " ..	4	56 Vic. No. 1			323,691	323,691	[illegible]
" " ..	3	53 Vic. No. 23	3,[illegible]	1895–7	1,144,000	1,[illegible]	1,144,[illegible]
" " ..	4	56 Vic. No. 1			1,[illegible]	1,[illegible]	[illegible]
" " ..	3½	54 Vic. No. 13	7,[illegible]	1901–3	7,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
" " ..	4	57 Vic. No. 35	1,1[illegible]	1896–7	472,[illegible]	4[illegible]	[illegible]
		57 Vic. No. 1			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
" " ..	4	57 Vic. No. 24	[illegible]	1896–7	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
		57 Vic. No. 1					
" " ..	4	57 Vic. No. 1	[illegible]	1896–7	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
" " ..		57 Vic. No. 17			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
" " ..		58 Vic. No. 4	[illegible]	1897–7	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
" " ..		58 Vic. No. 5	[illegible]	1897–7	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
" " ..		58 Vic. No. 6	[illegible]	1897–7	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
" " ..		58 Vic. No. 4	[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
N.S.W. [illegible]		58 Vic. No. 21			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total [illegible]			[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Unsecured.							
Treasury Bills ..	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
"	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
"	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total Treasury Bills			[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
SUMMARY.							
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"General Loan Account" [illegible]

No. 33.—Loans Redeemed to 30th June, 1897.

Authority under which raised.	Date of Redemption.	Redeemed— From Consolidated Revenue.	By New Loan.	Total.	Interest per annum.
		£	£	£	per cent.
...ite Notice, 28 Dec., 1841	1843–4	49,500	.....	49,500	7·98
„ 28 Dec., 1841	1845	2,300	.....	2,300	6·08
„ 30 Jan., 1844	1845–7	97,900	.....	97,900	6·08
„ 28 May, 1849	1852–3	75,000	.....	75,000	4·94
„ 5 Mar., 1850	1854–5	57,500	.....	57,500	4·94
„ 20 Jan., and 10 Nov., 1851..	1856–7	12,500	67,100	79,600	4·94
„ 15 July, 1852	1857	.....	130,400	130,400	4·94
„ 30 Aug., 1853	1858–9	35,000	65,000	100,000	4·18
„ 6 Nov., 1854	1859	.....	60,000	60,000	4·18
„ 18 Jan., 1855	1860	.....	53,000	53,000	4·94
of Council, 16 Vic. No. 39	1860–74	.....	217,500	217,500	4·18 & 4·94
„ 17 Vic. No. 34	1859–89	32,580	176,400	208,980	4·94 & 5
„ 17 Vic. No. 35	1859–92	69,000	139,400	208,400	4·94 & 5
„ 18 Vic. No. 35	1860–94	70,200	73,800	144,000	5
„ 18 Vic. No. 40	1860–76	161,270	502,830	664,100	5
„ 19 Vic. Nos. 38 and 40 ...	1876–94	266,800	143,500	410,300	5
of Parliament, 20 Vic. No. 1	1876–88	70,500	3,200	73,700	5
„ 20 Vic. No. 1	1876	203,000	.....	203,000	5
„ 20 Vic. No. 16	1874–83	132,300	.....	132,300	5
„ 20 Vic. No. 33	1873–93	.....	112,000	112,000	5
„ 20 Vic. No. 34	1879–93	500	298,500	299,000	5
„ 22 Vic. Nos. 5 and 26 ...	1889–91	.....	145,700	145,700	5
„ 22 Vic. No. 22	1879–92	1,600	759,100	760,700	5
„ 22 Vic. No. 26	1890	.....	5,000	5,000	5
„ 23 Vic. No. 5	1890–1	.....	365,400	365,400	5
„ 23 Vic. No. 10	1879–92	600	347,600	348,200	5
„ 24 Vic. No. 24	1891–3	.....	113,900	113,900	5
„ 24 Vic. No. 26	1891	.....	55,500	55,500	5
„ 25 Vic. No. 19	1892–4	.....	1,782,300	1,782,300	5
„ 26 Vic. No. 14	1895	.....	161,900	161,900	5
„ 27 Vic. No. 14	1895–7	.....	669,300	669,300	5
„ 29 Vic. No. 5	1872–8	50,000	250,000	300,000	5
„ 29 Vic. No. 9	1896–7	.....	219,300	219,300	5
„ 29 Vic. No. 23	1896–7	375,000	380,800	755,800	5
„ 30 Vic. No. 23	1896–7	.....	65,700	65,700	5
„ 31 Vic. No. 11	1872–97	793,700	.....	793,700	5
„ 31 Vic. No. 27	1875	200	.....	200	5
„ 32 Vic. No. 13	1875	100	.....	100	5
„ 36 Vic. No. 2	1873–5	7,500	.....	7,500	5
„ 53 Vic. No. 9*	1890–7	1,050,000	.....	1,050,000	4
„ 55 Vic. No. 7†	1893–7	.....	3,995,000	3,995,000	4
„ 59 Vic. No. 22*... ...	1896–7	150,000	.....	150,000	3
...ipal Loans taken over—Sydney Waterworks ...	1889	.....	5,000	5,000	6
„ „ „ Sewerage Works	1891	.....	26,000	26,000	6
„ „ Darlington „ „	1891	.....	5,000	5,000	6
„ „ Ashfield „ „	1896–7	.....	1,500	1,500	5
„ „ North Sydney „ „	1896–7	.....	4,400	4,400	6
...otal Redemptions to 30th June, 1897 ... £		3,764,550	11,401,030	15,165,580	.....

* Treasury Bills, Deficiency of Revenue. † Treasury Bills for Loan Services.

No. 34.—Dates of Maturity of Public Debt.

Class of Security.	Nominal Rate.	Annual Interest payable.	Authority.	Under each Act.	Where raised. London.	Where raised. Sydney.	Total.	T w d
	%	£		£	£	£	£	
Debentures	5	.....	Various Acts	3,650	3,300	350	3,650	Ou
"	5	8,860	31 Vic. No. 27	177,200	.....	177,200	179,700	1
"	6	150	Balmain Sewerage ..	2,500	.....	2,500		
"	5	9,885	32 Vic. No. 13	197,700	127,900	69,800	197,700	1
"	5	20,355	34 Vic. No. 2	407,100	357,100	.....	361,600	1
"	5	22,500	Various Acts	450,000				
"	5½	247	Ashfield Sewerage ..	4,500	.....	4,500		
"	5	18,745	35 Vic. No. 5	374,900	374,900	.....		
"	6	300	Sydney Water Supply ..	5,000	.....	20,000	420,900	1
"	6	1,500	Sydney Sewerage ..	25,000				
"	5	800	Newcastle Water Supply.	16,000	16,000	.....		
"	5	19,965	36 Vic. No. 2	399,300	399,300	.....	459,000	1
"	6	1,500	Sydney Water Supply..	25,000	.....	59,700		
"	6	2,082	Sydney Sewerage ..	34,700				
"	4	40,000	36 Vic. No. 7	1,000,000	1,000,000	.....	1,003,700	1
"	4½	167	Ashfield Sewerage ..	3,700	3,700	.....		
"	5	1,000	Sydney Water Supply..	20,000	58,000	.....	58,000	1
"	5	1,900	Sydney Sewerage ..	38,000				
"	6	138	" " ..	2,300	.....	2,300	903,800	1
"	4	36,060	36 Vic. No. 17 ..	901,500	901,500	.....		
"	4	8,996	39 Vic. No. 18	224,900	.....	224,900	224,900	1
"	4	58,000	38 Vic. No. 2 ..	3,249,500	3,249,500	.....	1,450,000	1
"	4	71,980	40 Vic. No. 12 ..				1,799,500	1
			41 Vic. No. 4 ..					
"	4	82,000	41 Vic. No. 7	2,050,000	2,863,700	.....	2,863,700	1
"	4	32,548	43 Vic. No. 11	813,700				
"	4	1,200	Sydney Water Supply..	30,000	60,000	.....		
"	4	1,200	Redfern Sewerage ..	30,000				
Inscribed and Funded Stock	4	12,918	52 Vic. No. 17 ..	323,691	.....	323,691		
			56 Vic. No. 1 ..					
" " ..	4	600	53 Vic. No. 23 ..	15,000	.....	15,000		
			56 Vic. No. 1 ..					
" " ..	4	27,991	55 Vic. No. 35 ..	699,779	.....	699,779	3,993,755	1
			56 Vic. No. 1 ..					
" " ..	4	35,192	56 Vic. No. 24 ..	879,800	.....	879,800		
			56 Vic. No. 1 ..					
" " ..	4	25,243	56 Vic. No. 1 ..	631,080	.....	631,080		
			57 Vic. No. 17 ..					
" " ..	3	25,918	58 Vic. No. 14	863,947	.....	863,947		
" " ..	3	15,614	59 Vic. No. 6	520,458	.....	520,458		
" " ..	3½	196,329	48 Vic. No. 26	5,609,400	12,826,200	.....	12,826,200	19
" " ..	3½	48,671	52 Vic. No. 16	1,390,600				
" " ..	3½	174,797	54 Vic. No. 33	4,994,200				
" " ..	3½	29,120	57 Vic. No. 17	832,000				
" " ..	3½	237,535	44 Vic. No. 28	6,786,700	16,500,000	.....	16,698,065	12
" " ..	3½	35,000	45 Vic. No. 22	1,000,000				
" " ..	3½	70,000	46 Vic. No. 23	2,000,000				
" " ..	3½	234,965	48 Vic. No. 26	6,713,300				
N.S.W. 1924 Stock ..	3	5,942	58 Vic. No. 14	198,065	.....	198,065		
" 1925 " ..	3	6,668	59 Vic. No. 6	222,255	.....	222,255	222,255	1
Inscribed Stock ..	4	224,360	41 Vic. No. 7 ..	5,609,000	9,686,300	.....	9,686,300	19
			43 Vic. No. 11 ..					
" " ..	4	50,480	44 Vic. No. 12	1,262,000				
" " ..	4	12,612	44 Vic. No. 28	315,300				
" " ..	4	81,102	54 Vic. No. 33	2,027,557				
" " ..	4	18,898	55 Vic. No. 35	472,443				
" " ..	3	120,000	50 Vic. No. 28	1,122,600	4,000,000	.....	4,000,000	1
			52 Vic. No. 17	1,100,000				
			53 Vic. No. 23	1,144,000				
			59 Vic. No. 5	633,400				
Debentures	5	10,315	31 Vic. No. 11	206,300	206,300	.....	206,300	Am dra
N.S.W. Four per cents.	4	21,208	36 Vic. No. 21	530,189	.....	530,189	530,189	Int
Permanent	5	135	18 Vic. No. 40	2,700	.....	2,700	2,700	Per
Funded Debt	..	2,163,721		58,591,914	53,133,700	5,456,214	58,591,914	
Treasury Bills (Def. of Rev.)	3	31,931	53 Vic. No. 9 ..	1,064,384	.....	1,064,384	1,064,384	£
	4	11,340		388,500	.....	388,500	388,500	
	3	30,741	59 Vic. No. 22 ..	1,024,700	.....	1,024,700	1,024,700	
" (For Loan Services) ..	4	.....	55 Vic. No. 7 ..	5,000	5,000	.....	5,000	Ou
Unfunded Debt ..	..	73,212	.....	2,482,584	5,000	2,477,584	2,482,584	..
Total Debt on 30th June, 1897 ..	..	2,241,933	.....	61,074,498	53,138,700	7,935,798	61,074,498	..

No. 35.—Rates of Interest payable in respect of Public Debt, 30th June, 1897.

Class of Security.	Amount at—							Total.	Annual Interest payable.
	6%	5½%	5%	4½%	4%	3½%	3%		
Debentures—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Overdue	....	....	3,650	....	....	....	....	3,650	....
Still bearing interest	94,500	4,500	2,289,200	3,700	8,299,600	....	....	10,691,500	452,528
Stock—									
N.S.W. Four per cents. ..	....	....	....	....	530,189	....	....	530,189	21,208
„ 1924 Stock	....	....	....	....	....	....	198,065	198,065	5,942
„ 1925 „	....	....	....	....	....	....	222,255	222,255	6,668
Inscribed and Funded Stock..	....	....	....	....	12,235,650	29,326,200	5,384,405	46,946,255	1,677,375
Total, Funded Debt ..	94,500	4,500	*2,292,850	3,700	21,065,439	29,326,200	5,804,725	58,591,914	2,163,721
Treasury Bills—									
For Loan Services—overdue..	....	....	....	....	5,000	....	....	5,000	....
For Deficiency of Revenue ..	....	....	....	....	388,500	....	2,089,084	2,477,584	78,212
Total, Unfunded Debt ..	....	....	....	....	393,500	....	2,089,084	†2,482,584	78,212
Total Public Debt on 30th June, 1897	94,500	4,500	*2,292,850	3,700	21,458,939	29,326,200	7,893,809	61,074,498	2,241,933

* Includes £3,650 overdue. † Includes £5,000 overdue.

No. 36.—Amount of Public Debt on each Register on 30th June, 1897.

Class of Security.	Amount registered in—				Total.	Annual Interest—			
	New South Wales.		Victoria.	London.		Amount payable in—			Total.
	Purchased from Trust Funds held by Treasury.	Taken up in Open Market.				New South Wales.	Victoria.	London.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
*Debenture Bonds	234,100	402,460	61,800	9,996,790	10,695,150	30,518	3,090	418,920	452,528
N.S.W. 4 per Cents.	403,249	126,941	....	.....	530,189	21,208	....	.....	21,208
N.S.W. Funded Stock—									
56 Vic. No. 1	1,147,260	1,402,090	....	.....	2,549,350	101,974	....	.....	101,974
58 Vic. No. 14	30,000	833,947	....	.....	863,947	25,918	....	.....	25,918
59 Vic. No. 6	380,000	140,457	....	.....	520,458	15,614	....	.....	15,614
Inscribed Stock	170,000	250,320	....	43,012,500	43,432,820	12,610	....	1,533,869	1,546,479
Treasury Bills—									
53 Vic. No. 9	1,452,884	.....	....	.....	1,452,884	47,471	....	.....	47,471
55 Vic. No. 7	.....	.....	....	† 5,000	† 5,000	....	....	.....	.....
59 Vic. No. 22	1,024,700	.....	....	.....	1,024,700	30,741	....	.....	30,741
Total	4,842,193	3,156,215	61,800	53,014,290	61,074,498	286,054	3,090	1,952,789	2,241,933

* **Debenture Bonds registered.**—The owners of Debentures are not known, as the Bonds are transferable by delivery; the locality of holders, however, can be established by the registration of the numbers of the interest coupons at the respective agencies.

† Overdue.

No. 37.—Sinking Funds of Public Debt on 30th June, 1897.

Class of Security.	Amount originally authorised or issued.	Annual Sinking Fund.	Annual Drawings.	Amount to be redeemed on 30th June, 1897. (Net Liability.)	Remarks.
	£	£	£	£	
Railway Loan (31 Vic. No. 11) ...	1,000,000	.....	70,000 (To pay principal and interest.)	206,300	Under the provisions of the "Railw Loan Act of 1867" (31 Vic. 1 11) provision was made to ext guish the £1,000,000 loan rai during that year by annual dra ings, and £70,000 is annua appropriated for interest and duction of loan. After the inter liabilities have been provided f £20,000 of the balance is expend in extinction of principal, by ann drawings at par, and any sum mining over is devoted to purch ing debentures in the open mark
Railway Loan (53 Vic. No. 24) ...	1,000,000	75,000	.....	550,000	This fund was established for the p pose of repaying £1,000,000 wh was expended for reconstructi and improvement of rolling sto and permanent way. The amo annually contributed from reven is £75,000, and on the 30th Ju 1896, the fund amounted £375,000, which was used duri the latter half of 1896 to pay debentures in accordance with t Act.
N.S.W. 1924 Stock " 1925 Stock	198,065 222,255	6,602 7,409	....	184,861 207,438	These funds were established und authority of Acts 58 Vic. No. 1 and 59 Vic. No. 6, which provi that amounts of £6,602 and £7,4 respectively shall be set apart ea year out of consolidated revenue order to redeem the amount spe on works which are not permane or reproductive.
" 1927 Stock	208,123	6,937	.....	(See remarks.)	Under Act 60 Vic. No. 32, provisi was made for a Sinking Fund pay off the amount to be expend on works similar to those me tioned above. The annual cont bution will be £6,937, but as the lo is not issued, no liability yet exi as to payments to sinking fund.
Newcastle Water Supply	16,000	(See remarks.)	.....	12,212	In connection with the loan of £16,0 taken over by the Government fr the Municipal Council of Newcast a sum of £3,788 had accumulat for the purpose of redeeming t debentures, but no further cont butions have been made to the fun
Treasury Bills— First Issue (1889 and 1890) .. Second Issue (1896) ...	2,502,884 1,174,700	150,000	.....	1,452,884 1,024,700	In order to provide for the extincti of Treasury Bills issued in aid revenue, a sum of £150,000 is a propriated each year, but the fu is not cumulative, as bills to t amount of the annual contributio are extinguished each year. T second issue has been reduced sin June, 1896, bills to the amount £150,000 having been cancelled.

No. 38.—London Stock Exchange Quotations, 1896–97.

Date.		Average of Buying and Selling Price.		Unexpired Currency.	Annual Rate per £100 sterling yielded to Investors.	
Month.	Day.	"Cum-Dividend."	"Ex-Dividend."		If no allowance be made for Redemption at par on Maturity.	If Stock be held till date of Maturity.
				Years.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1896, July ...	4th	110½	109·60	28·25	3 4 5	3 1 9
„ August..	1st	110½	109·33	28·17	3 4 7	3 2 0
„ Sept. ...	5th	110½	108·99	28·08	3 4 9	3 2 3
„ October	3rd	108½	108·48	28·00	3 5 1	3 2 9
„ Nov. ...	7th	107	106·64	27·92	3 9 3	3 4 4
„ Dec. ...	5th	108	107·38	27·83	3 5 9	3 3 8
1897, January	2nd	108½	107·61	27·75	3 5 7	3 3 5
„ Feb. ...	6th	111	109·77	27·67	3 4 4	3 1 6
„ March...	6th	109	107·50	27·58	3 5 8	3 3 6
„ April ...	3rd	108½	108·48	27·50	3 5 1	3 2 7
„ May ...	1st	109	108·71	27·42	3 4 11	3 2 5
„ June ...	5th	109	108·38	27·33	3 5 2	3 2 8

Monthly Stock Quotations.—The prices given are the monthly quotations during the year ended 30th June, 1897, on the London Market for the £16,500,000, 3½ per cent. Inscribed Stock maturing October, 1924.

No. 39.—Sydney Stock Exchange Quotations, 1896–97.

Date.		Buying Price.		Unexpired Currency.	Annual Rate per £100 sterling yielded to Investors.	
Month.	Day.	"Cum-Dividend."	"Ex-Dividend."		If no allowance be made for Redemption at par on Maturity.	If Stock be held till date of Maturity.
				Years.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1896, July ...	16th	112	110·28	16·25	3 13 3	3 6 5
„ August..	23rd	111½	111·36	16·17	3 12 7	3 5 0
„ Sept. ...	17th	112½	112·08	16·08	3 12 1	3 4 0
„ October	15th	112½	111·78	16·00	3 12 3	3 4 4
„ Nov. ...	18th	110½	109·40	15·92	3 13 10	3 7 5
„ Dec. ...	14th	111½	110·12	15·83	3 13 5	3 6 5
1897, January	15th	110	108·28	15·75	3 14 8	3 8 10
„ Feb. ...	25th	112½	112·50	15·67	3 11 10	3 3 1
„ March...	15th	112½	112·14	15·58	3 12 1	3 3 6
„ April ...	22nd	112½	111·72	15·50	3 12 4	3 4 0
„ May ...	18th	113	111·94	15·42	3 12 2	3 3 8
„ June ...	16th	112½	111·12	15·33	3 12 9	3 4 8

Monthly Stock Quotations.—The prices given are the monthly quotations during the year ended 30th June, 1897, on the Sydney Stock Exchange, for the New South Wales 4 per cent. Funded Stock (New), due 1912.

Local Transactions in Debentures and Funded Stock.—The transactions on the Sydney Stock Exchange in New South Wales Government securities are chiefly confined to dealings in the New South Wales (New) Funded Stock, due 1912. Quotations for Debentures and New South Wales 4 per Cents. (Old Funded Stock) are rare, as holders of these securities are not disposed to part with them.

No. 40.—Inscribed Stock Loan floated in London 10th October, 1895.

Principal	£4,000,000.
Rate of interest	3 per cent. per annum.
Interest payable	Half-yearly—1st April and 1st October.
Minimum price fixed	94 per cent., including accrued interest from 1st October, 1895.
Principal repayable	1st October, 1935.
Payment..	5% with tender, and on allotment, so much as with deposit will leave £75 st outstanding; 25 % on 14th November, 1895, 25 % on 12th December, 18 25 % on 9th January, 1896.
Highest tender..	£99 10s.
Lowest tender	£96 14s.
Average price realised ..	£96 18s. 3½d.
Actual rate paid by Government, allowing for redemption at par.	£3 3s. 6¼d.
Actual rate yielded to original investors, allowing for redemption at par.	£3 3s. 2¼d.

Allotment on 17th October, 1895.

Amount of Stock.	Price.	Amount received.	Amount of Stock.	Price.	Amount received.	Amount of Stock.	Price.	Amount received.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s.
500	99 10 0	497 10 0	40,000	97 11 0	39,020 0 0	3,600	97 3 0	3,497 8
1,300	99 0 0	1,287 0 0	35,200	97 10 6	34,328 16 0	57,200	97 2 6	55,555 10
1,000	98 10 0	985 0 0	70,200	97 10 0	68,445 0 0	40,000	97 2 6	38,840 6
200	98 8 0	196 16 0	15,000	97 9 6	14,621 5 0	52,100	97 1 6	50,576 1
100	98 5 0	98 5 0	2,000	97 9 0	1,949 0 0	52,400	97 1 0	50,854 4
500	98 1 6	490 7 6	20,000	97 8 6	19,485 0 0	34,200	97 0 6	33,182 11
5,000	98 0 6	4,901 5 0	21,000	97 8 0	20,454 0 0	224,100	97 0 0	217,377 0
14,900	98 0 0	14,602 0 0	45,400	97 7 6	44,208 5 0	500	96 19 6	484 17
3,000	97 18 0	2,937 0 0	10,000	97 7 0	9,735 0 0	14,000	96 19 6	13,573 0
500	97 17 6	489 7 6	15,000	97 6 6	14,598 15 0	40,000	96 18 6	38,779 0
13,000	97 16 0	12,714 0 0	157,500	97 6 0	153,247 10 0	2,000	96 16 6	1,936 10
200	97 15 6	195 11 0	185,000	97 5 6	179,958 15 0	11,000	96 16 0	10,648 0
67,700	97 15 0	66,176 15 0	121,300	97 5 0	117,964 5 0	11,000	96 15 6	10,645 1
10,500	97 13 6	10,255 17 6	30,500	97 4 6	29,653 12 6	40,100	96 15 0	38,796 13
500	97 13 0	488 5 0	11,000	97 4 0	10,692 0 0	2,000	96 14 6	1,934 10
3,400	97 12 6	3,319 5 0	98,500	97 3 6	95,717 7 6	2,410,900	96 14 0	2,331,340 6
5,000	97 12 0	4,880 0 0						
			Gross Proceeds.. .. .. £			4,000,000	96 18 3½	3,876,604 12

Charges—			
Brokerage, ½ per cent. on £3,975,900	£9,939 15 0		
Bank Commission, ½ " on £4,000,000	20,000 0 0		
Stamp duty, ¾ " on £4,000,000	25,000 0 0		
Postage, advertisements, and petty expenses	789 16 0		
Total			£55,729 11
Proceeds, less charges			£3,820,884 1
"Discount Bonus" at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum paid on prepayments	£1,321 5 2		
"Interest Bonus" at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum paid on daily balance of Stock outstanding from 10th October, 1895, to 9th January, 1896	14,989 13 0		
			£16,310 18
Net proceeds available for Redemptions and Loan Services (*see Supplementary Statement*) ..			£3,804,573 4

SUPPLEMENTARY STATEMENT.

Allotment of Net Proceeds.

	£	£ s.
Redemptions—		
Debentures due 1896	602,400	
Treasury Bills due 1896	2,750,000	
Total Redemptions		3,352,400 0
Available for Services	.....	452,173 4
Total (as given above) ... ... £	.....	3,804,573 4

For the amount of Inscribed and Funded Stock raised locally see table No. 42.

The Imperial "Colonial Stock Act, 1877," provides for the inscription and transfer of stock raised in the U Kingdom and for stamp duty to be levied thereon. It also defines the position of the British Government as re Colonial indebtedness. The New South Wales Inscribed Stock Act (46 Vic. No. 12) was passed in 1883.

No. 41.—Charges for negotiation of Loans, 1884–97.

INSCRIBED AND FUNDED STOCK.

ıen ted.	When Payable.	Nominal Rate of Interest per cent.	Amount of Principal.	Gross Proceeds.	Charges. Brokerage.	Bank Commission.	Stamp Duty.	Postage and Petty Expenses.	Expenses per £100 of— Principal			Gross Proceeds.		
Inscribed Stock—Issued in London by Bank of England.														
Charges.—Brokerage, ¼ per cent.; Bank Commission, ⅛ per cent.; Stamp Duty, ⅛ per cent.; and Incidental penses, about 4d. per cent.														
			£	£	£	£	£	£	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
4	1924	3½	5,500,000	5,152,386	13,730	27,500	34,375	559	1	7	8	1	9	7
5	1924	3½	5,500,000	5,042,041	13,656	27,500	34,375	780	1	7	9	1	10	3
6	1924	3½	5,500,000	5,247,692	13,713	27,500	34,375	768	1	7	9	1	9	1
8	1918	3½	3,500,000	3,626,341	8,729	17,500	21,875	651	1	7	10	1	6	11
9	1918	3½	3,500,000	3,584,105	8,667	17,500	21,875	712	1	7	10	1	7	3
1	1918	3½	4,500,000	4,276,030	11,072	22,500	28,125	712	1	7	9	1	9	2
1	1918	3½	*294,200	294,200	688	176	1,839	8	0	18	5	0	18	5
3–4	1918	3½	*200,000	191,350	500	Nil.	1,250	Nil.	0	17	6	0	18	4
3	1933	4	2,500,000	2,514,861	6,215	12,500	15,625	638	1	8	0	1	7	10
4	1918	3½	832,000	846,433	2,071	4,160	5,200	804	1	9	5	1	8	11
5	1935	3	4,000,000	3,876,605	9,940	20,000	25,000	781	1	7	10	1	8	9
* Conversion only.														
Issued in Sydney by Treasury.														
5–6	1924	3	20,000	20,000	Nil.									
5–6	1925	3	50,000	50,000	Nil.									
6–7	1924	3	178,065	178,065	414	Nil.			0	4	8	0	4	8
6–7	1925	3	172,255	172,255	120	Nil.			0	1	5	0	1	5
New South Wales Funded Stock—Issued in Sydney by Treasury.														
2	1912	4	227,000	227,000	404	Nil.			0	3	7	0	3	7
3	1912	4	1,829,400	1,829,400	1,550	Nil.			0	1	8	0	1	8
4	1912	4	307,430	313,410	Nil.									
5	1912	4	130,750	133,293	Nil.									
5–6	1912	3	180,000	180,000	Nil.									
6–7	1912	4	54,770	56,143	Nil.									
6–7	1912	3	863,947	863,947	1,171	Nil.			0	2	8	0	2	8
6–7	1912	3	340,458	340,458	Nil.									
On Stock negotiated by a Broker, the Government allow ¼ per cent. commission.														
TREASURY BILLS.														
Issued in London by London and Westminster Bank.														
Charges.—Brokerage, ¼ per cent.; Bank Commission, ⅛ per cent.; and Stamp Duty, ⅛ per cent. The Brokerage l Bank Commission on the £725,700 were each ¼ per cent.														
2	1894	4	1,250,000	1,243,750	1,563	1,563	625	2	0	6	0	0	6	0
2	1896	4	1,000,000	1,002,500	1,250	1,250	1,250	Nil.	0	7	6	0	7	6
2	1896	4	263,500	263,500	330	330	330	Nil.	0	7	6	0	7	6
3	1896	4	10,800	10,800	14	14	13	Nil.	0	7	6	0	7	6
3	1896	4	725,700	725,700	1,647	1,814	907	273	0	12	10	0	12	10
Issued in Sydney by Treasury.														
2	1896	4½	750,000	750,000	Nil.									
To cover Deficiencies in Revenue—Taken up by Treasury from Trust Funds.														
9 } 0 }	1 Jan., 1895.	{ 4 } { 4 }	2,502,884	{ 1,907,100 595,784	Nil. Nil.									
5	1 Jan., 1901.	3	1,174,700	1,174,700	Nil.									

No. 42.—Actual Rates of Interest on Loans, 1884–97.

INSCRIBED AND FUNDED STOCK.

Date. When floated.	Date. When payable.	Nominal Rate of Interest per cent.	Amount of Principal.	Net Proceeds available for expenditure. Total.	Net Proceeds available for expenditure. Per cent.	Annual Rate of Interest per £100 Sterling. Paid by the Government. If no allowance be made for redemption at par on maturity.	Paid by the Government. If allowance be made for redemption at par on maturity.	Yielded to the Investors. If no allowance be made for redemption at par on maturity.	Yielded to the Investors. If an allowance be made for redemption at par on maturity.
			£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Inscribed Stock—Issued in London by Bank of England.									
1884	1924	3½	5,500,000	5,024,458	91·35	3 17 3¾	3 18 4½	3 16 1¾	3 17 [illegible]
1885	1924	3½	5,500,000	4,921,878	89·49	3 18 10¾	4 0 3	3 17 8¼	3 1[illegible]
1886	1924	3½	5,500,000	5,074,026	92·25	3 16 6¼	3 17 7¼	3 15 5	3 1[illegible]
1888	1918	3½	3,500,000	3,543,177	101·23	3 9 9	3 9 5¼	3 8 9¼	3 [illegible]
1889	1918	3½	3,500,000	3,498,020	99·94	3 10 7¾	3 10 8	3 9 8¼	3 [illegible]
1891	1918	3½	4,500,000	4,186,144	93·02	3 15 10¾	3 18 0	3 14 9¼	3 1[illegible]
1891	1918	3½	494,200	.....	...	3 15 10¾	3 18 0	3 14 9¼	3 1[illegible]
1893	1933	4	2,500,000	2,440,549	97·62	4 2 9¼	4 3 0¼	4 1 7¼	4 [illegible]
1894	1918	3½	832,000	829,551	99·70	3 10 10	3 10 11	3 9 9½	3 [illegible]
1895	1935	3	4,000,000	3,804,573	95·14	3 3 6¼	3 4 3¼	3 2 8	3 [illegible]
Issued in Sydney by Treasury.									
1895–6	1924	3	20,000	20,000	100·00	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 [illegible]
1895–6	1925	3	50,000	50,000	100·00	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 [illegible]
1896–7	1924	3	178,065	177,651	99·77	3 0 7	3 0 8	3 0 0	3 [illegible]
1896–7	1925	3	172,255	172,135	99·93	3 0 5¾	3 0 6	3 0 0	3 [illegible]
New South Wales Funded Stock—Issued in Sydney by Treasury.									
1892	1912	4	227,000	226,596	99·82	4 0 11¼	4 1 0¼	4 0 0	4 [illegible]
1893	1912	4	1,829,400	1,827,850	99·92	4 0 10½	4 0 11	4 0 0	4 [illegible]
1894	1912	4	307,430	313,410	101·95	3 19 3	3 18 2	3 19 3	3 1[illegible]
1895	1912	4	130,750	133,293	101·95	3 19 3	3 18 0½	3 19 3	3 1[illegible]
1895–6	1912	3	180,000	180,000	100·00	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 [illegible]
1896–7	1912	4	54,770	56,143	102·51	3 18 10	3 17 1	3 18 10	3 1[illegible]
1896–7	1912	3	863,947	862,776	99·86	3 0 6¼	3 0 8	3 0 0	3 [illegible]
1896–7	1912	3	340,458	340,458	100·00	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 [illegible]
Treasury Bills.—Issued in London by London and Westminster Bank.									
1892	1894	4	1,250,000	1,239,998	99·20	4 1 5¼	4 9 2¼	4 1 2¼	4 [illegible]
1892	1896	4	1,000,000	998,750	99·87	4 0 11	4 1 5¼	4 0 7¼	3 1[illegible]
1892	1896	4	263,500	262,510	99·62	4 1 1¼	4 2 9¼	4 0 0	4 [illegible]
1893	1896	4	10,800	10,759	99·62	4 1 1¼	4 3 5¼	4 0 0	4 [illegible]
1893	1896	4	725,700	721,059	99·36	4 1 4	4 5 3¼	4 0 0	4 [illegible]
Issued in Sydney by Treasury.									
1892	1896	4	750,000	750,000	100·00	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 [illegible]
To cover Deficiencies in Revenue—Taken up by Treasury from Trust Funds.									
1889 / 1890	1 Jan., 1895.	4 / 4	*2,502,884	*2,502,884	100·00	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 [illegible]
1895	1 Jan., 1901.	3	1,174,700	1,174,700	100·00	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 [illegible]

* The rate of interest on a large proportion of these Bills was reduced to 3 per cent. from the 1st January, 1896.

Section III.—STATE RAILWAYS AND TRAMWAYS.

No. 43.—Results of Working of Railways and Tramways, 1896–97.

Particulars.		Quarter ended 30 September, 1896.	Quarter ended 31 December, 1896.	Quarter ended 31 March, 1897.	Quarter ended 30 June, 1897.	Year ended 30 June, 1897.
RAILWAYS.						
Capital cost (including equipment)	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	37,369,205
Miles open for traffic	No.	2,531¼	2,576½	2,576½	2,639½	2,639½
Average miles opened for year ...	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,575¼
Cost per mile open for traffic ...	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,157
Revenue	£	737,185	909,575	692,018	675,964	3,014,742
Working expenditure	£	405,756	426,195	376,923	392,344	1,601,218
Net profit	£	331,429	483,380	315,095	283,620	1,413,524
Working expenses to Revenue,	Per cent.	55·04	46·85	54·46	58·05	53·11
Earnings per average mile open ...	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,171
Expenditure do do ...	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	622
Earnings per train mile		7s. 5¾d.	8s. 4¼d.	7s. 1d.	6s. 7¾d.	7s. 5d.
Expenses do		4s. 1¼d.	3s. 11d.	3s. 10¼d.	3s. 10¼d.	3s. 11¼d.
Net profit do		3s. 4¼d.	4s. 5¼d.	3s. 2¾d.	2s. 9¼d.	3s. 5¾d.
Passenger journeys	No.	5,392,491	5,810,483	5,614,666	5,855,284	22,672,924
Goods tonnage	Tons.	1,113,950	1,094,110	1,080,986	1,086,538	4,375,584
Live Stock tonnage	Tons.	42,830	46,720	46,127	55,780	191,457
Train miles run	No	1 969,585	2,175,454	1,954,972	2,030,394	8,130,405
Rolling Stock :—						
Locomotives :—						
Engines	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	502
Tenders	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	420
Coaching...	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,026
Merchandise	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,455
Departmental	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,048
TRAMWAYS.						
Capital cost (including equipment)	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,452,670
Miles open for traffic	No.	61	61	62½	62½	62½
Average miles opened for year ...	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	61½
Cost per mile open for traffic ...	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,243
Revenue	£	70,606	77,027	78,060	81,002	306,695
Working expenditure	£	58,833	65,166	56,012	68,870	248,881
Net profit	£	11,773	11,861	22,048	12,132	57,814
Working expenses to Revenue,	Per cent.	83·32	84·60	71·75	85·02	81·15
Earnings per average mile open ...	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,987
Expenditure do do ...	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,047
Earnings per tram mile		1s. 10¾d.	2s. 0¼d.	2s. 0d.	2s. 0¼d.	1s. 11¾d.
Expenses do		1s. 7d.	1s. 8¼d.	1s. 5¼d.	1s. 8¼d.	1s 7¼d.
Net profit do		0s. 3¾d.	0s. 3¾d.	0s. 6¾d.	0s. 3¾d.	0s· 4¼d.
Passenger fares collected	No.	16,653,775	18,225,383	18,459,834	19,004,820	72,343,812
Tram miles run	No.	745,170	759,751	779,129	804,088	3,088,138
Rolling Stock—						
Motors	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	114
Dummies...	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	13
Cars	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	304
Trucks	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	17
Water Tanks	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	6

No. 44.—Mileage of State Railways and Tramways opened during each Year, 1855–97.

Year ended—	Opened during the year.	Total open at end of year.	Year ended—	Opened during the year.	Total open at end of year.
		RAILWAYS.			
	miles.	miles.		miles.	miles.
Dec., 1855	16	16	Dec., 1877	90	598
„ 1856	9	25	„ 1878	90	688
„ 1857	17	42	„ 1879	45	733
„ 1858	15	57	„ 1880	115	848
„ 1859	nil.	57	„ 1881	148	996
„ 1860	13	70	„ 1882	282	1,278
„ 1861	4	74	„ 1883	52	1,330
„ 1862	24	98	„ 1884	301	1,631
„ 1863	27	125	„ 1885	114	1,745
„ 1864	20	145	„ 1886	162	1,907
„ 1865	nil.	145	„ 1887	151	2,058
„ 1866	nil.	145	June, 1888	68	2,126
„ 1867	60	205	„ 1889	57	2,183
„ 1868	44	249	„ 1890	10	2,193
„ 1869	70	319	„ 1891	1	2,194
„ 1870	21	340	„ 1892	3	2,197
„ 1871	19	359	„ 1893	154	2,351
„ 1872	38	397	„ 1894	150	2,501
„ 1873	5	402	„ 1895	30	2,531
„ 1874	nil.	402	„ 1896	nil.	2,531
„ 1875	33	435	„ 1897	108	2,639
„ 1876	73	508			
		TRAMWAYS.			
Dec., 1879	1½	1½	June, 1889	nil.	38½
„ 1880	2½	4	„ 1890	1	39½
„ 1881	5½	9½	„ 1891	3	42½
„ 1882	12½	22	„ 1892	5½	48
„ 1883	3	25	„ 1893	1	49
„ 1884	2½	27½	„ 1894	9½	58½
„ 1885	nil.	27½	„ 1895	2½	61
„ 1886	1½	29	„ 1896	nil.	61
„ 1887	9½	38½	„ 1897	1½	62½
June, 1888	nil.	38½			

The Camden to Campbelltown tramway was placed among the railways during 1888, and the Kogarah-Sans Souci was similarly dealt with in 1889; they have, therefore, been excluded throughout in the above figures relating to tramw

No. 45.—Results of Working of State Railways, 1855–97.

Year ended—	Length of Line open for traffic.	Per Train Mile.		Percentage of Working Expenses to Gross Earnings.	Capital Expended on Lines Open.	Profit.	
		Earnings.	Working Expenses.			Net Earnings over Working Expenses.	Rate per cent. per annum on Capital Invested.
	Miles.	d.	d.	₱ cent.	£	£	₱ cent.
Dec., 1855	16	157·34	101·37	64·43	515,347	3,290	0·63
" 1860	70	83·37	67·52	80·98	1,422,672	11,842	0·83
" 1865	145	82·42	54·07	65·60	2,746,373	57,106	2·07
" 1870	340	81·81	54·86	67·08	5,566,092	101,139	1·81
" 1875	435	100·20	48·28	48·18	7,245,379	318,474	4·39
" 1880	848	86·02	47·99	55·79	11,778,819	513,298	4·35
" 1881	996	88·33	45·16	51·12	13,301,597	705,892	5·30
" 1882	1,278	84·05	46·24	55·02	15,843,616	764,228	5·13
" 1883	1,330	78·07	47·61	60·97	16,905,014	753,676	4·48
" 1884	1,631	78·19	48·77	62·37	20,080,138	784,978	4·20
" 1885	1,745	78·61	52·72	67·06	21,831,276	716,215	3·37
" 1886	1,907	80·01	55·30	69·12	24,071,454	667,078	2·90
" 1887	2,058	81·89	54·05	66·01	26,532,122	750,535	2·96
June, 1888	2,126	82·34	54·91	66·69	27,722,748	764,573	2·85
" 1889	2,183	79·72	51·34	64·39	29,839,167	903,875	3·14
" 1890	2,193	78·90	49·91	63·26	30,555,123	967,251	3·17
" 1891	2,194	84·88	52·26	61·57	31,768,617	1,143,050	3·59
" 1892	2,197	89·25	54·98	61·60	33,312,608	1,193,044	3·58
" 1893	2,351	93·60	55·59	59·39	34,657,571	1,188,540	3·48
" 1894	2,501¼	94·18	53·29	56·58	35,855,271	1,221,699	3·46
" 1895	2,531¼	90·96	49·54	54·46	36,611,366	1,310,615	3·60
" 1896	2,531¼	87·68	48·24	55·02	36,852,194	1,268,529	3·44
" 1897	2,639½	88·99	47·26	53·11	37,369,205	1,413,524	3·79

First Railway section opened.—Railway construction in New South Wales was commenced in 1850, and the st length of line—Sydney to Parramatta—was opened on 25th September, 1855. A uniform gauge of 4 ft. 8½ in. has en adopted for the State Railway and Tramway systems.

Tramways classed as Railways.—The Camden-Campbelltown line, opened in March, 1882, and the Kogarah- line, opened in September, 1887, were transferred to Railways in 1888 and 1889 respectively; and from the ates the returns of these lines have been included with those of Railways.

No. 46.—Coaching and Goods Traffic on State Railways, 1855–97.

Year ended—	Train Miles.	Passengers.	Tonnage of Goods and Live Stock.	Earnings. From Coaching Traffic.	Earnings. From Goods Traffic.	Earnings. Total.	Working Exp
	No.	No.	Tons.	£	£	£	
31 Dec., 1855	14,107	98,846	140	9,093	156	9,249	
31 „ 1860	174,249	551,044	55,394	45,428	16,841	62,269	
31 „ 1865	483,446	751,587	416,707	92,984	73,048	166,032	1
31 „ 1870	901,139	776,707	766,523	117,854	189,288	307,142	2
31 „ 1875	1,472,204	1,288,225	1,171,354	205,941	408,707	614,648	2
31 „ 1880	3,239,462	5,440,138	1,712,971	390,149	770,868	1,161,017	6
31 „ 1881	3,923,929	6,907,312	2,033,850	488,675	955,551	1,444,226	7
31 „ 1882	4,851,157	8,984,313	2,619,427	587,825	1,111,038	1,698,863	9
31 „ 1883	5,937,261	10,272,037	2,864,566	661,751	1,269,713	1,931,464	1,1
31 „ 1884	6,403,041	11,253,109	3,124,425	745,665	1,340,572	2,086,237	1,3
31 „ 1885	6,638,399	13,506,346	3,273,004	830,904	1,343,464	2,174,368	1,4
31 „ 1886	6,479,265	14,881,604	3,211,951	847,916	1,312,154	2,160,070	1,4
31 „ 1887	6,472,107	14,451,303	3,339,253	850,499	1,357,796	2,208,295	1,4
30 June, 1888	6,689,313	15,174,115	3,399,772	918,975	1,376,149	2,295,124	1,5
30 „ 1889	7,641,769	16,086,223	3,485,839	1,025,601	1,512,876	2,538,477	1,6
30 „ 1890	8,008,826	17,071,945	3,788,950	1,059,791	1,573,295	2,633,086	1,6
30 „ 1891	8,410,421	19,037,760	3,802,849	1,177,037	1,797,384	2,974,421	1,8
30 „ 1892	8,356,096	19,918,916	4,296,713	1,189,231	1,918,065	3,107,296	1,9
30 „ 1893	7,505,310	19,932,703	3,773,843	1,115,042	1,812,014	2,927,056	1,7
30 „ 1894	7,160,785	19,265,732	3,493,919	1,047,029	1,766,512	2,813,541	1,5
30 „ 1895	7,594,281	19,725,418	4,075,093	1,022,901	1,855,393	2,878,264	1,5
30 „ 1896	7,719,618	21,005,048	3,953,575	1,043,922	1,776,495	2,820,417	1,55
30 „ 1897	8,130,405	22,072,924	4,597,041	1,098,696	1,916,046	3,014,742	1,7

No. 47.—Results of Working of all State Tramways, 1886–97.

Year ended—	Length of Line open for Traffic.	Capital Expended on Lines open for Traffic.	Total Earnings.	Expenditure for Working Expenses.	Net Earnings over Working Expenses.	Per [illegible]
	miles.	£	£	£	£	
31 Dec., 1886	20	812,843	230,410	206,453	23,957	[illegible]
31 „ 1887	38¼	805,166	225,348	212,455	12,893	[illegible]
30 June, 1888	38½	877,244	230,519	213,196	17,323	[illegible]
30 „ 1889	38½	903,505	243,593	221,835	21,758	[illegible]
30 „ 1890	39½	933,014	268,692	224,673	44,019	[illegible]
30 „ 1891	42½	1,004,212	262,859	237,077	53,377	[illegible]
30 „ 1892	48	1,060,050	305,000	248,571	[illegible]	[illegible]
30 „ 1893	49	1,118,471	295,307	233,858	61,559	[illegible]
30 „ 1894	58½	1,248,080	278,194	229,283	48,911	[illegible]
30 „ 1895	61	1,428,518	282,310	230,083	51,353	[illegible]
30 „ 1896	61	1,434,840	289,181	239,283	52,898	[illegible]
30 „ 1897	62½	1,452,070	306,695	248,881	57,814	[illegible]

First Tramway Section Opened.—The first section under control of the State was opened on the 16th Septemb
See note to Table No. 44.

No. 48.—Results of Working of each State Tramway, 1886–97.

Year ended—	Length of Line open for Traffic.	Capital Expended on Lines open for Traffic.	Total Earnings.	Expenditure for Working Expenses.	Profit. Net Earnings over Working Expenses.	Profit. Rate per cent. per annum on Capital Invested.
City and Suburban—(Opened 16th September, 1879).						
	Miles.	£	£	£	£	
31 Dec., 1886	27½	742,113	226,367	201,737	24,630	3·32
31 „ 1887	29½	731,582	214,125	201,468	12,657	1·76
30 June, 1888	29½	742,555	221,060	204,227	16,833	2·27
30 „ 1889	29½	771.255	225,833	206,092	19,741	2·56
30 „ 1890	30½	790,555	249,508	207,517	41,991	5·31
30 „ 1891	33½	857,455	270,365	221,505	48,860	5·74
30 „ 1892	37	932,907	279,321	229,145	50,176	5·54
30 „ 1893	38	947,775	271,041	214,824	56,217	5·94
30 „ 1894	40¼	954,035	250,809	206,554	44,255	4·64
30 „ 1895	40¼	962,037	230,583	186,081	44,502	4·62
30 „ 1896	40¼	*961,778	227,525	187,811	39,714	4·13
30 „ 1897	40¼	968,925	238,023	195,142	42,881	4·42
North Shore Cable—(Opened 22nd May, 1886.)						
31 Dec., 1886	1½	70,730	4,043	4,716	loss 673	loss 1·63
31 „ 1887	1½	71,504	7,274	6,859	gain 415	gain 0·58
30 June, 1888	1½	71,519	7,248	6,833	415	0·58
30 „ 1889	1½	72,617	8,178	6,626	1,552	2·14
30 „ 1890	1½	73,812	9,483	8,339	1,144	1·55
30 „ 1891	1½	74,343	10,333	7,603	2,730	3·67
30 „ 1892	1½	75,368	11,123	7,902	3,221	4·27
30 „ 1893	1½	75,368	10,635	7,198	3,437	4·56
30 „ 1894	2⅛	118,247	11,683	8,146	3,537	3·04
30 „ 1895	2⅛	*114,628	10,552	8,232	2,320	2·02
30 „ 1896	2⅛	*114,428	11,340	8,449	2,891	2·52
30 „ 1897	2⅛	115,471	12,343	10,170	2,173	1·88
North Shore Electric—(Opened 20th September, 1893.)						
30 June, 1894	2¼	24,792	1,505	1,543	loss 38	loss
30 „ 1895	2¼	26,697	1,856	2,123	„ 267	„
30 „ 1896	2¼	27,601	2,209	2,041	gain 168	gain 0·61
30 „ 1897	3⅜	36,844	3,537	3,289	„ 248	„ 0·78
Ashfield to Enfield—(Opened 23rd September, 1891.)						
30 June, 1892	2	15,485	950	1,507	loss 557	loss
30 „ 1893	2	15,605	1,142	1,762	„ 620	„
30 „ 1894	2	15,865	1,004	1,863	„ 859	„
30 „ 1895	2	15,967	972	1,999	„ 1,027	„
30 „ 1896	2	16,371	997	1,646	„ †1,222	„
30 „ 1897	2	16,371	1.107	1,764	„ †1,230	„
Newcastle to Plattsburg, including Tighe's Hill and Merewether—(Opened 19th July, 1887.)						
31 Dec., 1887	7½	62,104	3,949	4,128	loss 179	loss 0·63
30 June, 1888	7½	63,170	8,211	8,136	gain 75	gain 0·12
30 „ 1889	7½	65,723	9,552	9,117	435	0·66
30 „ 1890	7½	69,247	9,972	8,217	1,755	2·53
30 „ 1891	7½	72,414	12,152	10,571	1,581	2·18
30 „ 1892	7½	75,899	13,696	10,037	3,659	4·82
30 „ 1893	7½	79,723	12,549	10,024	2,525	3·17
30 „ 1894	12	136,047	13,193	11,177	2,016	2·09
30 „ 1895	12	137,284	19,458	15,875	3,583	2·61
30 „ 1896	12	137,538	19,547	17,184	2,363	1·72
30 „ 1897	12	137,638	21,444	17,547	3,897	2·83
King-street, Sydney, to Ocean-street, Woollahra, Cable—(Opened 19th September, 1894.)						
30 June, 1895	2¾	171,905	18,895	16,683	2,212	1·64
30 „ 1896	2¾	177,180	27,563	19,152	8,411	4·75
30 „ 1897	2¾	177,421	30,241	20,969	9,272	5·22

* Decrease in Capital.—The decrease in capital shown in the City and Suburban Tramways is due to the transfer of rolling stock to some of the other lines, while in the case of the North Shore Cable line, the falling-off is due to the land taken for the St. Leonards Railway being transferred to the Railway Capital Account.

† Includes interest on cost of construction.

No. 49.—Number of Persons employed on State Railways and Tramways,

Railways.				Tramways.		
Department.	Salaried Staff.	Wages Staff.	Total.	Department.	Salaried Staff.	Wages Staff.
Commissioners' Office ...	17	4	21	Permanent Way ...	6	249
Chief Accountant ...	39	1	40	Locomotive	23	742
Traffic Audit	60	1	61	Traffic	21	378
Stores	25	46	71	Do Plattsburg ...	2	27
Permanent Way ...	105	2,777	2,882	Store	3	1
Locomotive	140	3,571	3,711	General...	...	2
Traffic	756	2,471	3,227			
Electrical	51	56	107	Total, Tramways	55	1,399
Interlocking	14	202	216			
General	13	8	21	Total, Railways and Tramways ...	1,275	10,536
Total, Railways ...	1,220	9,137	10,357			

Wages.—The total amount of wages (only) paid during the year ended 30th June, 1897, for Railways was [illegible] and Tramways, £173,308.

No. 50.—Number of Accidents on State Railways and Tramways, 189

Year ended—	Passengers.		Employees.		Trespassers, &c.		Total
	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.
Railways.							
30 June, 1891	7	42	32	114	21	14	60
30 „ 1892	17	58	26	163	7	7	50
30 „ 1893	7	47	10	87	11	5	28
30 „ 1894	8	33	7	93	13	18	28
30 „ 1895	16	77	17	70	9	13	42
30 „ 1896	5	27	9	83	11	8	25
30 „ 1897	2	50	8	78	15	7	25
Tramways.							
30 June, 1891	2	23	Nil.	4	2	34	4
30 „ 1892	Nil.	14	2	2	3	14	5
30 „ 1893	Nil.	10	1	Nil.	3	8	4
30 „ 1894	2	2	1	2	4	5	7
30 „ 1895	1	8	Nil.	4	4	9	5
30 „ 1896	2	11	1	7	6	4	9
30 „ 1897	1	2	1	Nil.	7	7	9

No. 51.—Number of Accidents on State Railways and Tramways, 1897.

Classification.	Causes beyond their own control.		Misconduct or want of caution.		Total.	
	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.
RAILWAYS.						
assengers	.....	19	2	31	2	50
ervants of Department or Contractors ...	.....	2	8	76	8	78
respassers, &c.	.....	.....	15	7	15	7
Total	.....	21	25	114	25	135
TRAMWAYS.						
assengers	.....	.....	1	2	1	2
ervants of Department or Contractors ...	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....
respassers, &c.	.....	.....	7	7	7	7
Total	.....	.....	9	9	9	9

o. 52.—Compensation paid in respect of Accidents on State Railways and Tramways, 1891–97.

(Included in Working Expenses, shown on Tables Nos. 46 and 47).

Year ended—	Railways.			Tramways.				
	Passengers	Goods.	Total.	City and Suburban.	North Shore Cable.	Newcastle to Plattsburg.	Ashfield to Enfield.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
June, 1891 ...	11,165	3,642	14,807	2,087	.....	5	.....	2,092
„ 1892 ...	3,580	4,223	7,803	3,606	.....	148	216	3,970
„ 1893 ...	1,701	1,889	3,590	1,899	25	.....	30	1,954
„ 1894 ...	2,238	2,948	5,186	3,448	.....	1	1	3,450
„ 1895 ...	31,874	1,358	33,232	2,124	.....	.....	.....	2,124
„ 1896 ...	14,277	971	15,248	3,265	.....	.....	.....	3,265
„ 1897 ...	1,284	1,610	2,894	1,916	.....	.....	.....	1,916

Government Railways Compensation Limitation Act, 1896.—Under the provisions of this Act (60 Vic. No. 21), amount of compensation recoverable in respect of personal injuries was limited to £2,000.

Section IV.—POSTS, TELEGRAPHS, and MONEY ORDERS

No. 53.—Offices, Persons employed, &c., Postmaster-General's Depart 1891-96.

Particulars.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.
Offices—					
Post	1,384	1,423	1,423	1,445	1,470
Receiving	344	377	404	450	502
Total	1,728	1,800	1,827	1,895	1,972
Persons employed—					
In Postal and Telegraph Department	4,070	4,478	4,845	4,982	5,063
As Mail Contractors	705	745	770	754	809
Total	4,775	5,223	5,615	5,736	5,872
Postal—					
Miles of Line	31,257	32,300	32,792	33,064	33,693
Miles travelled by Mail Conveyances	8,235,000	8,568,700	8,784,600	8,840,000	[illegible]
Telegraphs—					
Number of Stations	674	706	724	813	834
Miles of Line (Posts)	11,697	11,905	12,097	12,201	12,316
Miles of Wire	24,780	26,443	27,326	28,085	28,799
Revenue (exclusive of Interest on Investments and on Balances in Treasury) ... ... £	661,608	652,268	643,569	626,864	648,852
Expenditure (exclusive of Interest allowed to Depositors) ... £	687,226	740,118	783,500	763,976	763,259

Persons employed, 1896.—Of the total 5,745, there were 3,166 persons wholly occupied in the Servi partially so employed.

No. 54.—Revenue and Expenditure, Postmaster-General's Department,

Revenue.	£	£	Expenditure.	
Postage	499,760		Salaries	—
Less amount transferred to Stamp Duties as the approximate value of Postage Stamps used as Duty Stamps ...	24,000		Contingencies	—
			Conveyance of Mails	—
			Cable Subsidies, &c.	—
		475,760	Interest allowed to Savings Bank depositors	—
Electric Telegraphs		153,549	Postage Stamps repurchased from the public, and used as remittances by public officials	—
Telephones		31,955		
Money Order Commission		15,232		
Poundage on Postal Notes		7,839		
Interest on Savings Bank investments ...		138,314		
Other receipts (Fees for private boxes, collections from other Governments, and miscellaneous receipts)		11,292		
Total... ... ... £		833,941	Total...	£

Postmaster-General's Department.—The total receipts of this Department during 1896 were £833, expenditure was £872,471, showing a loss on the transactions of the year of £38,530. Adding the interest (£2 cost of buildings owned by the Government, and used as Post and Telegraph Offices, and the interest (£35,57 of construction of Telegraph lines, the total expenditure was £949,232, making a total loss during 1896 of £1

Amalgamation of Departments.—During February, 1898, the three separate departments under the Postmaster-General—the Post Office, Electric Telegraph, and Money Order and Government Savings Bank— mated, the Secretary of the first-named department being appointed permanent head of the departments, of Deputy-Postmaster-General.

Government Savings Bank.—See Part "Financial Institutions" for transactions of the Government S

Letters, Cards, Newspapers, &c., transmitted, Postal Branch, 1892–96.

Classification.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
Note*)—					
.. ..	65,025,800	66,924,000	56,285,000	55,528,900	55,772,230
to places beyond N.S.W.	11,549,600	10,616,500	10,852,200	11,647,670	12,122,420
Total	76,575,400	77,540,500	67,137,200	67,176,570	67,894,650
tters (See Note†)—					
.. .. to places beyond N.S.W.	†1,075,241	†812,036	582,819 273,309	575,822 326,626	654,116 346,549
Total	†1,075,241	†812,036	856,128	902,448	1,000,665
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.. ..	.....	.....	‡133,000	297,100	358,000
to other Australasian Colonies ..	.....	.....	‡20,700	40,190	35,080
Total	.....	.....	‡153,700	337,290	393,080
.. .. to places beyond N.S.W. ..	§827,360	§850,420	887,500 128,800	825,000 132,400	871,500 141,980
Total	§827,360	§850,420	1,016,300	957,400	1,013,480
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.. ..	35,991,200	35,872,300	32,163,400	35,667,100	36,234,260
to places beyond N.S.W.	9,529,300	9,055,600	9,503,900	9,235,800	9,324,080
Total	45,520,500	44,927,900	41,667,300	44,902,900	45,558,340
Book Parcels—					
.. ..	9,105,300	8,773,500	7,919,400	7,053,000	9,297,584
to places beyond N.S.W.	3,274,900	3,287,100	5,654,200	4,206,300	6,306,055
Total	12,380,200	12,060,600	13,573,600	11,259,300	15,603,639
.. ..	.....	‖38,025	315,243	362,442	426,345
to other Australasian Colonies ..	.....	‖6,240	33,975	39,721	55,464
to places beyond Australasia ..	22,967	19,437	18,672	20,609	24,302
Total	22,967	63,702	367,890	422,772	506,111

s.—Until the year 1894, when a separate return of registered letters for the whole Colony was compiled, the his heading include registered letters.

ered Letters.—The figures given for 1892 and 1893 only represent those registered letters which have passed eneral Post Office, Sydney. Statistics were not collected in these years of the destination of the letters, counts kept of the business of other offices.

st July, 1894. § Total number posted only. ‖ Since 1st October, 1893.

ation Fee.—With the exception of Returns under the Land and Income Tax Assessment Act, which are , and Notices of Objection to the retention of names on the List of Voters issued under the Parliamentary l Elections Act, on which the fee is 2d., all classes of mail matter are charged 3d. for Registration.

Cards.—Letter cards, that is double cards, which are closed against inspection, may be transmitted within l to Queensland, British New Guinea, Victoria, South Australia, Western Australia, Tasmania, New Zealand, rate of 1½d. each.

rds.—Post cards impressed with 1d. stamp may be transmitted in New South Wales, or to Australasian h New Guinea, and Fiji, and those with 1½d. stamp may be forwarded to other parts of the world.

and Book Parcels.—Books, magazines, commercial and printed papers, and packets may be forwarded te of postage than other articles. The definition and regulations are stated in the "Postal Guide."

—The Parcels Post was inaugurated on 1st October, 1893, for inland and intercolonial transmission, the ht being fixed at 3 lb. and 11 lb., according to mode of conveyance. The foreign system has been in force st, 1896.

). 56.—Transactions, Dead Letter Office, Postal Branch, 1896.

cription.	Letters.	Post Cards.	Packets.
nland.	No.	No.	No.
riters, delivered, &c.	196,293	2,028	260,195
accordance with sec. 1 Vic. No. 4.. ..	23,164	588	57,001
rcolonial.			
dressed to other			
writers, &c.	19,216	306	5,454
accordance with sec. 1 Vic. No. 4.. ..	4,187	90	1,395
other Colonies as un-	19,764	470	3,449
oreign.			
dressed to other			
—			
writers, &c.	5,430	74	1,064

Description.	Letters.	Post Cards.	Packets.
Foreign—*continued.*	No.	No.	No.
Destroyed in accordance with sec. 32 of Act 31 Vic. No. 4.. ..	1,357	26	99
Returned to other Countries as unclaimed	8,496	276	4,874
Summary.			
Returned to writers, delivered, &c.	220,939	2,408	266,713
Destroyed in accordance with sec. 32 of Act 31 Vic. No. 4.. ..	33,708	704	58,495
Returned to other Colonies and Countries	28,260	746	8,323
Total	282,907	3,858	333,531

ied Letters, &c.—Letters and Packets posted in New South Wales, addressed to places within the Colony, ddress awaiting delivery for one month; when posted in other Australasian Colonies they remain for a period of and those posted in other Countries, six months. Newspapers are kept for one month.

tion of Delivery of Letters, &c.—The Postmaster-General is empowered under the Postage Acts Amend- 93 (56 Vic. No. 31), to prohibit the delivery of all letters, &c., addressed to persons who, he has reasonable pose, are engaged in receiving money for or in connection with horse-racing, lotteries, &c. The names and ese persons are notified in the *Government Gazette*, and letters so addressed are re-directed to the senders. The gistered letters during 1893 was largely due to this cause.

No. 57.—Mail Routes, Postal Branch, 1896.

Classification.	P. & O. S. N. Co. via Colombo and Brindisi.	Orient S. N. Co. via Suez and Naples.	Union S.S. Co. via San Francisco.	Queensland Royal Mail Co. via Torres Straits.	M. M. Co. via Marseilles.	Nord-Deutscher Lloyd's via Genoa.
Received.						
Intercolonial—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Letters	128,587	136,515	17,250	.....	.....	10
Packets	15,169	24,095	2,401	.....	.....	.....
Newspapers	66,307	70,747	10,506	.....	.....	.....
British and Foreign—						
Letters	634,633	627,450	110,937	105	10,201	14,481
Packets and Newspapers	596,814	608,581	116,867	14	9,257	7,878
Despatched.						
Intercolonial—						
Letters	146,710	139,205	21,989	.....	139	136
Packets	29,760	57,390	110,349	.....	3	4
Newspapers	173,994	167,957	41,067	.....	39	1
British and Foreign—						
Letters	439,905	441,136	64,414	2,247	5,985	1,419
Packets	80,004	74,922	11,010	457	396	93
Newspapers	241,439	265,682	48,486	2,250	2,359	342
Total Received and Despatched.						
Intercolonial—						
Letters	275,297	275,720	39,239	.....	139	146
Packets and Newspapers	285,230	320,189	164,323	.....	42	5
British and Foreign—						
Letters	1,074,538	1,068,586	175,351	2,352	16,186	15,900
Packets and Newspapers	918,257	949,185	176,363	2,721	12,012	8,313
Number and Average Time of Mails.						
Number of Mails—						
Received	26	26	13	.....	.....	.....
Despatched	26	26	13	.....	.....	.....
Average time of Mails—	Days.	Days.	Days.			
London to Sydney ...	$33\frac{23}{24}$	$34\frac{4}{13}$	$38\frac{4}{13}$	.....	.....	.....
Sydney to London ...	$34\frac{9}{26}$	$33\frac{23}{26}$	$37\frac{1}{13}$	.....	$32\frac{1}{2}$	$36\frac{1}{13}$
Estimated net cost to New South Wales	£ 10,510.		£ 1,645.	According to weight.		

Contributions—Ocean Mail Service, Sydney to London, 1896.—*Via Suez.*—The contribution paid by Wales towards the cost of the "Federal" Ocean Mail Service (P. & O. and Orient Co's.) was £27,075; the net cost to be £10,510. *Via San Francisco.*—A sum of £4,000 was paid to New Zealand for the conveyance of Mails betw and San Francisco by steamers of the Union S.S. Co.; the net cost is estimated at £1,645. *Via Vancouver.*—Du contract was concluded for a regular monthly service between Sydney and Vancouver, British Columbia, by stea Canadian-Australian Line; the net cost for 1896 is estimated at £7,717.

Mail matter carried by non-subsidised Lines.—The mail matter carried by the Queensland Royal Mai the Messageries Maritimes Company, and Nord-Deutscher Lloyd's, is paid for according to weight.

No. 58.—Newspapers registered during 1896 under the Postage Acts Amendment Act, 1893.

Town where published.	No.	Town where published.	No.	Town where published.	No.	Town where published.	No.
Ashfield	1	Glebe	2	Narramine ...	1	Ryde	1
Ballina	1	Goulburn	2	Newcastle... ...	2	Rylstone	1
Bega	1	Grafton	1	Newtown	1	Sydney	23
Brewarrina ...	1	Hunter's Hill ...	1	Parramatta ...	1	Wagga Wagga ...	1
Campbelltown ...	2	Leichhardt ...	1	Petersham ...	1	Walgett	1
Carcoar	1	Maclean	1	Picton	2	Warialda	1
Dungog	1	Merriwa	1	Port Macquarie ...	1	Waterloo	1
Enmore	1	Millthorpe ...	1	Randwick	1	Wingham ...	1
Forest Lodge ...	2	Morpeth	1	Redfern	3	Total ...	65

Newspapers.—Under Act 56 Vic. No. 31, passed in June, 1893, newspapers are required to be registered at the General Post Office, Sydney, in order that they may be entitled to the newspaper rates of postage. The fee for registration is five shillings. Newspapers printed in New South Wales, from type set up therein, are allowed free transmission when posted to places in the Colony within seven days of publication, but after this period a charge is made. Newspapers, if forwarded to Queensland, Victoria, South Australia, Western Australia, Tasmania, New Zealand, British New Guinea, and Fiji, are charged at the rate of one half-penny each.

No. 59.—Transactions, Telegraph Branch, 1888-96.

Year.	Number of Telegraph Stations.	Telegrams transmitted, delivered, and in transit. Number.	Amount collected.	Actual Revenue received at the adjustment of Balances with Australasian Offices and Cable Companies.	Line.	Wire.	† Cost of Construction to 31st December.
			£	£	Miles.	Miles.	£
1888	460	3,936,830	311,144	185,965	.....	22,219	704,912
1889	485	3,932,670	309,980	186,862	10,732	22,606	713,663
1890	628	4,101,449	321,019	193,707	11,231	23,598	743,698
1891	674	4,046,251	311,780	191,319	11,697	24,780	767,872
1892	706	2,976,109	287,765	185,014	11,905	26,443	801,918
1893	724	2,853,691	281,659	157,482	12,097	27,326	820,822
1894	813	2,464,074	269,217	147,903	12,201	28,085	831,471
1895	834	2,635,456	367,318	145,901	12,316	28,799	840,380
1896	856	2,796,776	431,762	159,741	12,418	30,820	889,476

Telegraph Lines under Construction.—At the close of 1896 there were no lines under construction.
The value of messages which have passed over the lines from and to places outside New South Wales has not been included
† Includes Telephone Installation.

No. 60.—Transactions, Telegraph Branch, 1896.

Received by New South Wales. Countries.	Telegrams.	Amount collected.	Despatched by New South Wales. Countries.	Telegrams.	Amount collected.
Australasia—	No.	£	Australasia—	No.	£
New South Wales (Inland)	1,843,102	107,036	New South Wales (Inland)	1,843,102	107,036
From Victoria	178,226	14,585	To Victoria	191,452	16,068
„ Queensland ...	88,600	12,543	„ Queensland... ...	77,803	9,882
„ South Australia...	61,221	7,954	„ South Australia ...	58,612	7,367
„ Western Australia	31,019	6,132	„ Western Australia...	22,824	4,218
„ Tasmania ...	11,638	1,726	„ Tasmania	12,152	1,925
„ New Zealand ...	20,429	4,756	„ New Zealand ...	20,301	4,237
From New Caledonia ...	1,256	708	To New Caledonia ...	1,347	879
„ Other Countries ...	17,099	53,354	„ Other Countries ...	23,231	70,172
			Total	2,250,824	221,784
			Messages which have passed over New South Wales lines from and to places outside the Colony.	136,464	108,220
Total	2,252,590	208,794	Total	2,387,288	330,004

Telegraph Revenue.—The actual revenue retained by the New South Wales Telegraph Office in 1896 was £159,741.

No. 61.—Cable Lines, Telegraph Branch.

Cable.	Date of Opening.	New South Wales. (Land.)	Other Australasian Colonies.		Foreign Countries.		Total.	
			Land.	Sea.	Land.	Sea.	Land.	Sea.
		Approximate.						
		Miles.	Miles.	Miles. (knots.)	Miles.	Miles (knots.)	Miles.	Miles (knots.)
Sydney to Europe (London)—								
Via Port Darwin (South Australia)...	21 Oct., 1872.	386	2,892	.....	1,704	9,287	4,982	9,287
Via Roebuck Bay (Western Australia)	May, 1889.	386	4,040	.....	1,704	9,107	6,130	9,107
Sydney to Nelson (New Zealand)	20 Feb., 1876.	11	.....	1,191	.....	.....	11	1,191
Sydney to Gomen (New Caledonia) *via* Queensland.	19 Oct., 1893.	490	453	.....	.....	900	943	900
Sydney to Low Head, River Tamar, Tasmania, *via* Victoria.	April, 1869.	386	244	170	.....	.....	630	170

No. 62.—Cable Subsidies and Guarantee Contributions of New South Wales, 1895–97.

Year ended 30th April.	Line *via* Port Darwin (South Australia) to Europe.			Tasmanian Cable Subsidy.	New Zealand Guarantee.	Total Contributions.
	Duplicate Cable Subsidy between Port Darwin and Banjowanjie.	Cable Company's Guarantee in connection with reduced rates.	South Australian Guarantee.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1895	13,151	2,056	272	1,705	2,414	19,598
1896	13,151	Nil*	Nil*	1,705	1,311	16,167
1897	13,151	Nil*	Nil*	1,705	854	15,710

* The receipts in respect of the Australasian traffic being in excess of the amounts guaranteed in connection with the reduced rates, New South Wales was not called upon to contribute.

Cable Subsidies and Guarantees.—Each of the Colonies, except Queensland and New Zealand, contributes *pro rata* to population for the subsidy to cable to Europe, and the short cable to Tasmania. The New South Wales Government does not bear any of the expense of the alternative line, Adelaide to Banjowanjie, *via* Roebuck Bay, Western Australia. Each Colony, except Queensland, guarantees against loss in connection with reduced rates on the New Zealand cable; whilst New South Wales and Queensland guarantee the French Telegraph Company against loss—not exceeding £2,000—on the cable to New Caledonia.

No. 63.—Number of Cable Messages, &c., 1890–96.

Year.	Cable Messages sent from New South Wales. *	Cable Messages received by New South Wales. *	Amount collected.			New South Wales receipts.
			Messages sent.	Messages received.	Total.	
	No.	No.	£	£	£	£
1890	10,316	8,654	47,878	39,957	87,835	3,808
1891	14,982	11,587	46,192	37,093	83,285	3,830
1892	16,511	14,558	41,746	38,816	80,562	3,130
1893	15,749	13,599	50,733	42,469	93,202	3,316
1894	17,595	14,087	51,272	39,672	90,944	3,283
1895	21,637	16,178	61,627	48,591	110,218	3,922
1896	24,578	18,355	71,052	54,061	125,113	4,411

* **Cablegrams in Transit.**—The figures for the years 1890–92 include cable messages in transit; since 1892, however these messages have been excluded from the return. The collections in all years include the receipts from messages in transit.

Cable Rates, 1896.—The charge per word, inclusive of names and addresses, made on ordinary cablegrams to the United Kingdom and European countries is 4s. 11d., of which New South Wales receives 2d. To New Zealand, 3s. is demanded for the first ten words or under, and for a similar number of words to New Caledonia, 8s. is charged. The rates to all other countries are higher, but press messages are sent at reduced rates, as shown in the "Postal Guide."

No. 64.—Number of Telephones, 1891–96.

Exchanges, &c.	1891. (Estimate.)	1892. (Estimate.)	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
Central Sydney	1,316	1,400	1,630	1,793	1,981	2,432
Branch Suburban	75	109	288	502	667	1,179
Country	167	185	220	227	240	363
Telephone Bureaus...	.....	.....	9	14	14	17
Government Departmental	175	220	} 380	462	530	642
Extension Lines—Sydney and Suburbs ...	.....	.....				
Country	.....	.....	27	25	17	36
Private Telephone Lines—						
Sydney and Suburbs	644	332	145	156	237	280
Country	209	108	99	112	126	156
Total	2,586	2,354	2,798	3,291	3,812	5,105

Telephones.—Telephone Bureaus for the use of the public, on payment of a small charge, are open at the head office Sydney, and in thirteen of the suburbs. There are telephone stations in the country used in conjunction with the Electri Telegraph Service.

No. 65.—Length of Line opened, Cost of Construction and Rental received from Telephones, 1891–96.

Year.	Length of Line.		Cost of Construction.	Rental received.	Year.	Length of Line.		Cost of Construction.	Rental received.
	Mls.	Chs.	£	£		Mls.	Chs.	£	£
1891	295	38	6,773	7,212	1894	601	18	7,747	20,298
1892	262	41	5,187	11,399	1895	593	39	6,680	25,956
1893	539	52	9,607	16,320	1896	1,771	36	16,053	31,955

No. 66.—Money Orders issued in, and drawn on New South Wales, 1888–96.

Year.	Issued in New South Wales.			Drawn on New South Wales.		
	Payable in—		Total.	Issued and paid in New South Wales.	Issued in other Countries, and paid in New South Wales.	Total.
	New South Wales.	Other Countries.				
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1888	903,797	311,335	1,215,132	901,620	214,813	1,116,433
1889	890,501	297,726	1,188,227	890,513	217,585	1,108,098
1890	955,244	297,061	1,252,305	954,562	239,392	1,193,954
1891	1,236,425	341,319	1,577,744	1,233,191	285,796	1,518,987
1892	1,436,300	326,413	1,762,713	1,436,109	303,703	1,739,812
1893	1,266,691	349,194	1,615,885	1,269,889	286,349	1,556,238
1894	1,017,003	298,634	1,315,637	1,016,570	241,352	1,257,922
1895	985,771	283,429	1,269,200	984,509	262,726	1,247,235
1896	1,019,556	294,039	1,313,595	1,014,040	413,480	1,427,520

Money Orders.—*Local* single money orders are limited to £20; commission thereon ranges from 6d. to 2s. *To other Australasian Colonies*—Single money orders are limited to £20, and commission ranges from 6d. to 4s. *To Other Countries*—To Germany, Italy, United States, Canadian Dominion, India, and Ceylon, single money orders are limited to £20, the commission ranging from 1s. to 10s. To all other countries to which orders are issued by New South Wales a single money order is limited to £10, the commission thereon ranging from 1s. to 5s. Orders for payment of money may be transmitted b telegraph to Money Order Offices in New South Wales or to any Colony of Australasia except New Zealand upon payme of the cost of a telegram in *addition to the* commission. The remitter must, however, also advise the payee by a priv telegram.

No. 67.—Money Orders issued in, and drawn on New South Wales, 1896.

Issued in New South Wales.	Number.	Value.	Drawn on New South Wales, and paid in the Colony.	Number.	Value.
Payable in—			Issued in—		
Australasia—		£	Australasia—		£
New South Wales (Inland)	302,773	1,019,556	New South Wales (Inland)	301,817	1,014,040
Victoria	30,568	94,183	Victoria	16,623	56,387
Queensland	7,121	25,816	Queensland	18,129	63,416
South Australia ...	9,768	30,006	South Australia ...	4,692	15,432
Western Australia ...	2,734	19,417	Western Australia ...	35,308	176,780
Tasmania	17,547	23,367	Tasmania	3,560	9,388
New Zealand ...	4,196	12,534	New Zealand ...	10,576	28,622
Other Countries—			Other Countries—		
United Kingdom and Europe	22,393	63,834	United Kingdom and Europe	12,941	40,068
Germany (direct) ...	1,038	3,078	Germany (direct) ...	275	1,798
Italy (direct) ...	363	2,293	Italy (direct) ...	12	79
Canada	157	777	Canada	208	1,003
United States ...	1,787	5,165	United States ...	1,019	4,875
India	1,069	8,012	India	230	799
Ceylon	138	632	Ceylon	59	131
Straits Settlements ...	6	20	Straits Settlements ...	46	105
Hong Kong	854	4,161	Hong Kong	67	135
Cape of Good Hope...	127	661	Cape of Good Hope...	2,129	14,333
Mauritius	38	83	Mauritius	25	129
Total issued in N.S.W.	402,677	1,313,595	Total drawn on N.S.W. and paid in the Colony	407,716	1,427,520

No. 68.—Commission on Money Orders, 1890-96.

Year.	Gross Commission collected from the public.	Commission on Colonial and Foreign Money Orders.			Net Commission received by New South Wales.
		Paid by N.S.W. to other Governments.	Paid to N.S.W. by other Governments.	Excess payments by N. S. Wales.	
	£	£	£	£	£
1890	16,939	2,759	2,644	115	16,824
1891	19,198	3,171	3,464	*293	19,491
1892	19,309	2,392	2,066	326	18,983
1893	19,038	2,214	1,688	526	18,512
1894	15,828	1,890	1,445	445	15,383
1895	14,863	1,771	1,537	234	14,629
1896	15,232	1,812	2,326	*514	15,746

* Excess payments to New South Wales.

Commission.—New South Wales pays commission, varying from ½ to 1 per cent., to the colonies and countries to which Money Orders are sent, in proportion to the amount of such orders, and a similar allowance is made to New South Wales by the colonies and countries doing a return business.

Stamp duty on Orders.—The above figures do not include the stamp duty of 1d. charged on all Money Orders issued in New South Wales, and of 2d. imposed on all orders of £2 and upwards, issued in other colonies, paid in New South Wales.

No. 69.—Postal Notes, 1893–96.

Year.	New South Wales Postal Notes.			Other Colonies' Postal Notes paid in New South Wales.					Revenue collected on New South Wales Postal Notes.
	Paid in New South Wales.	Paid in other Colonies.	Total.	Issued in— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1893*	23,139 9 9	2,339 8 1	25,478 17 10	1,012 8 2	274 19 3	153 19 10	45 8 9	1,486 16 0	548 17 10
1894	147,095 15 7	12,310 1 9	159,405 17 4	5,917 18 8	2,523 9 0	960 1 5	303 5 0	9,704 14 1	3,877 13 4
1895	243,188 0 3	16,368 18 10	259,556 19 1	7,626 19 7	3,862 11 4	1,430 12 3	441 0 5	13,361 3 7	6,316 12 4
1896	304,234 11 4	20,411 13 0	324,646 4 4	8,498 19 4	5,688 14 1	1,669 16 4	506 1 9	16,363 11 6	7,838 17 4

* From 1st October.

No. 70.—Postal Notes, 1896.

Denomination.	New South Wales Postal Notes.			Other Colonies' Postal Notes paid in New South Wales.					Revenue collected on New South Wales Postal Notes.
	Paid in New South Wales.	Paid in other Colonies.	Total.	Issued in— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.	
s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1 0	2,177 9 0	20,411 13 0	324,646 4 4	36 3 0	46 10 0	10 16 0	3 19 0	97 8 0	7,838 17 4
1 6	2,007 9 0			33 15 0	31 17 6	11 5 0	3 19 6	80 17 0	
2 0	3,769 0 0			96 0 0	93 18 0	26 10 0	8 16 0	225 4 0	
2 6	8,657 10 0			164 10 0	154 15 0	43 10 0	15 12 6	378 7 6	
3 0	12,336 15 0			206 11 0	196 4 0	55 4 0	22 13 0	480 12 0	
3 6	....			134 4 6	128 2 0	42 14 0	13 13 0	318 13 6	
4 0	18,639 12 0			260 12 0	201 8 0	62 16 0	23 16 0	548 12 0	
4 6	....			190 2 6	124 13 0	45 4 6	13 1 0	373 1 0	
5 0	38,770 15 0			620 15 0	522 5 0	145 10 0	44 10 0	1,333 0 0	
7 6	19,633 17 6			293 5 0	206 5 0	74 5 0	18 7 6	592 2 6	
10 0	65,841 10 0			1,466 10 0	1,012 0 0	340 0 0	94 0 0	2,912 10 0	
10 6	....			193 14 6	141 4 6	83 9 6	17 6 6	435 15 0	
15 0	41,296 10 0			636 0 0	427 10 0	153 15 0	29 5 0	1,246 10 0	
20 0	88,118 0 0			4,102 0 0	2,336 0 0	547 0 0	190 0 0	7,175 0 0	
Stamps affixed	2,986 3 10			64 16 10	66 2 1	27 17 4	7 2 9	165 19 0	
Total ..	304,234 11 4	20,411 13 0	324,646 4 4	8,498 19 4	5,688 14 1	1,669 16 4	506 1 9	16,363 11 6	7,838 17 4

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PART XIII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

. 1.—Districts served by the Metropolitan Water Supply, 30th June, 1897.

District.	* Length of Mains.	Properties Liable.
	Miles.	No.
politan –		
of Sydney—		
urke Ward		
sbane Ward		
ok Ward		
nison Ward	159·2	23,528
zroy Ward		
ps Ward		
equarie Ward		
illip Ward		
rbs—		
xandria ..	11·8	2,829
nandale ..	9·9	2,138
hfield	36·2	4,171
burn	14·3	972
lmain	34·3	7,357
nkstown ..	1·8	25
ecroft	1·7	....
tany	6·3	700
rwood	24·4	1,950
mperdown ..	10·3	1,712
nterbury ..	12·1	976
ncord	13·6	1,046
rlington ..	3·5	758
ummoyne ..	3·6	987

District.	* Length of Mains.	Properties Liable.
Metropolitan—*contd.*		
Suburbs—*contd.*	Miles.	No.
Enfield	9·0	754
Erskineville ..	5·7	1,433
Five Dock.. ..	9·6	491
Glebe	22·4	4,103
Granville	19·3	2,200
Hunter's Hill ..	11·0	710
Hurstville.. ..	29·2	2,377
Islands in harbour	1·1	25
Kogarah	14·3	1,414
Lane Cove.. ..	9·3	541
Leichhardt ..	33·3	4,859
Marrickville ..	36·0	5,155
Mosman	14·5	1,411
Newtown	26·4	5,217
North Botany ..	8·7	1,008
North Sydney ..	26·1	5,382
Paddington ..	28·5	4,518
Parramatta ..	0·5	21
Petersham ..	27·0	3,394
Randwick.. ..	32·0	2,116
Redfern	25·5	4,764
Rockdale	27·3	2,608
Rookwood and Silver Water ..	8·3	680

District.	* Length of Mains.	Properties Liable.
Metropolitan—*contd.*		
Suburbs—*contd.*	Miles.	No.
Ryde	8·7	468
St. Peter's.. ..	11·8	1,819
Strathfield and Flemington ..	15·8	1,280
Waterloo	13·5	2,381
Waverley	22·5	3,063
Willoughby ..	21·8	1,303
Woollahra and Vaucluse ..	27·0	2,719
Country—		
Campbelltown ..	5·7	257
Gordon	25·4	1,919
Liverpool and Hoxton Park ..	13·1	647
Prospect and Sherwood	1·8	182
Richmond ..	10·0	445
Smithfield and Fairfield ..	3·6	118
Total	963·7	120,931

Exclusive of Trunk Mains and Mains which have become obsolete.

Hydrants.—Attached to the water-mains there are 1,715 screw-down Hydrants, and 17,743 ball Hydrants.

Water Supply.—During 1850 the City Corporation was empowered to construct water and sewerage works, and dance with such authority works for each service were carried out, but on a limited scale. The water supply and e systems have been superseded by comprehensive ones for the whole Metropolitan area, and the works of the City , as well as several of the isolated systems in the suburbs, now form part of the respective general schemes. During Royal Commission was appointed to investigate and report upon proposals for supplying water to the city and . Two years later the Commissioners submitted a report recommending the adoption of the "Upper Nepean ," which was accepted. The works are being carried out under authority of Act 43 Vic. No. 32, passed in 1880; contract was let in November, 1879, and in 1888 the works had so far advanced that the Government passed an Act ring the control in May, 1888, to the **Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage.** The 355·1 miles r-mains chiefly constructed by the City Council were placed under the Board at the same date. The Board was ned under Act 43 Vic. No. 32, as amended by 51 Vic. No. 28, and consists of seven members, three of whom are ted by the Governor, two elected by the City Council, and two by the Suburban and Country Municipalities within nty of Cumberland, which are supplied with water.

No. 2.—Reservoirs, Metropolitan Water Supply, 1896.

Name.	Capacity.
	Gallons.
pect	10,812,313,000
' Hill	100,000,000
n-street.. ..	3,250,000
ington	2,000,000
lahra	1,000,000
rley	1,087,000

Name.	Capacity.
	Gallons.
Petersham	2,157,000
Ryde Hill	1,000,000
Chatswood, No. 1 ..	1,500,000
Chatswood, No. 2 ..	1,500,000
Liverpool	4,000,000
Ashfield	100,000

Name	Capacity.
	Gallons.
Penshurst—	
Steel	1,000,000
Supplemental tanks	20,000
Smithfield	100,000
Wahroonga	40,000

roposed Reservoir in Centennial Park.—During December, 1894, an Act was passed authorising the construction ervoir in Centennial Park. It has a capacity of 17½ million gallons, and will be completed during the year 1898.

he Nepean System.—The source of the supply is the united waters of the Nepean, Cataract, and Cordeaux Rivers. er is intercepted at a height of 437 feet above the level of the sea, and flows through a series of conduits to Prospect ir, 40 miles from the farthest source of supply, thence to Potts' Hill Balance Reservoir. The water, after leaving this r, passes through a screening-tank, from which it is conveyed by mains to the various reservoirs.

No. 3.—Houses and Population Served by the Metropolitan Water Su 1888–97.

Period.	Average Daily Supply.	Total Supply for year.	Houses Supplied.	Estimated Population Supplied.	Average Dai during y	
					Per House.	F E P
	Gallons.	Gallons.	No.	No.	Gallons.	G
Year ended 31st December, 1888	8,144,169	2,972,621,623	61,718	296,246	132	
" " 1889	8,820,000	3,219,244,159	67,924	326,035	129	
" " 1890	8,486,034	3,097,402,486	71,501	343,204	118	
" " 1891	9,540,102	3,482,237,514	76,093	365,246	125	
" " 1892	12,129,152	4,439,273,890	78,926	378,885	153	
" " 1893	12,533,652	4,574,782,838	81,288	390,182	153	
" " 1894	13,738,874	5,014,689,009	83,621	401,380	164	
1st Jan., 1895, to 30th June, 1896	16,645,014	9,194,922,372	85,059	408,282	196	
Year ended " 1897	17,659,357	6,445,665,328	87,190	418,512	202	

No. 4.—Revenue and Expenditure in connection with Metropolitan W Supply, 1888–97.

Period.	Revenue.	Expenditure.						
		Working Expenditure.			Interest on Capital Debt—			Depreciation.
		Maintenance	Management.	Total.	On ordinary Loan Capital.	On Debentures (taken over from Municipalities).	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Year ended 31st December, 1888	125,486	10,024	9,182	*19,206	59,976	4,300	64,276	...
" " 1889	138,923	20,386	16,182	36,568	101,477	4,150	105,627	2,447
" " 1890	145,990	20,546	14,242	34,788	105,100	4,000	109,100	3,422
" " 1891	165,831	23,571	14,685	38,256	107,981	4,000	111,981	3,917
" " 1892	155,886	31,090	13,988	45,078	111,869	4,000	115,869	878
" " 1893	157,427	23,343	13,798	37,141	115,187	4,000	119,187	2,512
" " 1894	161,167	25,223	14,051	39,274	115,660	4,000	119,660	1,772
Six months ended 30th June, 1895	85,364	12,506	7,187	19,693	69,383	2,000	71,383	776
Year ended 30th June, 1896	174,357	23,714	13,781	37,495	137,098	4,000	141,098	3,48
" " 1897	175,984	26,221	14,600	40,821	140,050	4,000	144,050	3,35

* For nine months only.

No. 5.—Proportion of Working Expenses to Revenue and Capital Cost, Metropolitan Water Supply, 1888–97.

Period.	Revenue.	Working Expenditure.		Capital Cost.	Debt. Net Liabilities on which Interest is paid.	
		Total.	Proportion to Revenue.		Amount.	Annual rate of Interest per cent. after paying Working Expenses.
	£	£	Per cent.	£	£	Per cent.
ear ended 31st December, 1888	125,486	*19,206	20·40	3,004,557	2,623,837	3·81
,, ,, 1889	138,923	36,568	26·32	3,088,068	2,707,500	3·78
,, ,, 1890	145,990	34,788	23·82	3,189,080	2,808,412	3·96
,, ,, 1891	165,831	38,256	23·09	3,306,649	2,925,987	4·36
,, ,, 1892	155,886	45,078	28·91	3,394,581	3,013,919	3·68
,, ,, 1893	157,427	37,141	23·59	3,409,721	3,029,059	3·97
,, ,, 1894	161,167	39,274	24·36	3,440,614	3,059,957	3·98
x months ended 30th June, 1895	85,364	19,693	23·06	4,078,979	3,698,323	3·54
ar ended 30th June, 1896	174,357	37,495	21·50	4,154,261	3,776,879	3·62
,, ,, 1897	175,984	40,821	23·19	4,244,550	3,867,168	3·50

* For nine months only.

Capital Cost.—It will be seen from the above statement that the Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage not calculate interest on the sum of £377,382, representing expenditure by the City Council on water works taken over e Board. The Royal Commission, appointed by the Government to inquire into the working of the Board, has recom-ded that the Government should, without delay, fix the amount of the capital debt on which the Board should provide est. If the Board had debited its account with interest on the full amount of the capital cost, as shown in Table No. 6, penditure would, of course, have been correspondingly greater, and the deficiency disclosed in Table No. 4 would have increased.

Cost of Offices.—The amount of the capital debt, 1895-6 and 1896-7, does not include £32,341, the proportion of the cost does chargeable to the Water Supply Branch, as the Board charged their working expenses with rent on their new offices.

. 6.—Liabilities and Assets, Metropolitan Water Supply, on 30th June, 1897.

Liabilities.			Assets.	
pital Cost—	£	£		£
dvanced by Treasury—			Water Supply Works	3,088,698
Loans Works Department...	3,118,311		Lands and Buildings	196,135
Do Board	663,857		Reservoirs	167,072
Municipal Loans taken over ...	85,000		Mains	779,025
City Council Water Fund ...	377,382		Machinery	34,691
		4,244,550	Stores, Working Plant, and Tools ...	25,306
tes overpaid		582	Rates outstanding	34,090
her liabilities		70,152	Other assets	3,913
lance of Revenue Account		13,646		
Total		£4,328,930	Total	£4,328,930

No. 7.—Campbelltown Water Supply.

Period.	Population supplied with Water.	Cost of Reticulation.	Annual Liability against Revenue.			
			Annual instalment required to pay off cost of reticulation and interest in 100 years.	Maintenance (including proportion of Head Office Expenses).	Charges for Water supplied from Canal 32 gals. per head per day at 3d. per 1,000 gallons.	Total.
	No.	£	£	£	£	£
Year ended 31st December, 1891	686	4,433	160	235	100	495
" " 1892	748	4,433	160	222	110	492
" " 1893	820	4,454	161	168	120	449
" " 1894	844	4,457	161	172	123	456
Six months ended 30th June, 1895	853	4,457	81	79	62	222
Year ended 30th June, 1896	877	4,502	163	150	128	441
" " 1897	901	4,741	171	176	131	478

System.—The district receives its supply by a 6-inch pipe being laid from the canal to the town, a d
2¼ miles, the reticulation consisting chiefly of 4-inch mains.

The Metropolitan Board of Water Supply levies a charge commensurate with the capital cost and maintena
main conduit from the head of source to the point of junction and the cost and maintenance of the local reticulati

No. 8.—Liverpool Water Supply.

Period.	Population supplied with Water.	Cost of Reticulation.	Annual Liability against Revenue.			
			Annual instalment required to pay off cost of reticulation and interest in 100 years.	Maintenance (including proportion of Head Office Expenses).	Charges for Water supplied from Canal 32 gals. per head per day at 3d. per 1,000 gallons.	Total.
	No.	£	£	£	£	£
Year ended 31st December, 1891	1,244	11,885	430	134	182	746
" " 1892	1,527	12,773	462	853	224	1,539
" " 1893	1,661	12,997	470	323	242	1,035
" " 1894	1,857	13,120	474	333	271	1,078
Six months ended 30th June, 1895	1,923	13,274	239	158	140	537
Year ended 30th June, 1896	2,035	13,258	478	366	298	1,142
" " 1897	2,111	13,264	479	370	308	1,157

System.—The district receives its supply by a 9-inch pipe from the main canal at Cecil Hills, which c
Mount Young, and thence by a 6-inch main to the town. An earthen reservoir, capable of holding 4,000,000 g
been constructed for the purpose of tiding over any interruption in the flow from the canal. See second note to T

No. 9.—Richmond Water Supply.

Period.	Capital Cost.	Annual Liability against Revenue.		
		Interest at 4 per cent.	Maintenance (including proportion of Head Office Expenses).	Total.
	£	£	£	£
Seven months ended 31st December, 1893	12,340	494	315	809
Year ended 31st December, 1894	12,340	494	638	1,132
Six months ended 30th June, 1895	12,352	247	178	425
Year ended 30th June, 1896	12,480	499	529	1,028
" " 1897	12,636	505	383	888

Richmond Water Supply.—The works were constructed under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage
No. 16). The Municipal Council of Richmond administered the service till the 28th May, 1888, when it was
transferred, pending legal powers, to the Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage. The Boa
restricted in its management, as only premises owned by persons who have signed agreements to take the wa
rated. The accounts are kept separate from those of the Metropolitan Water Scheme.

The Plant consists of pumping works erected on the left bank of the Hawkesbury, just below the confl
Grose and Nepean; a circular brick tank, having a capacity of [illegible] gallons; a 9-inch supply main to Richmo
in length; and 3½ miles of reticulation mains.

10.—Districts served, Houses and Population supplied by, and Revenue, Expenditure, and Capital Debt of Hunter District Water Supply.

Districts served, 1896-97.

Adamstown.	Lambton, New.	Morpeth.	Waratah.
Carrington.	Maitland, East.	Newcastle.	Wickham.
Hamilton.	Maitland, West.	Plattsburg.	Minmi.
Lambton.	Merewether.	Wallsend.	Cockle Creek.

Houses and Population supplied, 1893–97.

Period.	Average Daily Supply.	Total Supply for year.	Houses Supplied.	Estimated Population Supplied.	Average daily supply during year.	
					Per House.	Per Head of Population.
ar ended—	Gallons.	Gallons.	No.	No.	Gallons.	Gallons.
30th June, 1893... ...	451,005	164,616,850	3,421	17,105	132	26·37
" 1894	418,766	152,849,650	3,848	19,240	109	21·76
" 1895... ...	518,038	189,084,003	4,660	23,300	111	22·23
" 1896... ...	606,728	222,062,466	6,246	31,230	97	19·42
" 1897... ...	731,451	266,979,523	6,931	34,655	105	21·10

Revenue, Expenditure, and Estimated Capital Debt, 1893–97.

Period.	Revenue struck for the Year.	Expenditure.				Proportion of Expenditure to Revenue.	Interest on Estimated Capital Debt at 3½ per cent.	Total Expenditure and Interest for the Year.	Result of the Year's Operations.	Estimated Capital Debt at end of each year.	Actual Perc'nt'ge returned on the estimated Capital Debt for the Year.
		Management Expenses.	Working Expenses.	* Maintenance (actual only).	Total.						
ended—	£	£	£	£	£	Per cent.	£	£	£	£	£
30th June, 1893...	22,651	4,314	3,728	355	8,397	37·07	14,154	22,551	(+) 100	404,407	3·52
" 1894...	21,406	4,619	4,194	572	9,385	43·84	14,206	23,591	(—) 2,185	405,871	2·96
" 1895 ..	20,367	4,576	4,066	379	9,021	44·29	14,446	23,467	(—) 3,100	412,732	2·75
" 1896...	20,779	4,433	3,991	388	8,812	42·41	14,550	23,362	(—) 2,583	415,784	2·88
" 1897 ..	22,518	4,383	4,211	409	9,003	39·98	14,981	23,984	(—) 1,466	428,025	3·16

(+) Surplus. (—) Deficiency.

* The figures shown represent only the actual expenditure for maintenance. Under the new Act, which comes into ion as from 1st July, 1897, it is enacted that proper provision shall be made for the reconstruction of renewable works ting aside a sum from each year's revenue to the credit of a sinking fund at the Treasury, from which fund the its expended from time to time for maintenance and renewals shall be drawn. Had provision been made for the g funds for permanent and renewable works, established under the Acts of 1892 and 1894, during the five years for the figures are given above, the item for maintenance would have been represented by the instalment for each year, se year's operations would have resulted in a greater deficiency than that shown. At the request of the Statistician, ard have supplied the above amended statement of their accounts, instead of the ones previously supplied.

The Water Supply Works of the Lower Hunter were constructed by the Government under the provisions of the ry Towns Water Supply and Sewerage Act of 1880. The works in July, 1892, were transferred under Act 55 Vic. to the Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board. The Board consists of seven members—three of whom are ated by the Government, one by the Municipal Council of Newcastle, one by the Councils of East and West Maitland orpeth, and two by the other municipalities within the proclaimed area. The Board's year closes on the 30th June.

ital Debt.—Under the 14th section of Amending Act, No. 14, of 1897, the Board are required to levy such rates et to a maximum of 1s. in the £) as shall be sufficient so provide for (a) interest on the capital debt at 3½ per cent. per , (b) management and working expenses, (c) the annual instalment to the sinking fund for the reconstruction of able works, and (d) the deficiency on the previous year's operations (if any). Under the 36th section of the Act, the er has to determine the capital indebtedness of the Board to the Government up to the 30th June, 1897, and thence- d annually. These figures have not yet been gazetted. The figures shown above are estimated.

No. 11.—Districts served by Metropolitan Sewerage, 30th June, 1897.

District.	Properties liable.	District.	Properties liable.	District.	Properties liable.
City of Sydney—	No.	Suburbs—	No.	Suburbs—*continued.*	No.
Bourke Ward ...	1,117	Alexandria... ...	2,672	Paddington... ...	3,762
Brisbane „ ...	1,241	Camperdown ...	1,293	Petersham	530
Cook „ ...	6,172	Darlington	753	Randwick	842
Denison „ ...	4,295	Erskineville ...	1,395	Redfern	4,743
Fitzroy „ ...	3,622	Glebe	2,526	Waterloo	2,197
Gipps „ ...	1,710	Marrickville ...	75	Waverley	2,832
Macquarie „ ..	2,049	Newtown	3,203	Woollahra	2,211
Phillip „ ...	2,566	North Botany ...	9	Total	51,815

Metropolitan Sewerage.—The original Sewerage Works of Sydney were begun in 1854, and at the date when the works were transferred to the Board the City Council had constructed 70·27 miles of sewerage. From 1875 to 1877 a Royal Commission was appointed to investigate and report upon a comprehensive scheme for the Metropolis, and in the latter year a report was presented which recommended the scheme now being carried out. The first contract was let in 1880, and in September, 1889, the works were transferred to the Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, under authority of the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Act Amendment Act (53 Vic. No. 16), passed in the same year.

System.—The system consists of two main outfalls, named the northern and southern respectively, the former discharges into the Pacific Ocean at a point named "Ben Buckler," at Bondi, and the latter discharges into a "Sewage Farm" at Webb's grant on the shores of Botany Bay.

The Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Act Extension Act (57 Vic. No. 12).—This Act provides for the administration and construction, by the Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, of storm-water drains or sewers on certain areas which may from time to time be proclaimed in the *Government Gazette*. The boundaries of these areas, however, may be altered if the appeal by the local authorities to the nearest Court of Petty Sessions be sustained. Under clause 3 the Board is empowered to impose special rates, pending the extension of the general sewerage works to the locality.

No. 12.—Houses connected and Population served, Metropolitan Sewerage, 1890-97.

Period.	Houses connected.	Estimated Population served.	Total Length of Sewers at end of year.	Total Length of Storm-water Drains at end of year.	Ventilating Shafts erected.	Length of Sewers ventilated.
	No.	No.	miles.	miles.	feet.	miles.
Year ended 31st December, 1890	22,765	109,272	122·03	3·15	12,639	14·50
„ „ 1891	26,884	129,043	148·02	4·38	47,628	70·74
„ „ 1892	31,402	150,729	172·94	6·62	49,089	79·25
„ „ 1893	36,062	173,097	182·34	9·10	50,239	81·43
„ „ 1894	39,965	191,832	201·95	9·82	54,405	92·50
„ 30th June, 1896	44,462	213,417	230·20	14·42	87,505	182·50
„ „ 1897	47,593	228,446	255·76	18·41	99,397	210·00

No. 13.—Revenue and Expenditure, Metropolitan Sewerage, 1890-97.

Period.	Revenue.	Expenditure.							
		Working Expenditure.			Interest on Capital Debt—			Depreciation.	Total Expenditure.
		Maintenance.	Management.	Total.	On ordinary Loan Capital.	On Debentures (taken over from Municipalities).	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Year ended 31st December, 1890	81,800	11,450	10,799	22,249	36,142	8,635	44,777	...	67,026
" " 1891	81,302	15,624	9,787	25,411	39,675	6,820	46,495	...	71,906
" " 1892	87,927	16,383	10,922	27,305	45,197	6,820	52,017	221	79,543
" " 1893	93,661	17,605	9,487	27,092	50,864	6,820	57,684	587	85,363
" " 1894	93,134	18,188	9,865	28,053	53,822	6,820	60,642	542	89,237
Six months ended 30th June, 1895	43,110	8,626	5,624	14,250	28,564	3,560	32,124	231	46,605
Year ended 30th June, 1896	85,486	20,038	10,266	30,304	60,458	6,970	67,428	1,016	98,748
" " 1897	87,652	18,918	10,763	29,681	64,151	7,177	71,328	985	101,994

No. 14.—Proportion of Working Expenses to Revenue, and Capital Cost, Metropolitan Sewerage, 1890-97.

Period.	Revenue.	Working Expenditure.		Capital Cost.	Debt. Liabilities on which Interest is paid.	
		Total.	Proportion to Revenue.		Total.	Annual Rate of Interest after paying Working Expenses.
	£	£	per cent.	£	£	per cent.
Year ended 31st December, 1890	81,800	22,249	27·19	1,281,045	1,177,614	5·06
" " 1891	81,302	25,411	31·25	1,447,287	1,343,856	4·16
" " 1892	87,927	27,305	31·05	1,606,948	1,503,517	4·03
" " 1893	93,661	27,092	28·92	1,691,462	1,588,031	4·19
" " 1894	93,134	28,053	30·12	1,745,120	1,641,689	3·97
Six months ended 30th June, 1895	43,110	14,250	33·05	1,831,611	1,728,180	3·34
Year ended 30th June, 1896	85,486	30,304	35·44	1,892,256	1,788,825	3·09
" " 1897	87,652	29,681	33·86	2,018,120	1,914,689	3·02

Capital Cost.—It will be seen from the above statement that the Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage does not calculate interest on the sum of £103,431, representing expenditure by the Government on Sewerage Works taken over by the Board. The Royal Commission appointed by the Government to inquire into the working of the Board has recommended that the Government should, without delay, fix the amount of the Capital Debt on which the Board should provide interest. If the Board had debited its account with interest on the full amount of the Capital Cost, as shown in Table No. 15, its expenditure would, of course, have been correspondingly greater, and the deficiency disclosed in Table No. 13 would have been increased. See note to Table No. 5 in respect of cost of offices.

No. 15.—Liabilities and Assets, Metropolitan Sewerage, on 30th June, 1897.

Liabilities.	£	£	Assets.	£
Capital Debt—				
Advanced by Treasury—			Sewerage Works	1,974,654
Loans—Works Department	1,225,527		Lands and buildings	35,914
Revenue—Works Department	103,431		Ventilating shafts	32,100
Loans Board	388,852		Working plant, tools, furniture, &c...	6,359
Municipal liabilities taken over	300,310		Rates outstanding	8,599
		2,018,120	Other assets	12,540
Rates overpaid		143		
Other liabilities		38,254		
Balance of Revenue Account		13,649		
Total ... ... £		2,070,166	Total... ... ... £	2,070,166

No. 16.—Fire Brigades: Districts administered by the Metropolitan Brigades Board, 1896.

City of Sydney.	Canterbury.	Hurstville.	Paddington.	St. Peters.
Alexandria.	Concord.	Kogarah.	Parramatta.	Strathfield.
Annandale.	Darlington.	Leichhardt.	Penrith.	Waterloo.
Ashfield.	Drummoyne.	Manly.	Petersham.	Waverley.
Auburn.	Enfield.	Marrickville.	Randwick.	Willoughby.
Balmain.	Erskinevillle.	Mosman.	Redfern.	Woollahra.
Botany.	Five Dock.	Newtown.	Richmond.	
Burwood.	Glebe.	North Botany.	Rockdale.	
Camperdown.	Granville.	North Sydney.	Rookwood.	

Metropolitan Fire Brigade Board.—The Board, established in 1884 under Act 47 Vic. No. 3, consis members, viz., the chairman, appointed by the Government, and five elected members, one of whom is appo the Municipal Council of Sydney, one by the other Municipalities within the proclaimed area, two by the Fire I Companies carrying on business in New South Wales, and one by the Volunteer Fire Companies. The elected memb every two years, but are eligible for re-election. Towards the annual outlay the Government, the Municipalities Fire Insurance Companies each contribute one-third. The Municipalities contribute *pro rata* to the assessed ann of ratable property in their respective districts, and each of the Fire Insurance Companies proportionately to the held on properties situate within the Metropolitan District. Sydney Harbour is outside the jurisdiction of the Bo

Ship Fires.—For the purpose of dealing with ship fires the pilot steamer "Captain Cook" has been fitte Marine Board of New South Wales with a steam-pump, having a capacity of 36,000 gallons per hour.

No. 17.—Metropolitan Fire Brigade Stations and Firemen employed, 18

No. 1. (Head-quarters), Castlereagh-street, Sydney	28	No. 6. Walker-street, North Sydney	...
No. 2. George-street West, Sydney ...	10	No. 7. Stanmore Road, Marrickville	...
No. 3. George-street North, Sydney ...	9	Auxiliary Firemen	...
No. 4. Darlinghurst	4	Total	...
No. 5. Australia-street, Newtown ...	4		

No. 18.—Volunteer Fire Companies, Metropolitan Area, 1896.

Company.	Firemen on Roll.	Amount of Subsidy.	Company.	Firemen on Roll.	Am St
Volunteer Stations—	No.	£	Volunteer Stations—*contd.*	No.	
Alexandria	15	120	Paddington Brewery ...	17	
Ashfield	10	120	Parramatta No. 1	16	
Balmain	19	350	" No. 2	18	
Burwood	13	120	Rockdale	15	
Drummoyne	12	50	Rookwood	14	
Glebe	15	*150	Standard Brewery... ...	14	
Granville	13	60	Waterloo	15	
Kogarah	11	50	Waverley	12	
Leichhardt	11	75	Woollahra	16	
Manly	16	90			
North Botany	14	*60	Total	300	2
Paddington...	14	175			

* In addition to an allowance of £1 per month for telephone attendance.

Subsidies of Board.—The Board grants the subsidy, shown above, to each company on its obtaining a cert efficiency from the Superintendent. In addition, a considerable amount was spent by the Board in the provi repair of fire appliances, and for the erection and repair of stations.

Volunteer Fire Companies.—Companies situated within the Metropolitan area are registered at the offi Board, and are subject to the inspection and orders of the Superintendent of Metropolitan Fire Brigades, appointe Government under the Act. All the hose and a great portion of the other appliances are the property of the Met Fire Brigades Board.

No. 19.—Working Plant of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade and of the Volunteer Fire Companies, 1896.

(Metropolitan Area.)

Description.	M.F.B.	Volunteer.	Total.	Description.	M.F.B.	Volunteer.	Total.
Fire engines, large steam	2	...	2	Branches, metal or otherwise	87	80	167
" small steam	6	...	6	Breeching deliveries ...	22	22	44
" manual ...	4	14	18	Elbow deliveries ...	31	13	44
Water tower	1	...	1	Goosenecks	18	14	32
Ladders, large	2	...	2	Nozzles	282	114	396
" small	3	...	3	Spanners, hose, and nozzle	154	155	309
" scaling ...	62	55	117	Stand-pipes for ball hydrants...	27	42	69
Hose carriages	2	7	9	Buckets	73	51	124
" reels	3	18	21	Lamps, portable ...	112	77	189
" tenders	1	...	1	Jumping sheets... ...	7	...	7
Horses	23	21	44	Respirators	4	...	4
Carts and waggons ...	4	...	4	Telephone fire-alarms ...	155	36	191
Buggies	2	...	2	Fire-alarm boxes ...	156	36	192
Hand-pumps	25	21	46	Telephone shutter boards	9	6	15
Caps for hand-pump, hose, and engines ...	29	20	49	Telephones	59	18	77
Heaters for steam fire-engines	3	...	3	Telephone and fire-alarm wire (miles)	...	...	135
Canvas cisterns... ...	21	14	35	Bell-boards	8	6	14
Hose (feet)	19,480	17,690	37,170	Bells, large	2	21	23
Suction pipes	300	327	627				

No. 20.—Fires and Alarms in Metropolitan Area, 1887–96.

Year.	Class of Fire.			Total Fires.	False Alarms.	Chimney Alarms.	Total Fires and Alarms.
	Slight.	Serious.	Totally destroyed.				
1887	174	18	15	207	14	60	281
1888	222	19	25	266	35	61	362
1889	179	17	29	225	33	45	303
1890	205	12	18	235	44	52	331
1891	216	27	19	262	52	33	347
1892	270	21	23	314	47	75	436
1893	210	23	25	258	68	75	401
1894	206	23	41	270	49	90	409
1895	299	20	48	367	82	82	531
1896	230	27	34	291	91	69	451

No. 21.—Fires and Alarms in Metropolitan Area, 1896.

Locality	Class of Fire. Slight. Insured.	Slight. Not insured.	Slight. Insurance unknown.	Serious. Insured.	Serious. Not insured.	Serious. Insurance unknown.	Totally Destroyed. Insured.	Totally Destroyed. Not insured.	Totally Destroyed. Insurance unknown.	Total Fires.	False Alarms.	Chimney Alarms. Attended with engines, & reported as house fires.	Chimney Alarms. Attended with hand-pump only.
CITY OF SYDNEY—													
Bourke Ward	6	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	8	4	..	..
Brisbane "	9	5	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	19	11	2	8
Cook "	8	7	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	18	3	3	4
Denison "	6	7	2	2	..	..	1	..	..	18	7	..	1
Fitzroy "	7	10	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	5	1	7
Gipps "	4	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	6	1	9
Macquarie "	7	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	11	3	..	3
Phillip "	4	3	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	10	2	..	3
Total, Sydney	51	38	9	7	2	..	3	..	..	110	41	7	35
SUBURBS.													
Alexandria..	4	4	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	10	1	..	1
Annandale..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Ashfield	1	2	1	..	..	..	2	1	..	7	1	..	..
Auburn	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Balmain	5	7	1	..	1	..	..	2	..	16	2	..	1
Botany	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Burwood	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	4	1	..	..
Camperdown	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..
*Carlingford	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..
Concord	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..
Darlington	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Drummoyne	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..
Enfield	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..
Erskineville	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..
Five Dock	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Glebe	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	..	3
*Hunter's Hill	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Hurstville	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	5	..	..	..
Kogarah	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	1
Leichhardt	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	4	1	..	..
Manly	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	..
Marrickville	1	3	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	6	2	..	..
*Merrylands	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
Mosman	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Newtown	7	4	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	14	8	..	3
North Botany	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	4	..	..	1
North Sydney	2	10	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	15	9	3	6
Paddington	3	5	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	10	6	2	..
Parramatta	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	..	1
Penrith	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..
Petersham	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	..	2
Randwick	1	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	5	3	..	..
Redfern	..	7	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	8	..	1	2
Rockdale	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	5	..	..	..
Rookwood	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..
*Sherwood	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
St. Peter's	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..
Strathfield	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..
Waterloo	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	5	1	..	..
Waverley	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1	..	..
Willoughby	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
Woollahra	5	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	2	..	..
*The Harbour	3	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	5	1	..	..
Total, Suburbs	63	65	4	17	1	..	23	8	..	181	50	6	21
Total	114	103	13	24	3	..	26	8	..	291	91	13	56

* Outside the Metropolitan Fire Brigade area.

Fire-alarm Telephones.—Telephones connected with the fire stations are placed in fire-alarm boxes in i important localities of the city and suburbs. The telephonic system at the end of 1896 consisted of 77 telephor telephone shutter-boards, and 191 telephone fire-alarms. The length of telephone and telephone fire-alarm wire erect 135 miles. Most of the volunteer fire stations, theatres, music halls, &c., are also in direct communication with th Brigade stations. The various police stations are also in communication through the Central Police Station, Sydne public offices, hotels, wharfs, business firms, and private houses that are connected with the General Post Office Exc can transmit calls for fires at any hour of the day or night, and arrangements have been made for the watchmen emp by business houses to report to the head-quarters station several times every night.

No. 22.—Causes of Actual Fires in Sydney and Suburbs, 1896.

Causes.	Fires.	Causes.	Fires.	Causes.	Fires.
Boiler, overheating of ...	2	Hot ashes	3	Smoking, tobacco... ...	11
Boiling over of fat, tar, &c.	11	Incendiarism	4	Spark from chimney ...	20
Burning of rubbish ...	10	Lamp, kerosene, explosion of	4	„ another fire ...	1
Candle	47	Lamp, kerosene, upsetting of	6	Spontaneous ignition ...	5
Chemicals, explosion of ...	1	Lightning	1	Vapour of spirit coming in contact with flame ...	2
Fire, careless use of ...	2	Light thrown down ...	36	Doubtful or unknown ...	66
Fireworks	2	Lime slaked by rain ...	3	Total	291
Flue, defect in	3	Matches, careless use of ...	8		
Furnace, overheating ...	4	„ children playing with	9		
Gas, bracket or burner ...	14	„ rats at	6		
„ explosion	6				
Gas-pipe, defect in ...	1				
Hearth, defect in	3				

False Alarms and Chimney Fires.—The return is exclusive of 91 false alarms and 69 chimney fires.

No. 23.—Trades for which premises, on Fire during 1896, were used.

Trades, &c.	No.	Trades, &c.	No.	Trades, &c.	No.
Bakers	5	Furniture dealers... ...	6	Schools	2
Banks	1	General merchants ...	6	Sheds	6
Blacksmiths	1	Government buildings ...	5	Ships	6
Boarding houses	3	Grocers	19	Soap works	1
Boiling-down works ...	1	Halls	2	Stables	3
Bootmakers and factories	7	Ironmongers	4	Stationers and booksellers	2
Builders and contractors...	5	Jewellers	2	Streets and yards... ...	7
Buildings, unoccupied ...	8	Licensed victuallers ...	9	Tanneries	4
Buildings in course of erection	2	Machinery importers and manufacturers ...	2	Timber merchants ...	3
Butchers	4	Milliners	2	Tobacconists	2
Carriers	1	Paddocks and parks ...	5	Undertakers	1
Cement works	1	Painters and decorators ...	1	Warehouses	3
Churches and convents ...	1	Paper factories	1	Waterproof clothing manufactories... ...	2
Coach and carriage builders	1	Photographers	2	Wharfs	2
Confectioners	8	Private dwellings... ...	103	Wool stores	1
Cordial manufacturers ...	1	Produce merchants ...	4	Workshops	3
Drapers	8	Provision merchants ...	1	Total	291
Foundries	1	Restaurant and refreshment-rooms	5		
Fruiterers and green grocers	3	Saddle and harness makers	2		

See note to table No. 22.

No. 24.—Receipts and Disbursements of the Metropolitan Fire Brigades B 1896.

Receipts.	Amount.	Disbursements.	Am
	£		
Balance brought forward	205	Subsidies paid to Volunteer Fire Companies	
Subsidy from Government	6,300	Salaries	
" Municipalities	6,258	Board and other fees	
" Fire Insurance Companies	6,300	Erection of buildings	
Other sources	1,084	Repairs	
Balance	156	Plant, stores, and clothing	
		Electrical work—telephones, fire-alarms, &c.	
		Horses—purchase of, fodder and harness	
		Lighting and fuel...	
		Miscellaneous	
Total... ... ... £	20,303	Total... ... ... £	

The **Net Amount of Risks** held by each Fire Insurance Company is given in Part "Financial Institutions

No. 25.—Country Municipalities to which the Fire Brigades Act has b extended, 1896.

Municipality.	Municipality.	Municipality.	Municipality.
Albury	Forbes	Maitland, West	Parkes
Armidale	Glen Innes	Moama	*Penrith
Bathurst	Goulburn	Molong	*Richmond
Bourke	Grafton	Moss Vale	Singleton
Bowral	Hay	Mudgee	Tamworth
Braidwood	Inverell	Narrandera	Temora
Broken Hill	Lismore	Nowra	Wagga Wagg
Deniliquin	*Liverpool	Orange	Wollongong

* Situate in the County of Cumberland and within the Metropolitan District under the Fire Brigades Act. Co Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board.

Country Fire Brigades.—Under Clause 20 authority is given to extend the provisions of the Fire B Act to the country districts, but owing to an ambiguous clause in the Statute, the Fire Insurance Companies and M Councils do not always consider themselves called upon to contribute towards the expense of maintenance of the F as defined by the Act. The Country Fire Brigades Boards, however, are entitled to receive subsidies from the Gove Some of the abovementioned Municipalities have not taken any steps further than having been gazetted.

26.—Firemen, Calls attended, and Receipts of Country Fire Companies, 1896.

Brigade.	Firemen.		Calls attended.				Receipts during 1896.				
	On the Roll.	Average attendance at each Call.	Actual Fires.	Chimneys.	False Alarms.	Total.	From Government.	From Municipality.	From Fire Insurance Companies.	Subscriptions, Donations, &c.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£
mstown	14	12	4	7	13	24	75	...	...	...	75
ury	25	15	3	...	1	4	100	...	8	20	128
nidale	16	14	3	...	...	3	69	50	15	...	134
hurst	16	10	7	1	...	8	69	84	66	6	225
rke	10	6	6	2	1	9	47	30	37	...	114
rral	21	14	4	2	...	6	33	15	26	16	90
ken Hill	20	8	58	6	9	73	306	340	161	148	955
ington	20	16	1	...	6	7	75	...	...	...	75
tamundra	18	11	4	...	8	12	75	...	25	...	100
iliquin	16	8	6	...	1	7	26	50	11	7	94
bes	16	14	5	...	...	5	...	40	39	...	79
n Innes	16	12	...	...	2	2	76	25	6	...	107
lburn (two stations)	23	20	1	1	1	3	108	136	...	50	294
fton	32	...	...	...	...	...	} 175	...	...	...	175
fton, South	13	...	1	...	...	1					
nilton...	12	7	2	1	6	9	100	10	18	2	130
... ...	17	9	5	2	...	7	36	...	57	...	93
ee	23	10	3	...	...	3	50	...	...	11	61
ipsey	20	10	1	...	2	3	50	42	10	22	124
ibton	18	9	2	...	...	2	150	2	3	2	157
ibton, New	12	...	...	...	...	...	100	...	...	...	100
nore	16	13	5	4	2	11	154	68	18	...	240
tland, East	12	8	...	...	2	2	150	15	11	...	176
tland, West	21	16	1	2	4	7	247	97	113	54	511
ewether	15	13	1	...	3	4	60	...	8	2	70
mi	26	12	3	...	1	4	60	...	...	11	71
ma	8	6	5	...	...	5	39	20	...	...	59
s Vale	20	10	3	...	...	3	124	25	...	...	149
randera	15	12	1	1	2	4	50	50	...	...	100
castle, City	19	14	14	...	15	29	300	...	98	29	427
castle, West... ...	28	15	23	2	6	31	200	75	43	13	331
ra	16	10	1	...	1	2	75	...	...	2	77
ige	14	11	3	...	...	3	125	50	61	3	239
ies	15	11	3	2	...	5	15	40	20	...	75
anbeyan	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
mond	15	10	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
leton	30	25	...	...	...	Nil.	...	...	...	...	Nil.
kton	30	17	4	3	4	11	200	...	10	6	216
worth	15	8	2	...	1	3	...	43	50	2	95
e	34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
erfield	18	...	...	...	...	...	200	...	...	...	200
e's Hill and Islington	15	12	6	3	7	16	100	...	...	2	102
ga Wagga	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	46
lsend and Plattsburg	25	16	3	...	2	5	125	...	19	1	145
atah	16	9	2	...	3	5	100	10	17	...	127
tworth	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
kham	21	15	3	2	12	17	125	...	15	...	140
longong	26	20	4	...	...	4	152	...	...	7	159

* No return received, figures are for year 1895.

No. 27.—Plant and Source of Water Supply, &c., of Country Fire Comp 1896.

Brigade.	Fire Engines (Manual).	Reels.	Hose Carts.	Hose Length.	Value of Plant, exclusive of Land and Buildings	Source of Water Supply, Number and Capacity of Reservoirs or Tan Average Pressure, &c.
	No.	No.	No.	ft.	£	
Adamstown	...	1	1	1,750	213	Hunter District Water Supply.
Albury	1	2	...	1,200	150	Murray River, two tanks, 1,250,000 pressure (average), 50 lb. to sq. in.
Armidale	1	...	1‡	900	500	Street mains, one reservoir, 1,000,000 pressure, 70 lb. to sq. in.
Bathurst	1	1	1	1,800	700	Pumped from Macquarie River, thre voirs; capacity, 1,030,000 galls.; p 70 lb. to sq. in.
Bourke	2*	1	...	900	350	Municipal Water Supply from Darling capacity of tower, 20,000 galls.
Bowral	1	...	...	1,000	300	Tanks and wells.
Broken Hill	3†	2	...	1,000	700	Stephen's Creek Water Supply; contra voir, 1,300,000, galls.; pressure, 4 sq. in.
Carrington	...	2	...	1,400	360	Hunter District Water Supply.
Cootamundra ...	...	1	...	1,500	150	Cootamundra Waterworks.
Deniliquin	1	2	...	1,000	300	Deniliquin Waterworks; tank capacity, galls.
Forbes	2	1	...	900	500	Town supplied from reservoir on Cam pressure, about 40 lb. to sq. in.
Glen Innes	1	...	...	1,500	400	Eight tanks of 2,000 galls. each, co with railway water supply, fitte 20,000-gall. tank, and conveyed i chains of 2-in. water pipe.
Goulburn (2 stations)	2	2	1‡	2,000	602	Wollondilly River; two reservoirs of 2, galls. each; pressure, 33 lb. to 66 lb in.
Grafton	1	...	...	300	300	Wells, tanks, creek, and river.
Grafton, South ...	1	...	...	480	100	do do
Hamilton	...	2	...	1,800	375	Hunter District Water Supply, two rese pressure, about 60 lb. to sq. in.
Hay	1	2	...	1,400	550	Murrumbidgee River, two tanks, 40,0 30,000 galls. respectively; pressure, to sq. in.
Junee...	...	1	...	900	...	Water obtained by gravitation from Bet one reservoir; average pressure, 9 sq. in.
Kempsey	1	...	...	726	80	Macleay River and underground tanks.
Lambton	2	2	...	1,200	400	Hunter District Water Supply, one res pressure, 40 lb. to sq. in.
Lambton, New ...	...	1	...	300	40	Mains laid in streets, reservoir situ Lambton.
Lismore	2	2	1‡	2,200	760	Reservoir, 126 feet above town level, galls.; pumps 22,000 galls. per pressure, 55 lb. to sq. in.
Maitland, East ...	...	1	1	700	150	Hunter District Water Supply, one re pressure, 45 lb. to sq. in.
Maitland, West ...	1	1	1	2,450	800	Hunter District Water Supply; pres lb. to sq. in.; stand-pipes with h fittings distributed in the town, phonic alarms are placed in varion

* Includes one Climax chemical. † Includes one steam-engine. ‡ Ladder waggon.

27.—Plant and Source of Water Supply, &c., of Country Fire Companies, 1896—*continued.*

Brigade.	Fire Engines (Manual).	Reels.	Hose Carts.	Hose Length.	Value of Plant, exclusive of Land and Buildings	Source of Water Supply, Number and Capacity of Reservoirs or Tanks, Average Pressure, &c.
	No.	No.	No.	ft.	£	
rewether	...	1	1	800	110	Hunter District Water Supply, one reservoir; pressure, about 40 lb. to sq. in.
ami	1	1	1	1,120	210	Hunter District Water Supply, one reservoir; 69,200 galls.; pressure, 36 lb. to sq. in.
ama	1	1	...	400	170	Moama Water Supply, tank, 33,200 galls.; pressure, 27 lb. to sq. in.
s Vale	...	1	...	500	52	Wingecarribee River; reservoir dam, 2,500,000 galls.; service reservoir, 500,000 galls.; average pressure, 60 lb. to sq. in.
randera	...	1	...	1,000	200	Reservoir of 100,000 galls.; average pressure, 60 lb. to sq. in.
wcastle, City ...	3	3	...	1,900	780	Hunter District Water Supply; two reservoirs, capacity, 523,600 galls. and 137,130 galls. respectively, and one tank 20,000 galls.; pressure, 80 lb. to sq. in.
wcastle, West ...	2†	2	2‡	2,500	1,500	Hunter District Water Supply; one reservoir about 4,000,000 galls., and one tank 5,000 galls; pressure, 70 lb. to sq. in.
wra	...	1	...	600	63	Camp Creek, on top of Cambewarra Mountain, one reservoir, 112,000 galls.; pressure, 60 lb. to sq. in.
nge	1	1	...	1,000	360	Orange Water Supply; average pressure, 50 lb. to sq. in.
kes	1	1	...	500	240	Billabong Creek; reservoir, 300,000 galls.; average pressure, 60 lb. to sq. in.; supply intermittent.
eanbeyan	2	...	...	720	212	River and portable tanks (two) 300 and 600 galls. respectively.
hmond	...	1	...	600	74	Nepean River; reservoir, 200,000 galls.; pressure, 50 lb. to sq. in.
gleton	1	...	1‡	200	400	Hunter River, Municipal tank, 6,000 galls.
ckton	2†	...	1	1,400	1,050	Hunter River; also tank, 5,000 galls., and an old shaft at colliery and wells.
nworth	1	1	...	850	350	Wells, tanks, &c.
ree...	1	...	...	300	90	Manning River and private tanks.
nterfield	...	...	...	360	74	Wells, tanks, &c.
he's Hill and Islington.	...	1	1	2,500	160	Hunter District Water Supply, pressure, highest, 65 lb., lowest, 45 lb. to sq. in.
gga Wagga ...	1	2	...	1,600	265	Murrumbidgee River, one reservoir, 1,000,000 galls.; pressure, 75 lb. to sq. in.
llsend and Plattsburg.	1	2	1	3,400	600	Hunter District Water Supply, one reservoir; pressure, 45 lb. to sq. in.
ratah	...	1	1	1,800	175	Hunter District Water Supply, reservoirs; pressure, 61 lb. to sq. in.
ntworth	...	1	...	1,000	115	Water Tower of Municipal Water Works, average pressure, 35 lb. to sq. in.
ckham	...	2	...	1,700	155	Hunter District Water Supply.
llongong	1	...	...	625	225	Underground wells and tanks.

No return received, figures are for year 1895. † Includes one stea ngine. ‡ Includes one ladder waggon.

No. 28.—Inquests on Fires, 1889–96.

Year.	Fire Inquests.	Verdicts.					Year.	Fire Inquests.	Verdicts.			
		Accidental.	Arson.	Not sufficient evidence.	Carelessness.	No verdict returned.			Accidental.	Arson.	Not sufficient evidence.	Carelessness.
1889	104	18	25	60	1	...	1893	167	18	50	96	...
1890	111	11	34	66	...	...	1894	173	13	44	113	1
1891	120	13	32	74	1	...	1895	157	16	32	108	...
1892	139	19	29	91	...	...	1896	120	5	24	90	...

Inquests on Fires.—Act 24 Vic. No. 10 provides that "when any property, real or personal, shall be destroy damaged by fire, the Coroner having or exercising jurisdiction at or in the place where such fire shall have happened, if he consider it a fit case for so doing, make an inquisition into the cause and origin of such fire." Jurors and witnes summoned, and the mode of procedure is the same as in inquests in cases of deaths. The Coroner can, if the jury fin any person has wilfully set fire to property, exercise the same authority as in the cases of persons charged with mur manslaughter.

No. 29.—Inquests on Fires, 1896.

Electorate.	Fire Inquests.	Verdicts.					Electorate.	Fire Inquests.	Verdicts.			
		Accidental.	Arson.	Not sufficient evidence.	Carelessness.	No verdict returned.			Accidental.	Arson.	Not sufficient evidence.	Carelessness.
Albury	1	...	...	1	...	...	Manning, The ...	1	...	...	1	...
Armidale	5	...	2	3	...	...	Molong	1	...	...	1	...
Ashburnham ...	3	...	1	2	...	...	Monaro	1	...	...	1	...
Ballina	3	...	...	3	...	...	Moruya	2	...	...	2	...
Barwon	1	1	...	...	...	...	Mudgee	1	...	...	1	...
Bathurst	1	...	...	1	...	...	Murray	1	...	...	1	...
Boorowa	2	...	2	...	...	...	Murrumbidgee ...	1	...	...	1	...
Bowral	4	...	1	3	...	...	Narrabri	4	...	2	2	...
Braidwood... ...	2	...	1	1	...	...	Nepean	1	...	1	...	...
Broken Hill ...	1	...	...	1	...	...	Newcastle, East ...	1	...	1	...	...
Camden	2	...	...	2	...	...	Northumberland ...	1	...	...	1	...
Canterbury ...	6	...	...	6	...	...	Parramatta... ...	4	...	2	2	...
Cobar	3	1	...	2	...	...	Queanbeyan ...	1	...	1	...	...
Condoublin ...	1	...	...	1	...	...	Quirindi	1	1	...	...	...
Coonamble ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	Raleigh	2	...	...	2	...
Deniliquin... ...	3	...	...	3	...	...	Robertson	1	...	...	1	...
Dubbo	2	1	...	1	...	...	Shoalhaven... ...	1	...	1	...	...
Durham	1	...	...	1	...	...	Singleton	1	...	...	1	...
Goulburn	2	...	...	2	...	...	Sturt	1	...	...	1	...
Grenfell	6	...	...	6	...	...	Sydney	2	...	1	1	...
Gundagai	1	...	...	1	...	...	Tamworth	1	...	...	1	...
Hartley	1	...	1	...	...	...	Tumut	1	...	...	1	...
Hastings & Macleay	2	...	1	1	...	...	Tweed	1	...	...	1	...
Hawkesbury ...	1	...	...	1	...	...	Uralla-Walcha ...	1	...	...	1	...
Hay	2	...	...	2	...	...	Wallsend	1	...	...	1	...
Hume	1	...	...	1	...	...	Wagga Wagga ...	2	...	...	1	...
Illawarra	3	...	2	1	...	...	Wentworth ...	3	...	...	3	...
Kiama	3	...	...	3	...	...	Wilcannia	2	1	1	...	...
Lachlan, The ...	5	...	...	5	...	...	Young	5	...	2	3	...
Lismore	3	...	...	3	...	...						
Macquarie, West ...	1	...	...	1	...	...	Total... ...	120	5	24	90	...
Maitland, East ...	1	...	...	1	...	...						

Arson.—During 1896 there were 6 persons—3 males and 3 females—committed for trial by Coroners on a charge of a

No. 30.—Operations of the Metropolitan Transit Commission, 1890-96.

Year.	Annual Licenses issued.				Annual License Fees received.				Total.	
	Vehicles.	Drivers.	Conductors.	Total.	Vehicles.	Drivers.	Conductors.	Total.	Receipts (Fees, Fines, &c.)	Disbursements.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1890	2,135	2,537	32	4,702	4,049	1,092	8	5,149	5,813	4,994
1891	2,225	2,584	21	4,830	3,897	1,084	5	4,986	5,740	5,450
1892	2,272	2,751	21	5,044	4,001	1,165	5	5,171	5,859	5,171
1893	2,180	2,664	15	4,859	3,930	1,120	4	5,054	5,583	5,054
1894	2,084	2,570	24	4,678	3,794	1,090	6	4,890	5,387	4,890
1895	2,081	2,542	57	4,680	3,924	1,077	14	5,015	5,593	5,492
1896	1,992	2,432	61	4,485	3,832	818	15	4,665	5,169	5,216

Licenses for Public Vehicles.—Prior to 1873 the regulation of street traffic was under the City Council. In that year an Act (36 Vic. No. 14) was passed, which transferred the control of the traffic to three Transit Commissioners, the number of whom was increased in 1886 to four by Act 50 Vic. No. 14. The Board consists of the Mayor of Sydney (Chairman), the Inspector-General of Police, a representative of the suburban municipalities, and the fourth is elected by the licensees coming under the Act. The two latter are annually elected.

No. 31.—Operations of the Metropolitan Transit Commission, 1896.

Class of Vehicles.	Annual Licenses issued.				Annual License Fees received.				Total.	
	Vehicles	Drivers.	Conductors.	Total.	Vehicles.	Drivers.	Conductors.	Total.	Receipts (Fees, Fines, &c.)	Disbursements.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£
Omnibuses	339	528	61	944	1,665	190	15	1,933	5,169	5,216
Waggonettes	16				63					
Cabs	1,066	1,312	...	2,378	1,565	480	...	2,045		
Drays and Vans ...	571	592	...	1,163	539	148	...	687		
Total ...	1,992	2,432	61	4,485	3,832	818	15	4,665	5,169	5,216

No. 32.—Water Rights Act.

The Water Rights Act vests all large natural supplies of water in the Crown, and establishes a system of licenses for works for water conservation, irrigation, and drainage. Before the passing of the Act such works on creeks and rivers constructed by private individuals were unprotected, and were liable to be destroyed by any person who considered that the existence of the work was opposed to his interests. Under the Water Rights Act questions as to the propriety of licensing works are decided after full inquiry, and when a license is granted for any work any interference with that work is illegal. The Act acknowledges the right of riparian owners to water for domestic and stock purposes and for the irrigation of gardens not exceeding five acres in extent. Since the Act came into operation over 400 applications for licenses have been received.

No. 33.—Irrigation Trusts.

Irrigation Trusts have been established, under special Acts, at Balranald, Hay, and Wentworth. The Municipal Councils of these towns were constituted Trustees, the area made over to them in each case being the temporary Commons.

Balranald Irrigation Trust.

The provisions of the Act (56 Vic. No. 26), passed June, 1893, establishing this Trust, are almost identical with those of the other two Trusts. As in those cases, the land forming this Trust is a portion of the temporary Common. The Act limits the area any one person may lease to a maximum of 40 and a minimum of 5 acres, and no person under 18 years of age, nor a married woman, is allowed to hold a lease. Up to the end of 1893, 1,000 acres had been surveyed into lots of 5 to 40 acres, but, as the by-laws framed by the Trustees had not then received the sanction of the Minister, these lots had not been thrown open. During 1895, however, the Minister's approval was obtained, and several blocks have been taken up.

The Trustees being of opinion that it would be advisable for an irrigation scheme to be carried out at Balranald in a similar manner to that at Wentworth, have petitioned for the dissolution of the Trust. The Government have allowed consideration of the matter to stand over until the works at Wentworth are in operation. The works for the supply and distribution of water in the Wentworth Irrigation Trust being now almost complete, the question of the case of Balranald will be dealt with as soon as the land at Wentworth is thrown open for settlement.

Hay Irrigation Trust.

This Trust was established under Act 55 Vic. No. 25 (passed March, 1892), the provisions of which are practically the same as those of the Wentworth Irrigation Act. The land set apart forms part of the temporary Common, and comprises 12,847 acres. Any person (except Asiatic) can select and hold from 5 to 40 acres. The land was only thrown open in December, 1893, and up to 31st December, 1894, 62 holdings, embracing an area of 778 acres, had been applied for. The principal crops planted were barley, wheat, and oats. During 1895 an Act was passed excluding certain portions of the town and suburban lands of Hay from the irrigation area.

The Trust has erected a pumping plant with the assistance of a loan obtained from the Government. In order to complete the work of the Trust an engineer has been appointed by the Government. An amending Act has been passed the effect of which is to entirely remodel the Trust. This now consists of six members, three of whom belong to the Public Service. The irrigation area has been reduced to about 3,000 acres. The works are now practically complete and arrangements are being made for starting irrigation.

Wentworth Irrigation Trust.

This Trust was established under Act 54 Vic. No. 7 (passed September, 1890). The Trustees, being members of the Municipal Council of Wentworth, were empowered to tap the rivers Darling and Murray, and to construct dams and erect pumping machinery for irrigation purposes and, upon obtaining permission from the Governor-in-Council, to borrow money for these purposes. The area under the Trust consisted of 10,600 acres, and was a portion of the temporary Common already vested in the Municipal Council. The Trust was empowered to lease portions for any term not exceeding three years or, with the sanction of the Minister for Public Works, for any term not exceeding thirty years, and to supply water to persons outside as well as inside the irrigation area. An amount of £1,000 was spent in "Preliminary Expenses" during 1894, but up to the end of that year no portions had been leased by the Trust. Advantage has recently been taken of a clause in the Act, providing for the dissolution of the Trust. The Government, who have now all the powers conferred by the Statute, have almost completed the work contemplated by the Trust.

The necessary levels have been taken and plans prepared for the irrigation of about 1,500 acres; but in the first instance the area to be thrown open for irrigation settlement is about 516 acres. The remainder will be offered periodically as the demand requires. The lots range in area from 5 to 26 acres and every lot is being provided with at least one outlet for water from an adjacent distributary. The water will be supplied from the river Murray by means of a centrifugal pump which is already in position.

No. 34.—Labour Settlements.

For particulars regarding the Labour Settlements situated at Bega and Wilberforce, see Part "Land Settlement."

No. 35.—Roads of New South Wales.

Classification.	Metalled, Gravelled, Ballasted, or Corduroyed.	Formed.	Cleared and Drained.	Cleared only.	Bush or Untouched Road.	Total.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
Scheduled, outside Municipalities	6,491	4,724	4,532	6,379	4,729	26,855
(a) Scheduled, within Municipalities ...	455	81	20	67	8	631
Unclassified, outside Municipalities ...	255	544	823	1,773	7,885	11,280
(b) Unclassified, within Municipalities...	76	17	Nil.	12	9	114
Roads within Municipalities (according to returns furnished by Municipal Councils)	2,761	1,407	1,643	.....	2,123	7,934
	10,038	6,773	7,018	8,231	14,754	46,814
			46,814			
(c) Roads subsidised by Government, under Municipal Councils ...	...	...	...	1,099		
Classified Roads under Trustees	...	...	...	624		
Unclassified Roads under Trustees... ...	...	...	...	193		
Total	...	...	...	48,730		
Less—Roads within Municipalities which have been included under headings marked (a), (b), (c)	...	...	...	1,844		
Total Roads of New South Wales ...	...	...	...	46,886		

Parish Roads Trusts.—Prior to the passing of the Municipalities Act of 1858, Parish Roads Trusts were appointed to construct and maintain roads in certain localities, and the expenditure connected therewith was defrayed from the tolls collected and also grants from the Treasury. Eleven Roads Trusts were established, but with one exception, operations were confined to districts within the county of Cumberland.

On the 1st May, 1890, it was resolved by the Legislative Assembly, "That in the opinion of this House all Public Tolls should be abolished." As tolls formed the chief item of Revenue, the operations of the Trusts then existing have gradually ceased, till in 1896, only the South Head Roads Trust was active. The expenditure during the year ended 30th June, 1897, was £3,320, the balance in hand being £1,424.

District Councils.—With the exception of the Maitland Council which has 44 miles of road under care, all the District Councils have ceased to exist, and, on account of the abolition of tolls in 1890, the Maitland Council has only been able to continue its operations as a Roads Trust, placed on the same footing as the Classified Roads Trusts under the Works Department.

The expenditure by the Trustees for the year 1896-97 was £728.

No. 36.—Parks and Recreation Reserves within the Metropolitan Area.

Situation.	Area. a.	r.	p.
Sydney—			
Moore Park...	445	0	0
Phillip do	4	2	0
Cook do	3	2	0
Prince Alfred Park	18	3	0
Belmore Park	10	0	0
Hyde Park	40	0	0
Observatory Park	6	1	0
Wynyard do	2	0	0
The Domain	90	0	0
Botanic Gardens and Garden Palace Grounds	60	0	0
Reserve, Macquarie Place... ...	0	1	21
Do Church Hill	0	2	37¾
Do Argyle-street and Argyle Place	0	0	33
Reserve between Victoria Barracks and Park Road	0	3	37⅗
Reserve No. 46 near Fort Macquarie	0	0	23
Rushcutter's Bay—part (see also Woollahra)—about	13	0	0
Reserve, Burton-street, Darlinghurst	1	0	0
Do do do ...	0	1	14
Wentworth Park—part (see also under Unincorporated)—about	6	2	0
Alexandria—			
Alexandria Park	10	0	0
Erskineville Park—part (see also Erskineville)—about	14	3	8
Annandale—			
Recreation Reserve, Piper-street—about	0	3	28
Ashfield—			
Ashfield Park	15	1	19
Balmain—			
Easton Park	4	3	17
Gladstone Park	5	0	0¼
Birchgrove do	13	2	18
Elkington do—about	6	0	0
Botany—			
Banks Meadow Recreation Reserve	11	0	0
Do do do	5	0	0
Booralee Park	10	0	0
Burwood—			
Burwood Park	15	0	0
Camperdown—			
Camperdown Park...	11	1	8½
Victoria Park (University) ...	23	3	16
Canterbury—			
Canterbury Park	19	0	20¾
Reserve on Punch Bowl Road ...	25	2	2
Croydon Park	9	0	35
Concord—			
Public Park at Longbottom ...	66	2	15
Reserve, Village of Longbottom ...	34	3	30
Do at Cabarita Point ...	24	1	0
Do Hen and Chickens Bay ...	3	1	20
Do No. 79, Hen and Chickens Bay	3	0	34
Reserve No. 80	5	2	20
Do No. 81	1	0	30
Do at Bray's Bay	4	1	0
Drummoyne—			
Recreation Reserve	1	2	0
Do	0	1	34
Enfield—			
Enfield Park	25	3	2½
Erskineville—			
Erskineville Park—part (see also Alexandria)—about	8	0	0
Five Dock—			
Five Dock Park	21	2	27
Hunter's Hill—			
Boronia Park	62	2	0
Hurstville—			
Seaforth Park	4	0	0¾
Peakhurst Park	112	0	0
Reserve at Como	11	1	38¾
Kogarah—			
Kogarah Park	10	2	6
Lane Cove—			
Reserve at Gore Cove	0	0	16
Do Tambourine Bay ...	4	0	34
Do Burns' Bay	1	0	0
Do Fig-tree Bridge ...	1	1	22½
Do Longueville	4	0	39
Do do	1	0	22
Do do	3	0	0
Do Greenwich	0	2	0½
Fidden's Wharf Reserve, No. 9,474	18	3	21
Reserve at Northwood	1	0	38½
Leichhardt—			
Leichhardt Park	31	3	0
Manly—			
Manly Park	12	2	22
Esplanade Park	14	0	0
East Esplanade Park	2	2	0
Central Park	1	3	22
Kangaroo do	3	0	0
Tower Hill do	1	3	20
Gilbert Park	0	0	31
The Steyne	8	3	6
South Steyne	1	2	0
Reserve at Balgowlah	5	2	23
Do do	10	3	0
Do Portion No. 84	29	0	0
Do Adjoining The Steyne ...	4	0	15
Do do Esplanade Park	0	2	20
Do do do ...	0	3	31
Do do do ...	0	0	10
Marrickville—			
Marrickville Park	10	0	0
Reserve on Cook's River at Tempe	4	0	19
Marsfield—			
Reserve, portions 652, 653, 658, 659	23	1	7
Do No. 12,560	2	0	16
Do Part of portion 512, about	19	0	0
Do Brown's Waterhole ...	18	2	32
Do Blaxland's do ...	22	3	35
Mosman—			
Curraghbeena Park	3	2	7
The Spit Reserve, Middle Harbour	18	1	2
Balmoral Park	8	2	10
Reserve at Chinaman's Beach ...	2	0	28

No. 36.—Parks and Recreation Reserves within the Metropolitan Area—*contd.*

Situation.	Area.		
	a.	r.	p.
North Sydney—			
St. Leonards Park	40	2	11
Camaray do	48	3	21
Lavender Bay Baths and Public Recreation	1	0	32
Reserve, Town of North Sydney ...	0	1	32
Paddington—			
Paddington Recreation Reserve ...	14	0	22
Petersham—			
Petersham Park	8	3	3
Randwick—			
Centennial Park—part (see also Waverley)	455	0	0
Randwick Park	25	0	0
Bangor do	3	3	36
Milton do	2	1	10
Neptune do	1	0	25
Smithfield do	3	0	0
Hampstead do	1	2	30
Writtle do	1	0	19
Blenheim do	3	0	15
Reserve at Allison-street	4	2	1
Do Little Coogee	2	2	9
Do do	5	2	0
Do Avoca-street and Belmore Road	0	2	35
Do Swamp-street, Coogee...	2	1	20
Do do do ...	2	1	14
Do Neptune and Dudley Streets	2	1	4
Do do do ...	1	1	37
Do Shark Point, Coogee ...	10	2	0
Do Coogee Beach	8	3	16
Do do	2	1	28
Do do	4	0	0
Do do	4	3	0
Do Coogee Beach	3	0	16
Public Baths do	2	2	17
Do do	1	1	24
Cricket Ground at Coogee... ...	4	0	0
Randwick Racecourse	202	0	0
Reserve, Orange-street and Frenchman's-road	0	1	26½
Redfern—			
Redfern Park	11	3	24½
Rockdale—			
Arncliffe Park	9	2	13¼
Scarborough Park	97	0	0
Cook do (Botany Bay)...	105	0	0
Ryde—			
Reserve No. 4,785	85	2	28
Do at mouth of Buffalo Creek	19	1	20
Do on Pittwater Road ...	5	1	13
Do on Lane Cove River ...	10	2	6
Do do ...	7	1	23
Do part of portion 512, about	15	0	0
Do at Ryde	0	0	14
St. Peter's—			
St. Peter's Park	10	0	0
Do do Additional area ...	1	3	21¼
Vaucluse—			
Gap Park	9	1	4
Camp Cove Park	0	2	20
Waterloo—			
Waterloo Park	7	1	1
Waverley—			
Waverley Park	27	2	10
Dickson do	2	2	37¼
Varna do	3	2	22½
Simpson do	0	1	33¾
Macpherson do	0	2	30¼
Bronte do	14	0	0
Bondi do	28	0	2¾
Centennial do part (see also Randwick)—about	75	0	0
Willoughby—			
Reserve near Figtree Point ...	0	2	11
Do between Figtree and Mowbray Points	5	1	25
Do Mowbray Point	5	0	23
Do No. 43, Main Arm of Middle Harbour ...	37	0	0
Do No. 21,525, Elizabeth Road	0	3	23
Woollahra—			
The Steyne, Double Bay	3	0	35
Do do	0	1	4
Rose Bay Park	7	0	0
Rushcutter's Bay Park—part (see also Sydney)—about	14	1	13
Bellevue Park	1	0	25
Unincorporated area—			
Part of Wentworth Park, being reclaimed land between the City boundary and the Glebe ... (For balance of Park see Sydney.)	23	1	32
Port Jackson—Clark Island ...	1	2	35
Do Schnapper Island...	0	1	24
Do Rodd Island ...	1	0	23
Do Shark Island ...	2	3	27
Total	3,131	2	34 7/10

Trustees of Parks.—Under the "Public Parks Act of 1884," which repealed a statute passed in 1854, the Governor may appoint Trustees of any lands proclaimed for the purposes of public recreation, convenience, health, or enjoyment. The Trustees are empowered to frame by-laws for the protection of shrubs, trees, &c., upon the land vested in them, and to regulate the use and enjoyment of such land by the public.

"National" Parks.—The National Park, 36,320 acres, at Port Hacking; Kuring-gai Chase, 35,300 acres, on the Hawkesbury River; Parramatta Park, 252 acres, at Parramatta, are outside the Metropolitan area, but may be specially mentioned on account of their "national" character. The Centennial Park, 530 acres, divided between the Municipalities of Randwick and Waverley; as also Moore Park, 445 acres. The Domain, 90 acres, and the Botanic Gardens and Garden Palace grounds, 62 acres, situate in the City of Sydney, may also be designated "national" parks.

No. 37.—Parliaments elected under Constitution Act.

Parliament.	Opened.	Dissolved.	Duration.	Sessions
			y. m. d.	
First	22 May, 1856	19 December, 1857	1 6 27	2
Second	23 March, 1858	11 April, 1859	1 0 19	2
Third	30 August, 1859	10 November, 1860	1 2 11	2
Fourth	10 January, 1861	10 November, 1864	3 10 0	5
Fifth	24 January, 1865	15 November, 1869	4 9 22	6
Sixth	27 January, 1870	3 February, 1872	2 0 7	3
Seventh	30 April, 1872	28 November, 1874	2 6 29	4
Eighth	27 January, 1875	12 October, 1877	2 8 15	3
Ninth	27 November, 1877	9 November, 1880	2 11 13	3
Tenth	15 December, 1880	23 November, 1882	1 11 8	3
Eleventh	3 January, 1883	7 October, 1885	2 9 4	6
Twelfth	17 November, 1885	26 January, 1887	1 2 9	2
Thirteenth	8 March, 1887	19 January, 1889	1 10 11	3
Fourteenth	27 February, 1889	6 June, 1891	2 3 10	4
Fifteenth	14 July, 1891	25 June, 1894	2 11 12	4
Sixteenth	7 August, 1894	5 July, 1895	0 10 29	1
Seventeenth	13 August, 1895	.....	.....	..
	Average		2 3 14	3 to 4

Constitution Act.—"An Act to confer a Constitution on New South Wales" (Imperial Act 18 and 19 Vic. ch. 54) received the Royal Assent on 16th July, 1855, and was amended in 1884 (47 Vic. No. 5). The Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly correspond, as far as is practicable, with the two Houses of the Imperial Parliament.

Legislative Council.—No maximum number of members of the Legislative Council is fixed by the Constitution Act, but the minimum number is set down at twenty-one. In December, 1896, the number of members was sixty-five. They receive no allowance for expenses, but are privileged to travel free over the State railways and tramways in the Colony. Although the appointment is for life, a member forfeits his seat by absence from two consecutive Sessions without leave by becoming bankrupt, and on account of other reasons, and he may voluntarily resign at any time.

Legislative Assembly.—The first Parliament under the Constitution Act met on 22nd May, 1856. The duration of Parliament was originally fixed at 5 years, but in 1874 an Act was passed establishing triennial Parliaments. In September 1889, an Act was assented to, allowing each member (not holding office as a Minister, Speaker, or Chairman of Committees) the sum of £300 per annum as a reimbursement of expenses incurred in the discharge of Parliamentary duties. Members also travel free over the State railways and tramways in the Colony. Under the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act of 1893, New South Wales has been divided into 125 electorates, each of which has one member to represent it in the Legislative Assembly.

Presidents of Legislative Council and Speakers of Legislative Assembly.—During the sixteen Parliaments there have been seven Presidents of the Legislative Council, and eight Members of the Legislative Assembly have filled the office of Speaker. The salaries voted for 1896–97 for these offices were £1,100 and £1,370 respectively.

Chairmen of Committees.—The Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly each elects one of its members as Chairman of Committees, the salaries for 1896–97 being £470 and £740 respectively.

No. 38.—Ministries and duration of Office, 1856–97.

No.	Ministry.	From—	To—	Duration.	No.	Ministry.	From—	To—	Duration
				m. d.					m. d.
1	Donaldson ..	6 June, 1856	25 Aug., 1856	2 20	15	Robertson ..	9 Feb., 1875	21 Mar., 1877	24 13
2	Cowper ..	26 Aug., 1856	2 Oct., 1856	1 7	16	Parkes ..	22 Mar., 1877	16 Aug., 1877	4 21
3	Parker ..	3 Oct., 1856	7 Sept., 1857	11 6	17	Robertson ..	17 Aug., 1877	17 Dec., 1877	4 1
4	Cowper ..	7 Sept., 1857	26 Oct., 1859	24 20	18	Farnell ..	18 Dec., 1877	20 Dec., 1878	12 3
5	Forster ..	27 Oct., 1859	8 Mar., 1860	4 10	19	Parkes ..	21 Dec., 1878	4 Jan., 1883	48 15
6	Robertson ..	9 Mar., 1860	9 Jan., 1861	10 1	20	Stuart ..	5 Jan., 1883	6 Oct., 1885	33 2
7	Cowper ..	10 Jan., 1861	15 Oct., 1863	33 6	21	Dibbs	7 Oct., 1885	21 Dec., 1885	2 15
8	Martin ..	16 Oct., 1863	2 Feb., 1865	15 18	22	Robertson ..	22 Dec., 1885	25 Feb., 1886	2 4
9	Cowper ..	3 Feb., 1865	21 Jan., 1866	11 19	23	Jennings ..	26 Feb., 1886	19 Jan., 1887	10 25
10	Martin ..	22 Jan., 1866	26 Oct., 1868	21 5	24	Parkes ..	20 Jan., 1887	16 Jan., 1889	11 23
11	Robertson ..	27 Oct., 1868	12 Jan., 1870	14 17	25	Dibbs	17 Jan., 1889	7 Mar., 1889	1 18
12	Cowper ..	13 Jan., 1870	15 Dec., 1870	11 3	26	Parkes ..	8 Mar., 1889	22 Oct., 1891	19 15
13	Martin ..	16 Dec., 1870	13 May, 1872	16 29	27	Dibbs	23 Oct., 1891	2 Aug., 1894	33 11
14	Parkes ..	14 May, 1872	8 Feb., 1875	32 26	28	Reid	3 Aug., 1894	Still in office.	.....

No. 39.—Members of the Cabinet.

Executive Council.—The Executive Council is composed of the Governor and the members of the Cabinet.

The Schedule of the Constitution Act Amendment Act (47 Vic. No. 5) enumerates the following Officers of State as the only persons holding an office of profit under the Crown who shall be capable of being elected as Members of the Assembly :—

	Salary. £		Salary. £		Salary. £
Colonial Secretary	1,820	Secretary for Public Works ..	1,370	Secretary for Mines and Agriculture	1,370
Colonial Treasurer	1,370	Minister of Justice	1,370	Postmaster-General	1,370
Attorney-General	1,820	Minister of Public Instruction	1,370		
Secretary for Lands	1,370				

The salaries of the Colonial Secretary, Colonial Treasurer, and Attorney-General, are fixed by the Constitution Act; those of the other Ministers are annually appropriated.

The Cabinet sometimes includes a tenth member, having a seat in the Legislative Council, who is appointed Vice-President of the Executive Council and Representative of the Government in the Upper House, but holds no portfolio.

No. 40.—Public and Private Acts passed by Parliament of New South Wales, 1896–97.

SECOND SESSION FROM 12TH MAY TO 13TH NOVEMBER, 1896.

PUBLIC ACTS.

59 VIC.

No. 26. Crown Lands (Homestead Selections and Settlement Leases).

60 VIC.

No. 1. Imported Stock Act Further Amendment.
2. Conditional Purchasers' Relief.
3. Parkes Family Grant.
4. Standard Time Act Amendment.
5. Church of England Property Act of 1889 Further Amendment.
6. Consolidated Revenue.
7. Mining Act Amendment.
8. Nevertire to Warren Railway.
9. State Children Relief.
10. George-street and Harris-street Electric Tramway.
11. Additions to Treasury Building.

60 VIC.

12. Coal Mines Regulation.
13. Newcastle Friendly Societies and Trades Hall Act Amendment.
14. Consolidated Revenue Fund (No. 2).
15. No-liability Mining Companies.
16. Municipal Baths.
17. Public Officers' Fees.
18. Newcastle Magistrates.
19. Supreme Court Fees.
20. Water Rights.
21. Government Railways (Compensation Limitation).
22. Electric Traction.
23. Municipal Council of Sydney Electric Lighting.
24. Franchise Extension.
25. Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act Amendment.

60 VIC.

26. Berrigan to Finley Railway.
27. Public Service (Superannuation)
28. Tamworth Water Supply Works.
29. Bankruptcy Acts Amendment.
30. Hay Irrigation Amendment.
31. Tamworth to Manilla Railway.
32. Loan.
33. Appropriation.
34. City of Sydney Municipal Loan
35. Land and Income Tax Amendment.
36. Navigation Acts Amendment.
37. Factories and Shops.
38. Public Health.
39. Patents Law Amendment.
40. Mining Laws Amendment.
*Coloured Races Restriction and Regulation.

* Reserved for Royal Assent.

PRIVATE ACTS.

Capertee Tramway.

Lawson's Estate Mortgage Enabling.

Moruya Municipal Council Enabling.

THIRD SESSION FROM 27TH APRIL, 1897, TO (still sitting).

PUBLIC ACTS.

No. 1. Consolidated Revenue Fund.
2. Cook's River Improvement.
3. Public Instruction (Newcastle Technical College).
4. Interpretation.
5. Public Roads.
6. Public Works Acts Further Amendment.
7. Pharmacy.
8. Public Trusts.
9. Field of Mars Resumption Repeal.
10. Municipal Loans.

PRIVATE ACTS.

Narrandera Roman Catholic Church Trustees Enabling.

Orange Show Ground.
Maitland Gaslight Act Amendment.

Borough of Cudgegong Cattle Saleyards.

Bills for Public Purposes.—A Bill for the paving, lighting, draining, or otherwise improving any town or district r for supplying the same with water, is deemed a Public Bill.

Public Bills.—*How initiated.*—The Constitution Act provides that all money Bills must be introduced in the Lower ouse. All other public Bills may be initiated in either Chamber on a motion for leave to bring in the Bill, or by a solution reported from a Committee of the Whole, and adopted by the House.

Royal Assent.—The Governor acts as Viceroy to give the Royal Assent to, or to veto, Acts passed by the Legislature.

Reserved Bills.—There are eight classes of Bills which the Governor must reserve for the special consideration of the overeign. Amongst these are Divorce Bills, Bills affecting the currency, and Bills conflicting with Imperial Treaty obligations.

Enrolment.—After receiving the Royal assent the Bill is numbered and dated. A new series of numbers commences ith each secular year. The Act is then transmitted by the Clerk of Parliaments to the Registrar-General, and enrolled nd recorded by him within ten days from the day on which the same shall become law, as provided by the Deeds egistration Act (7 Vic. No. 16).

Private Bills may be initiated in either Chamber. Notice of intention to apply for a private Bill must be ublished once a week for four consecutive weeks in the *Gazette*, and in at least one Sydney newspaper and one or more ewspapers published in or nearest the District affected by the Bill. In these notices the general objects of the Bill ust be stated. Before a private Bill can be read a first time, £25 must be paid to the Consolidated Revenue, and whenver the expenses necessary to such Bill exceed that amount, a further payment of £25 is required. The Bill having been ad a first time, is referred to a Select Committee, who may hear counsel, and if the Bill is favourably reported upon, it proceeded with as in the case of a Public Bill.

Private Acts not numbered.—Private Acts are not numbered.

No. 41.—Royal Commissions of Inquiry, 1880-97.

Name of Commission.	Number of Commissioners.	Period of Sitting.
Fisheries	14	6th January, 1880, to 3rd May, 1880.
Management of Quarantine Station ...	5	13th September, 1881, to 8th March, 1882.
Friendly Societies	13	19th October, 1881, to 13th December, 188
Milburn Creek	1	16th August, 1881, to 3rd November, 1881.
Noxious Trades	9	20th November, 1882, to 19th April, 1883.
Water Conservation	8	10th May, 1884, to 9th May, 1887.
Railway Bridges	5	23rd April, 1884, to 22nd August, 1885.
Scab in Sheep...	3	29th April, 1884, to 20th August, 1884.
Places of Public Amusement	10	17th June, 1886, to 2nd December, 1886.
Ferndale Colliery Disaster, Lithgow Colliery Disaster, and Condition of Collieries adjacent to Ferndale	11	10th April, 1886, to 13th October, 1886.
Intoxicating Drinks	12	22nd February, 1886, to 20th September, 18
Government Asylums	3	5th August, 1886, to 4th May, 1887.
Public Service...	7	16th December, 1887, to 16th December, 18
Tanks and Wells	3	28th December, 1887, to 31st December, 18
Bulli Colliery Disaster	7	5th May, 1887, to 12th July, 1887.
Tramway Disposal	3	19th December, 1888, to 23rd January, 188
Tramway Frauds	3	16th August, 1888, to 3rd October, 1888.
Deasy Inquiry	1	21st June, 1889, to 4th July, 1889.
Casual Labour Board	3	20th February, 1889, to 3rd June, 1889.
Fehon	1	19th February, 1889, to 3rd May, 1889.
Public Service	9	18th July, 1889, to 12th January, 1892.
City and Suburban Railway...	12	19th March, 1890, to 6th March, 1891.
Defence Works	3	14th July, 1890, to 6th March, 1891.
Strike	16	25th November, 1890, to 22nd May, 1891.
Barque Ellen	3	2nd August, 1891, to 11th September, 1891
Callan Park	3	14th May, 1891, to 6th November, 1891.
Chinese Gambling	5	20th August, 1891, to 22nd January, 1892.
Military Service	5	10th June, 1892, to 19th September, 1892.
Schey-Eddy	3	26th April, 1892, to 16th August, 1892.
Baldwin Engines	3	15th March, 1892, to 4th July, 1892.
Registrar-General's Department—Deeds and Search Branch	1	11th October, 1893, to 1st December, 1893.
Fisheries	3	20th November, 1894, to 13th December, 18
Bay View House Lunatic Asylum	4	18th October, 1894, to 9th April, 1895.
Public Service	5	20th November, 1894, to 8th April, 1895.
Regina *v.* George Dean	3	7th May, 1895, to 28th June, 1895.
Coal Mines Regulation Bill	3	15th August, 1895, to 5th December, 1895.
Public Works	1	21st May, 1896, to 21st November, 1896.
Heated-coal Cargoes	2	28th July, 1896, to (still sitting).
Working of Mines and Quarries in the Albert Mining District	1	7th July, 1897, to (still sitting).

Departmental Inquiries.—In addition to the above, there were several Departmental inquiries during the p
covered by the Table.

No. 42.—Consolidation of the Statute Law.

COMMITTEES.

No. 1 Committee.

ıstitution, General Government, Revenue and Services.

ıtitution.
ıce and Currency.
ıc Works and Loans.
ıibed Stock.
ıimed Balances.
ɔms and Excise.
p and other Duties.
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ımentary Elections.
ıce and Military.
ılint.
c Instruction.
ɔrsity and Colleges.
ıiastical.
ɔmatories and Industrial Schools.
c Health and Quarantine.
ralisation and Chinese.
hts and Measures.
ɣation, and Seamen and Islanders' ɔgagement.
ɔfage and Tonnage.
'ost Office.
ɔays, Tramways, and Telegraphs.
Service.

No. 2 Committee.

al Government and Regulating Acts.

ɔipal and Local.
r and Sewerage.
ɔnces Prevention.
c Vehicles.
sing.
and Markets.
Diseases and Prickly Pear.
ɔes in Stock.
and Goats.
ries, Birds' Protection, and Imrted Game.
ls Registration and Impounding.
Slaughtering.
ɔapers.
al Practitioners and Chemists.
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eration.
tals and Cemeteries.
nions.
ɔen and Apprentices.
nary Celebration.
.h of Cotton.
and Fire Brigades.
ɔe of Explosives and Kerosene.
ɔrokers.

No. 3 Committee.

Land, Mining, and Roads.

Crown Land } Including Courts having
Mining } exclusive jurisdiction.
Church and School Lands.
Public Roads.
Public Parks, Reserves, and Watering Places.
Survey Marks.
Public Gates.
Dividing Fences.
Pasture Protection and Rabbits.

No. 4 Committee.

Real and Personal Property.

Real Property.
Registration of Deeds.
Titles to Land.
Claims to Grants.
Equity.
Settled Estates.
Reversions.
Married Women's Property.
Dower.
Infants' Settlements and Custody.
Trustees and Trust Property.
Landlord and Tenant.
Resumption of Lands.
Mortgages.
Wills and Inheritance.

No. 5 Committee.

Commercial and General Law.

Bills of Exchange and Bills of Lading.
Insurance.
Trade Marks, Copyright, Patents.
Partnership.
Factors.
Guarantees.
Powers of Attorney.
Lien on Wool, &c.
Carriers.
Innkeepers' Liability.
Employers' Liability.
Master and Servant.
Arbitration and Conciliation.
Friendly Societies and Trade Unions.
Contractors' Debts.

No. 6 Committee.

Criminal Law, Divorce and Marriage.

Criminal Law, including Jurisdiction and Practice of Circuit Courts and Courts of Quarter Sessions.
Justices' Acts and Coroners.
Small Debts and Tenements Recovery.
Marriage.
Deserted Wives.
Divorce.
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages.
Police.
Prisons.
Party Processions.
Gaming.
Cruelty to Animals.
Obscene Publications.

No. 7 Committee.

Legal Principles and Procedure.

Supreme Court.
The Judges.
Barristers.
Attorneys.
The Sheriff.
Common Law Procedure.
Absent Defendants.
Creditors' Remedies.
Intercolonial Judgments.
Payment of Debts out of Realty.
Imprisonment for Debt.
Oaths.
Juries.
Evidence.
Trespass to Land.
Defamation.
Admiralty.

No. 8 Committee.

Bankruptcy, District Court, Companies, &c.

Probate.
Lunacy—Infants.
Bankruptcy.
Companies.
Bills of Sale.
District Courts.
Partition.
Limitation of Actions.
Claims against the Government and Crown Suits.
Compensation to relatives of Deceased Persons.
Usury.

ɔommissioners.—The Royal Commission appointed in 1893, under the control of the Colonial Secretary, having ı, the Consolidation, which embraces all the most important branches of the Statute Law, has been taken over for ɔion by a Barrister, who has been appointed sole Commissioner under the control of the Attorney-General. He is by three draftsmen, one of whom also acts as secretary. During the existence of the old Commission, the Statutes ɔssified and arranged under different heads or groups of subjects; and a large number of Statutes consolidated by th ıal Committees.

onsolidation Bills.—Bills prepared by the draftsmen are revised by the Commissioner, and forwarded by him ɔrney-General.

No. 43.—General Elections, 1856–95.

Parliament.		Electors upon Roll.	Electors to a Member	Members returned.	Members unopposed	In contested Electorates.				
Number.	Date of Opening.					Votes on Roll.	Votes recorded.	Percentage of Votes recorded.	Informal Votes.	Percentage of Informal Votes.
First	22 May, 1856	44,526	825	54	*	*	*	*	*	*
Second ...	23 Mar., 1858	72,177	1,002	72	14	54,896	27,894	50·81	*	*
Third ...	30 Aug., 1859	88,346	1,227	72	19	63,022	27,490	43·62	22	·08
Fourth ...	10 Jan., 1861	106,189	1,475	72	19	75,676	28,340	37·45	29	·10
Fifth	24 Jan., 1865	119,872	1,665	72	15	90,736	44,311	48·84	31	·07
Sixth	27 Jan., 1870	128,734	1,788	72	11	108,080	56,331	52·12	102	·18
Seventh ...	30 April, 1872	151,798	2,108	72	8	125,488	60,004	47·82	80	·13
Eighth ...	27 Jan., 1875	160,843	2,234	72	10	104,575	57,651	55·13	334	·58
Ninth... ...	27 Nov., 1877	160,945	2,205	73	16	120,698	62,172	51·51	*	...
Tenth... ...	15 Dec., 1880	188.500	1,745	108	14	140,848	90,657	64·36	1,785	1·97
Eleventh ...	3 Jan., 1883	196,289	1,737	113	17	166,260	96,842	58·26	2,002	2·07
Twelfth ...	17 Nov., 1885	232,190	1,900	122	8	203,669	124,378	61·07	2,564	2·06
Thirteenth ...	8 Mar., 1887	256,406	2,068	124	17	226,228	131,062	57·93	2,275	1·73
Fourteenth ...	27 Feb., 1889	280,160	2,045	137	13	257,763	154,924	60·10	2,641	1·70
Fifteenth ...	14 July, 1891	305,456	2,166	141	7	285,897	184,091	64·39	3,642	2·00
Sixteenth ...	7 Aug., 1894	298,817	2,296	125	1	†296,749	‡204,246	68·82	3,310	1·62
Seventeenth ...	13 Aug., 1895	267,458	2,139	125	8	†252,267	‡153,034	60·66	1,354	0·88

* Unrecorded. † Represents number of Electors as well as Votes. ‡ Represents number of Voters as well as Votes.

The Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act of 1893, 56 Vic. No. 38, as amended by 57 Vic. Nos. 3 and 24 and 60 Vic. Nos. 24 and 25.—Under the authority of the principal Act three Commissioners were appointed t divide the Colony into 125 single Electorates—instead of, as previously, 74 Electorates returning 141 members—giving to each as nearly as practicable an equal number of Electors. Every man being a natural-born or naturalised subject of or above the age of 21 years, who is of sound mind, and not on full pay in the Military or Naval Service, nor in receipt of public charity, is entitled to receive an "Elector's Right," provided that he, if a natural born subject, has resided, or has had his principal place of abode in New South Wales for a continuous period of one year, or if a naturalised subject for a like period after naturalisation—and residence for three months in the district for which he claims to vote—and applies in person, or through the post in prescribed form, to the Registrar of the district, and establishes his qualification. Provisi s made for the issue of new "Rights" on change of residence, after one month's residence in the new district, and f substitutes for lost Rights. The system popularly known as "One man one vote" is in force.

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No. 44.—General Election of 1895—Votes Recorded—*continued.*

Electorate.	Number of— Electors upon the Roll.	Electors holding Electors' Rights.	Votes recorded.	Percentage of— Electors holding Electors' Rights to the number upon the Roll.	Votes recorded to the number upon the Roll.	Votes recorded to the number holding Electors Rights.	Informal Votes.
CONTESTED ELECTORATES—*continued.*							
Kiama	1,969	1,852	1,329	94·06	67·50	71·76	10
Lachlan, The	1,588	1,576	635	99·24	39·99	40·29	10
Leichhardt	2,700	2,625	1,726	97·22	63·93	65·75	9
Macquarie	2,261	2,230	1,354	98·63	59·89	60·72	11
Macquarie, West	2,645	2,623	1,610	99·17	60·87	61·38	18
Maitland, East	1,801	1,780	1,424	98·83	79·07	80·00	13
Maitland, West	2,404	2,356	1,115	98·00	46·38	47·33	10
Manaro	2,098	2,079	967	99·09	46·09	46·51	7
Manning, The...	1,897	1,869	1,527	98·52	80·50	81·70	6
Marrickville	3,296	2,863	1,648	86·86	50·00	57·56	9
Molong...	2,175	1,900	1,220	87·36	56·09	64·21	11
Moree	1,642	1,627	946	99·09	57·61	58·14	6
Moruya	1,836	1,807	1,295	98·42	70·53	71·67	5
Mudgee	2,568	2,533	1,753	98·64	68·26	69·21	14
Murray, The	2,093	2,044	1,131	97·66	54·04	55·33	30
Murrumbidgee, The	2,102	2,068	1,412	98·38	67·17	68·28	5
Narrabri	1,944	1,926	1,071	99·07	55·09	55·61	3
Nepean, The	2,086	2,060	1,578	98·75	75·65	76·60	9
Newcastle, East	1,868	1,789	1,302	95·77	69·70	72·78	3
Newcastle, West	1,560	1,489	1,120	95·45	71·79	75·22	7
Newtown—Camperdown Division ...	2,329	2,266	1,399	97·29	60·07	61·74	17
Newtown—Erskine Division... ...	2,000	1,950	1,220	97·50	61·00	62·56	11
Newtown—St. Peter's Division ...	2,396	2,288	1,506	95·49	62·86	65·82	21
Northumberland	1,915	1,890	1,370	98·69	71·54	72·49	8
Orange...	2,457	2,425	1,713	98·70	69·72	70·64	7
Paddington	2,906	2,469	1,575	84·96	54·20	63·79	15
Parramatta	2,381	2,105	1,712	88·41	71·90	81·33	8
Petersham	2,197	2,132	1,311	97·04	59·67	61·49	11
Queanbeyan	1,791	1,764	1,195	98·49	66·72	67·74	13
Quirindi	1,738	1,675	997	96·38	57·35	59·52	5
Raleigh	1,784	1,769	1,196	99·16	67·04	67·61	9
Randwick	2,454	2,349	1,353	95·72	55·13	57·60	8
Redfern	2,626	2,564	1,611	97·64	61·35	62·83	6
Richmond, The	1,674	1,660	988	99·16	59·02	59·52	17
Robertson	2,613	2,572	1,825	98·43	69·84	70·96	27
Ryde	2,433	2,141	1,386	88·00	56·97	64·74	5
Rylstone	1,908	1,882	1,028	98·64	53·88	54·62	8
Sherbrooke	2,005	1,795	1,091	89·53	54·41	60·78	18
Shoalhaven, The	1,963	1,934	1,363	98·52	69·43	70·48	30
Singleton	2,389	2,346	1,696	98·20	70·99	72·29	13
St. George	2,980	2,660	1,682	89·26	56·44	63·23	13
St. Leonards	2,437	2,372	1,613	97·33	66·19	68·00	10
Sydney—Belmore Division	2,365	1,863	1,208	78·77	51·08	64·84	8
Sydney—Bligh Division	2,350	1,869	1,111	79·53	47·28	59·44	9
Sydney—Cook Division	2,093	1,691	1,072	80·79	51·22	63·39	2

No. 44.—General Election of 1895—Votes Recorded—*continued.*

Electorate.	Number of— Electors upon the Roll.	Electors holding Electors' Rights.	Votes recorded.	Percentage of— Electors holding Electors' Rights to the number upon the Roll.	Votes recorded to the number upon the Roll.	Votes recorded to the number holding Electors' Rights.	Informal Votes.
Contested Electorates—*continued.*							
Sydney—Denison Division	2,085	1,762	1,104	84·51	52·95	62·66	9
Sydney—Fitzroy Division	2,594	2,157	1,366	83·15	52·66	63·33	9
Sydney—Flinders Division	2,144	1,798	1,050	83·86	48·97	58·40	14
Sydney—Gipps Division	2,534	2,027	1,313	79·99	51·82	64·78	8
Sydney—King Division	2,174	1,848	1,093	85·00	50·28	59·15	5
Sydney—Lang Division	2,114	1,624	908	76·82	42·95	55·91	13
Sydney—Phillip Division	2,489	1,949	1,205	78·30	48·41	61·83	8
Sydney—Pyrmont Division	1,971	1,723	1,024	87·42	51·95	59·43	22
Tamworth	1,742	1,686	1,187	96·79	68·14	70·40	7
Tenterfield	1,743	1,718	1,194	98·57	68·50	69·50	3
Tumut	1,826	1,788	1,335	97·92	73·11	74·66	19
Tweed, The	2,107	1,815	870	86·14	41·29	47·93	12
Uralla-Walcha	1,700	1,667	867	98·06	51·00	52·01	25
Wagga Wagga	1,795	1,737	997	96·77	55·54	57·40	12
Wallsend	2,034	1,994	1,526	98·03	75·02	76·53	11
Waratah	2,146	2,093	1,635	97·53	76·19	78·12	33
Warringah	1,761	1,729	1,144	98·18	64·96	66·17	5
Waterloo	2,443	2,362	1,712	96·68	70·08	72·48	5
Waverley	2,560	2,242	1,443	87·58	56·37	64·36	12
Wellington	2,622	2,586	1,713	98·63	65·33	66·24	12
Wentworth	1,563	1,550	790	99·17	50·54	50·97	9
Wickham	1,874	1,817	1,406	96·96	75·03	77·38	3
Willoughby	2,418	2,370	1,534	98·01	63·44	64·73	13
Woollahra	2,398	2,156	1,183	89·91	49·33	54·87	10
Woronora	1,986	1,939	1,386	97·63	69·79	71·48	14
Yass	1,813	1,786	1,162	98·51	64·09	65·06	11
Young	2,344	2,284	1,568	97·44	66·89	68·65	12
Total, Contested Electorates...	252,267	238,233	153,034	94·44	60·66	64·24	1,354
Uncontested Electorates.							
Alma	2,073	2,038	Uncontested	98·32	Uncontested	Uncontested	...
Bowral	1,864	1,830	"	98·18	"	"	...
Broken Hill	1,849	1,807	"	97·73	"	"	...
Grafton	2,115	2,067	"	97·73	"	"	...
Kahibah	2,145	2,106	"	98·18	"	"	...
Lismore	1,378	1,366	"	99·13	"	"	...
Sturt	1,772	1,719	"	97·01	"	"	...
Wilcannia	1,995	1,959	"	98·20	"	"	...
Total, Uncontested Electorates	15,191	14,892	.....	98·03	.....	.....	...
Total, all Electorates ...	267,458	253,125	153,034	94·66	.....	.....	1,354

Cost of General Elections of 1894 and 1895.—The cost to the State of the General Election of 1894 was £25,989, and of the General Election of 1895, £20,405. These sums are exclusive of the expenditure incurred in the ordinary administration of the Act, which during the year 1895 amounted to £12,837.

No. 45.—Electors on Roll, Year 1896-97.

Electorate.	Electors upon the Roll.	Electorate.	Electors upon the Roll.	Electorate.	Electors upon the Roll.
Albury	2,068	Hastings, The, and Macleay, The	2,229	Richmond, The	1,67[illegible]
Alma	2,042	Hawkesbury, The	2,374	Robertson	2,6[illegible]
Annandale	2,282	Hay	1,649	Ryde	2,253
Argyle	2,016	Hume, The	1,699	Rylstone	1,9[illegible]
Armidale	2,619	Illawarra	1,905	Sherbrooke	1,7[illegible]
Ashburnham	2,285	Inverell	1,718	Shoalhaven, The	1,9[illegible]
Ashfield	2,486	Kahibah	2,125	Singleton	2,387
Ballina	1,620	Kiama	1,938	St. George	2,77[illegible]
Balmain, North	2,632	Lachlan, The	1,742	St. Leonards	2,471
Balmain, South	2,753	Leichhardt	2,724	Sturt	1,76[illegible]
Barwon, The	2,029	Lismore	1,358	Sydney—Belmore Division	2,0[illegible]
Bathurst	2,264	Macquarie	2,250	Sydney—Bligh Division	1,9[illegible]
Bega	2,044	Macquarie, West	2,706	Sydney—Cook Division	1,74[illegible]
Bingara	2,168	Maitland, East	1,866	Sydney—Denison Division	1,8[illegible]
Boorowa	1,965	Maitland, West	2,347	Sydney—Fitzroy Division	2,[illegible]
Botany	2,094	Manaro	2,109	Sydney—Flinders Division	1,88[illegible]
Bourke	1,827	Manning, The	1,944	Sydney—Gipps Division	2,13[illegible]
Bowral	1,687	Marrickville	2,994	Sydney—King Division	2,041
Braidwood	2,094	Molong	1,951	Sydney—Lang Division	1,78[illegible]
Broken Hill	1,873	Moree	1,743	Sydney—Phillip Division	2,0[illegible]
Burwood	1,984	Moruya	1,836	Sydney—Pyrmont Division	1,77[illegible]
Camden	2,403	Mudgee	2,629	Tamworth	1,79[illegible]
Canterbury	2,706	Murray, The	2,233	Tenterfield	1,61[illegible]
Clarence, The	1,966	Murrumbidgee, The	2,102	Tumut	1,8[illegible]
Cobar	1,944	Narrabri	2,003	Tweed, The	1,87[illegible]
Condoublin	2,046	Nepean, The	2,107	Uralla-Walcha	1,6[illegible]
Coonamble	2,087	Newcastle, East	1,919	Wagga Wagga	1,74[illegible]
Cowra	2,081	Newcastle, West	1,556	Walsend	2,11[illegible]
Darlington	2,676	Newtown—Camperdown Division	2,380	Waratah	2,17[illegible]
Deniliquin	2,074	Newtown—Erskine Division	2,031	Warringah	1,79[illegible]
Dubbo	1,939	Newtown—St. Peter's Division	2,394	Waterloo	2,4[illegible]
Durham	2,055	Northumberland	1,984	Waverley	2,4[illegible]
Eden-Bombala	1,870	Orange	2,495	Wellington	2,54[illegible]
Glebe	2,568	Paddington	2,537	Wentworth	1,6[illegible]
Glen Innes	1,825	Parramatta	2,198	Wickham	1,8[illegible]
Gloucester	2,133	Petersham	2,197	Wilcannia	2,06[illegible]
Goulburn	2,009	Queanbeyan	1,639	Willoughby	2,48[illegible]
Grafton	2,074	Quirindi	1,698	Woollahra	2,06[illegible]
Granville	2,288	Raleigh	1,826	Woronora	1,98[illegible]
Grenfell	2,849	Randwick	2,404	Yass	1,82[illegible]
Gundagai	2,098	Redfern	2,634	Young	2,43[illegible]
Gunnedah	1,912			Total, all Electorates	202,26[illegible]
Hartley	2,036				

NOTE.—The provisional lists have been revised to the 30th June, 1897, and the names shown thereon are entered on t additional rolls for the districts, and total 17,700 approximately. The additional rolls kept in manuscript by the Registra for the districts are added to daily, and printed only when required for an election and upon the issue of a writ.

No. 46.—Bye-Elections since the General Election, 1895.

Electorate.	Electors upon the Roll.	Votes recorded.	Percentage of Votes recorded to the number upon the Roll.	Informal Votes.	Date of Election.
Cowra	2,066	1,242	60·12	6	2nd April, 1896.
Lachlan, The	1,758	*	*	*	18th September, 1896.
Rylstone	1,908	1,308	68·55	28	14th October, 1895.
Sydney—Phillip Division	2,489	901	36·20	7	16th " 1895.
Waverley	2,560	1,395	54·49	....	20th February, 1896.

* Not contested.

No. 47.—Actual Strength of Military Force, 1888–96.

Year.	Exclusive of Rifle Clubs.				Military Camps.
	Establishment all ranks.	Actual strength all ranks.	Wanting to complete all ranks.	Percentage short all ranks.	
1888 ...	3,114	2,657	457	14·67	Camp held at Paddington Rifle Range.
1889 ..	4,337	3,973	364	8·39	" National Park.
1890 ...	4,299	4,062	237	5·51	" "
1891 ...	4,660	4,397	263	5·64	" Campbelltown.
1892 ...	4,667	4,268	399	8·54	No camp held.
1893 ...	4,418	4,070	348	7·88	"
1894 ...	5,164	4,914	250	4·84	"
1895 ...	5,265	5,019	246	4·67	"
1896 ..	6,228	5,447	781	*12·54	Short camps held locally.

* The increase is due to the fact that there was not sufficient time in 1896 to recruit for new Volunteer Corps, the formation of which was authorised just prior to the close of the year.

Imperial Troops.—New South Wales was garrisoned by the British troops from the time of its foundation as a Colony in 1788 until the year 1870, when they were withdrawn. In the succeeding year, Act 34 Vic. No. 19 (Military and Naval Forces Regulation Act) was passed, having for its object the establishment of a local permanent force.

First Volunteer Force.—The first volunteer force was enrolled in 1854, under Act of Council 18 Vic. No. 8, which was repealed in 1867 by the "Volunteer Force Regulation Act," 31 Vic. No. 5. One of the clauses of this Act provided for the issue of orders for land to persons serving as volunteers, but this system was abandoned under Act 41 Vic. No. 15. The forces were again reorganised in the year last mentioned, and in 1885 an additional force of reserves was raised. The Rifle Reserve companies were disbanded at the end of 1892, but in 1895 the Civilian Rifle Clubs were formed into a reserve force.

N.S.W. Military Commissions.—Commissions in the Permanent Artillery may be obtained by officers of the Partially-paid and Volunteer Forces upon passing the requisite examination, and complying with certain conditions published from time to time in General Orders.

Imperial Military Commissions.—A Commission in the British Army is offered annually to a student of the Sydney University under regulations issued with Army Orders dated 1st January, 1892.

No. 48.—Classification of Military Force on 31st December, 1896.

Classification.	Number.	Classification.	Number.
Permanent Troops—		Partially-paid Troops—*continued.*	
Headquarters Staff	56	Army Service Corps	58
General Staff	10	Medical Staff Corps	99
Permanent Staff	81		
Artillery	431	Total	4,198
Engineers (Submarine Miners) ...	26		
Army Service Corps	6	Volunteers—	
Medical Staff Corps	11	Infantry—Scottish Rifles	188
		Irish Rifles	176
Total	621	St. George's Rifles ...	231
		Total	595
Partially paid Troops—			
Lancers	381	Honorary—	
Mounted Rifles	355	Chaplains	15
Field Artillery	146	Medical Officers	18
Garrison Artillery	469		
Engineers—Field	116	Total	33
Submarine Miners ...	75		
Electricians	77	Actual strength—all ranks	5,447
Infantry—1st Regiment	592	Rifle Clubs (approximate)	2,021
2nd Regiment	620		
3rd Regiment	588	Total, Military Forces and Rifle Clubs	7,4
4th Regiment	622		

No. 49.—Distribution of Military Force, 31st December, 1896.

Corps.	Districts.						Actual Strength all Ranks.
	Sydney and Suburbs.	Southern.	Western.	South-Western.	South Coast.	North.	
Head-quarters Staff ...	56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	56
General Staff	6	.....	2	1	.....	1	10
Permanent Staff	45	4	14	4	2	12	81
N.S.W. Lancers	95	.....	.....	95	.....	191	381
Mounted Rifles	.....	44	132	44	45	90	355
Artillery	858	.....	.....	.....	91	97	1,046
Engineers	294	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	294
Infantry	1,269	297	588	121	120	622	3,017
Army Service Corps ...	64	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	64
Medical Staff Corps* ...	118	1	3	1	1	4	128
Honorary Chaplains ...	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	15
Total	2,819	346	739	266	259	1,018	5,447

* Includes 18 Honorary Medical Officers.

No. 50.—Actual Strength of Military and Naval Forces, 31st December, 1896.

Classification.	Number.	Classification.	Number.
Military—		Naval—	
Permanent Troops	621	Naval Defence Force	4
Partially-paid Troops...	4,198	Naval Brigade	329
Volunteers	595	Naval Artillery	242
Honorary Officers	33	Torpedo Boats (2)	5
Total, Military	*5,447	Total, Naval	580
Actual Strength of Military and Naval Forces			*6,027

* Exclusive of Civilian Rifle Clubs, the approximate strength of which at the end of 1896 was 2,021.

No. 51.—Actual Strength of Naval Force, 1888-96.

Classification.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.
Naval Defence Force ...	...	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4
Naval Brigade	342	349	349	349	342	335	335	329	329
Naval Artillery	134	276	276	274	269	201	201	223	242
Torpedo Boats (2) ...	...	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Total	476	633	633	631	619	544	544	560	580

Naval Brigade.—The Naval Brigade was formed in 1863 under the provisions of Act 18 Vic. No. 8. It consis largely of men who formerly served on Her Majesty's ships on the Australian Station. The Brigade consists of companies, five of which are stationed at Sydney and one at Newcastle.

Naval Artillery.—This branch of the Naval Force was organised in 1882 under the provisions of the Volunteer A and Regulations, but in July, 1892, it was brought under the Partially-paid system. The torpedo boats are manned members of this force.

No. 52.—Classification of Naval Force on 31st December, 1896.

Classification.	Number.
Naval Defence Force—	
Captain Commanding	1
Fleet Surgeon	1
Chief Paymaster	1
Engineer	1
	4
Naval Brigade—	
Officer Commanding	1
Commander	1
Lieutenant Commander	1
Lieutenants of Companies	5
Sub-Lieutenants	6
Medical Officers	3
Other Officers...	12
Petty Officers...	24
A.B's., including band	276
	329
Naval Artillery—	
Officer Commanding	1
1st Lieutenant...	1
Lieutenants of Companies	4
Sub-Lieutenants	8
Medical Officers	1
Petty Officers	23
A.B's., including band	204
	242
Torpedo Boats, "Acheron" and "Avernus"—	
Commander	1
Engineer	1
Artificer	1
Stokers...	2
	5
Actual strength of Naval Force...	580

No. 53.—Distribution of Naval Force on 31st December, 1896.

Classification.	Sydney.	Newcastle	Actual strength of Naval Force.
Naval Defence Force	4	.....	4
Naval Brigade	277	52	329
Naval Artillery	242	.....	242
Torpedo Boats (2)	5	.....	5
Total	528	52	580

No. 54.—British Possessions within the boundaries of the Australian Naval Station.

In Australasia—
- Australia—
  - New South Wales.
  - Victoria.
  - Queensland.
  - South Australia.
  - Western Australia.
- Tasmania.
- Outlying Islands—
  - Norfolk Island.
  - Lord Howe Island.
- New Zealand—
  - North Island.
  - Middle or South Island.
  - Stewart Island.
  - Outlying Islands—
    - Auckland.
    - Campbell.
    - Chatham.
    - Kermadec.
- British New Guinea—
  - New Guinea (south-eastern portion)
  - D'Entrecasteaux Islands.
  - Louisiade Islands.
  - Trobiana Island.
  - Woodlark Island.
- Fiji Group—
  - Viti Levu.
  - Vanua Levu.
  - Taviuni.
  - Kadavu.
  - Windward Isles.
  - Koro.
  - Gua.
  - Ovalau.

In Australasia—*continued.*
- Fiji Group—*continued.*
  - Moala.
  - Rabi.
  - Zamia.
  - Vanua Balavu.
  - Vatu Lele.
  - Ono.
  - Dependency—
    - Rotumah.

In Oceania—
- Union Group—
  - Fakaafo.
  - Nuku Nono.
  - At à fu.
- Phœnix Group—
  - Sydney.
  - Phœnix.
  - Bernie.
  - Hull.
  - Gardner.
  - Canton Islands.
- Solomon Group (part of)—
  - Treasury.
  - Eddystone.
  - Vella Lavella.
  - Ronongo.
  - Gizo.
  - Kulambangra.
  - New Georgia.
  - Wana Wana.
  - Rendova.
  - Russell Group.
  - Florida Group.

In Oceania—*continued.*
- Solomon Group (part of)—*continued*
  - Guadalcanar.
  - Malayta.
  - Ulawa.
  - Three Sisters.
  - Ugi.
  - San Christoval.
  - Santa Anna.
  - Santa Catalina.
  - Danger.
  - Nassau.
- Gilbert Group.
- Ellice Group.
- Suwarrow.
- Cook and Hervey Group.
- Palmerston.
- Malden.
- Starbuck.
- Flint.
- Caroline Island.
- Penrhyn.
- Manahiki (or Humphrey).
- Rokohanga (or Reirson).
- Society Islands.
- Palmyra.
- Washington (or New York Island).
- Jarvis Island.

Protectorates—
- New Hebrides (joint protectorate with France).
- Samoa (jointly administered by Great Britain, Germany, and United States).

Boundaries of Australian Naval Station.—These are :—From 95° E long. by the parallel of 10° S. lat. to 130° E. long. ; thence north to 2° N. lat., and along that parallel to 136° E. ; thence north to 12° N., and along that parallel to 160° W. ; thence south to the Equator, and east to 149° 30 W. ; bounded on the south by the Antarctic Circle.

Garden Island, Port Jackson.—Garden Island (6a. 3r. 21 p.) was dedicated for the purpose of a Naval Depôt, 1865–66, and is now the depôt for the Australian Squadron.

No. 55.—Imperial War Vessels on Australian Naval Station, 1896.

Name.	Class.	Displacement.	Indicated horse-power.	Draught of water extreme.	Length.	Beam.	Guns. †	Speed.	Coal endurance. Coal that can be carried in bunkers.	Coal endurance. Distance that can be steamed at 10 knots' speed.
		tons.		ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.		knots.	tons.	knots.
Orlando..	Twin-screw cruiser, 1st class, armoured	5,600	8,500	24 8	300 0	56 0	2 9·2-in. 22-ton B.L.R., 10 6-in. 5-ton B.L.R., 16 Q.F. Hotchkiss, 7 M., 3 L.	18·5	900	7,000
Pylades..	Screw cruiser, 3rd class.	1,420	1,400	17 1	200 0	38 0	14 5-in. 38-cwt. B.L.R., 8 M., 1 L.M.	13·1	425	6,600
Rapid ..	Screw cruiser, 3rd class.	1,420	1,400	16 7	200 0	38 0	2 6-in. 4-ton B.L.R., 10 5-in. 38-cwt. B.L.R., 4 M., 1 L.	13·1	425	6,600
Royalist.	Screw cruiser, 3rd class.	1,420	1,510	16 11	200 0	38 0	2 6-in. 4-ton B.L.R., 10 5-in. 38-cwt. B.L.R., 4 M., 1 L.	13·1	425	6,600
Lizard ..	Screw gun-boat, 1st class.	715	1,000	12 6	165 0	29 0	6 4-in. 25-cwt. B.L.R., 4 M. ..	12·7	105	2,500
Goldfinch	Screw gun-boat, 1st class.	805	1,200	13 3	165 0	30 0	6 4-in. 26-cwt. B.L.R., 2 Q.F. Hotchkiss, 2 M.	13·0	105	.....
Torch ..	Screw sloop	960	1,100	14 6	180 0	32 6	6 4-in. Q.F., 4 3-in. Por. Q.F. Hotchkiss, 2 ·45-in. Maxim.	13·25	130	2,000
*Dart ..	Screw yacht	470	250	12 11	133 0	25 2	2 L., 2 M.	8 8	64	.....
*Penguin.	Screw sloop	1,130	700	14 0	180 0	38 0	2 64-pounder M., 1 L., 2 M. ..	10·0	200	.....
*Water-witch.	Screw yacht	479	250	12 6	140 0	26 0	2 L., 2 M.	9·0	70	.....

* Surveying service.

† B.L R , Breech-loading rifled guns ; M.L.R., Muzzle-loading rifled guns ; Q.F., Quick-firing guns ; M., Machine guns ; L., Light guns under 15 cwt.

Armour.—The hull of the "Orlando" is of steel ; and the hulls of the other vessels are of composite materials. The "Orlando" has a 10-inch armoured belt at water-line, with 3-inch armoured deck, and 12-inch conning tower ; and in addition to the armament mentioned in the table, she has two torpedo tubes.

No. 56.—Australasian Auxiliary Squadron.

Name.	Class.	Displacement.	Indicated horse-power.	Draught of water extreme	Length.	Beam.	Guns.	Speed.	Coal endurance.	
									Coal that can be carried in bunkers.	Distance that can be steamed at 10 knots' speed.
		tons.		ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.		knots.	tons.	knots.
‡Katoomba	Screw cruiser, 3rd class.	2,575	7,500	17 6	265 0	41 0	8 4·7 Q.F. guns, eight 3-pr. Q.F. guns, one 7-pr. M.L.R. gun (boat and field), four 4·45-in. 5-barrel Nordenfeldt.	16·5	300	6,000
†Ringarooma	Screw cruiser, 3rd class.	2,575	7,500	17 6	265 0	41 0	do ..	16·5	300	6,000
Mildura	Screw cruiser, 3rd class.	2,575	7,500	16 6	265 0	41 0	do ..	16·5	300	6,000
Wallaroo	Screw cruiser, 3rd class.	2,575	7,500	17 3	265 0	41 0	do ..	16·5	300	6,000
Tauranga	Screw cruiser, 3rd class.	2,575	7,500	17 6	265 0	41 0	do ..	16·5	300	6,000
†Boomerang	Torpedo gun-boat.....	735	3,500	10 8	230 0	27 0	Two 4·7-in. Q.F. guns, four 3-pr. Q.F. guns.	*18·75	160	2,500
Karrakatta	Torpedo gun-boat.....	735	3,500	10 9	230 0	27 0	do ..	*18·75	160	2,500

* This speed can be increased until, under favourable conditions, for a short period, a maximum of 21 knots can be obtained. Q.F., Quick-firing guns. † In reserve. ‡ Guard-ship of reserve.

Armour.—The hull of each of the vessels of the auxiliary squadron is of steel. The deck armour over machinery space is 2-inch and 1-inch, and the conning towers are protected by 3-inch armour, except in the case of the torpedo gun-boats, the towers of which have 1-inch armour. In addition to the armament mentioned in the table, each of the cruisers carries four, and each of the torpedo gun-boats three, torpedo tubes.

Australasian Naval Force Agreement.—This agreement provides for the equipping, manning, and maintaining, at the joint cost of the Imperial and Colonial Funds, a naval squadron, consisting of five cruisers and two torpedo gunboats. The officers and men are changed triennially, and the limits where they are to be employed in times of peace or war are fixed within the boundaries of the Australian Station. It is provided that no reduction of the Imperial squadron shall be made in consequence of the equipment of this naval force. The Australasian Colonies contribute 5 per cent. on the cost of these vessels—not to exceed £35,000 per annum—in addition to the actual charge for their maintenance. In the event of the loss of vessels the Imperial Government has to replace them. The agreement is for ten years, and only terminable then provided notice is given at the end of the eighth year. Afterwards the agreement can be terminated by giving two years' notice. The vessels will revert to the Imperial Government on the termination of the agreement. The New South Wales Government ratified the agreement under the Australasian Naval Force Act of 1887 (51 Vic. No. 22).

No. 57.—Expenditure by New South Wales on Federal Defence, 1892-97.

Head of Expenditure.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.*	1896.†	1897.†	Total.
Proportion paid by New South Wales Government to—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
British Government for Additional Naval Force (Auxiliary Squadron).. ..	69,471	5,525	37,720	37,889	37,961	37,989	226,555
Government of Western Australia for maintenance of Garrison at Albany..	639	737	5,172	‡1,201	1,622	799	10,170
Government of Queensland for maintenance of Garrison at Thursday Island..	....	....	8,887	3,149	2,117	2,345	16,498
Total .. .. £	70,110	6,262	51,779	42,239	41,700	41,133	253,223

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ Includes £37 paid to the Government of South Australia.

Defence of Albany.—New South Wales, together with the colonies of Victoria, Queensland, and South Australia, entered into a contract, 11th March, 1892, with the colony of Western Australia, to contribute to the cost of the defence o Albany. The agreement provides that one-fourth of the total expense shall be defrayed by Western Australia, and three fourths by the colonies named, the proportion to be paid by each colony to be calculated on the basis of its populatic Western Australia provides the garrison and has general superintendence.

Defence of Thursday Island.—A similar agreement was made, 1st January, 1893, between Queensland and colonies of New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia, and Western Australia, for the defence of Thursday Island. In instance the five colonies named contribute towards the expense *pro rata* on a population basis.

No. 58.—Expenditure on Defence from 1857 (date of Responsible Governmen to 30th June, 1897.

	£	£		£	£
From Consolidated Revenue—					
Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces. Naval Forces ... Miscellaneous Military and Naval Expenditure ... ... Ordnance and Barrack Department (including Civil Branch to 1892) ...	3,810,749*		Brought forward ...	.....	4,576,64
			From Loans—		
			Fortification, Military Works, &c., Naval Station, Port Jackson ...	1,242,006	
Fortifications, Military Buildings, Warlike Materials, &c.	512,675†		Total from Loans £	.....	1,242,00
Proportion payable by N.S. Wales in terms of "Naval Force Act" ...	226,555		Value of Land alienated by Volunteer Land Orders (£1 per acre)	.....	167,8
Defence of Albany (W.A.) and Thursday Island (Q.)	26,668				
Total from Consolidated Revenue ... £	.....	4,576,647	Total Expenditure £	.....	5,986,4

* Includes expenditure during the year 1896-97 on fortifications, &c.
† Exclusive of expenditure for year 1896-97.
‡ Exclusive of cost of Soudan Contingent, £121,630.

No. 59.—Expenditure on Defence during the year ended 30th June, 1897.

	£
Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue—	
Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces	158,056
Naval Forces	8,706
Federal Defence—	
Proportion paid by New South Wales Government to—	
British Government, for Additional Naval Force (Auxiliary Squadron)	37,989
Government of Western Australia, for Maintenance of Garrison at Albany	799
Government of Queensland, for Maintenance of Garrison at Thursday Island	2,345
Miscellaneous—	
Grants in Aid of—	
Rifle Associations	1,815
Royal Naval House	200
Military Secretary	1,917
Military Pensions	1,187
Total from Revenue ... ... £	213,014
Expenditure from Loans—	
Erection and Completion of Fortifications, Armaments, and Military Works ...	11,102
Total from Loans ... ... £	11,102
Total ... ... £	224,116

ROYAL NAVAL HOUSE.

The Royal Naval House in Sydney has been erected exclusively for the accommodation of the seamen and marin Her Majesty's ships. It was built in 1889, at a total cost of £25,000, contributed by citizens and the Government of South Wales. There are 270 beds in the Institution, also a refreshment room, and, for the amusement of the men, rea smoking, and billiard rooms, and a gymnasium are provided.

No. 60.—Meteorology—Barometric Observations, Sydney, 1896.

Month.	Self-registering Electric Barograph, corrected to 32° Fah., but not to Mean Sea-level.						Mean Height of Standard Barometer, corrected to 32° Fah. and Mean Sea-level at 9 a.m.
	Highest Reading.	Day.	Lowest Reading.	Day.	Mean Height.	Average for 37 years.	
January	30·198	8	29·401	28	29·770	29·771	29·960
February	·145	23	·511	1	·870	·806	30·056
March	·131	6	·526	26	·861	·894	·057
April...	·334	26	·423	10	·905	·946	·109
May	·263	16	·398	13	·968	·935	·174
June...	·330	7	·381	13	·832	·915	·020
July	·216	16	·292	21	·822	·945	·025
August	·344	21	·112	27	·926	·930	·133
September	·297	29	·641	13	·965	·878	·164
October	·248	3	·500	29	·911	·835	·109
November	·228	2	·511	7	·950	·812	·144
December	·124	21	·507	28	·845	·747	·044
Means	.....	...	.....	...	29·885	29·868	30·083
Extremes	30·344	Aug. 21	29·112	Aug. 27	29·968	29·946	30·174

The Sydney Observatory was established in the year 1856, at the instance of Sir William Denison, Governor of New South Wales.

Time Ball.—The Time Ball at the Sydney Observatory is dropped every day at 1 p.m. Standard Time, or 15 hours Greenwich Mean Time.

Standard Time.—By the "Standard Time Act of 1894" (58 Vic., No. 11), which came into operation on 1st February, 1895, the mean time of the 150th meridian of longitude east of Greenwich, England, was declared to be Standard Time throughout New South Wales, but on account of the conflicting interest in the Barrier District this Act was amended by Act 60 Vic No. 4, assented to on 23rd July, 1896. The Standard Time Act of 1894 does not now apply within the Municipal District of Broken Hill, nor the Electorate of Sturt, in respect of certain sections of the Licensing Acts, Billiard and Bagatelle Licensing Act, Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act. The mean time of the 135th meridian of longitude is in respect of the above enactments declared to be the standard time for the said Municipal and Electoral Districts.

Latitude, &c., of Observatory.—Latitude, 33° 51′ 41·1″ south; longitude, 151° 12′ 42·15″ east; magnetic variation, 9° 28′ 51″ east; altitude, 146 feet.

No. 61.—Meteorology—Temperature, Sydney, 1876–96.

Year.	In Shade.								In Sun.	
	Mean in Shade.	Mean Maximum.	Mean Minimum.	Extremes. Highest.	Date.	Lowest.	Date.	Mean Diurnal Range.	Highest.	Date.
1876	64	..	..	97	Feb. 25	39	July 31	13	132	Feb. 25
1877	64	..	..	97	Dec. 23	42	June 29	14	153	Dec. 23
1878	61	..	..	103	Nov. 21	39	June 17	14	154	Nov. 21
1879	62	68	56	96	Dec. 1	41	July 5	12	150	Dec. 1
1880	63	69	56	95	Nov. 14	39	July 7	13	155	Jan. 8
1881	62	69	56	100	Feb. 13	40	June 29	13	155	Dec. 6
1882	63	70	56	100	Dec. 19	40	July15&30	14	160	Dec. 19
1883	62	69	56	100	Dec. 12	40	July 18	14	154	Dec. 12
1884	63	70	56	101	Jan. 14	41	July 20	14	157	Jan. 14
1885	64	71	57	98	Nov. 5	41	June 30	14	154	Nov. 5
1886	63	70	57	97	Feb. 12	42	June 26	14	153	Jan. 8
1887	63	69	57	94	Oct. 18	41	July 9	12	137	Jan. 14
1888	63	70	56	98	Jan. 18	39	Aug. 6	14	147	Dec. 31
1889	64	69	58	103	Jan. 14	42	July 14	11	173	Feb. 11
1890	63	69	57	94	Nov. 7	36	July 12	12	157	Dec. 30
1891	63	69	56	97	Dec. 30	40	July 25	13	164	Dec. 30
1892	62	69	56	90	Feb. 11	39	July 22	12	157	Jan. 29
1893	62	69	56	94	Dec. 6	39	July 4	13	155	Dec. 6
1894	63	69	57	97	Nov. 26	40	July 11	13	156	Dec. 28
1895	63	70	56	96	Dec. 16	37	July 9	13	157	Dec. 20
1896	63	70	57	109	Jan. 13	40	July 2	13	161	Jan. 13

Thermometers.—The thermometers are exposed in a shed 11 feet square, of which the sides are 5 feet 6 inches high, and enclosed to within 18 inches of the ground with open lattice-work. The roof is conical, rises to 13 feet above the ground, and is covered with louvres close enough to keep out rain. Repeated experiments have been made to determine the relation between temperature in this shed and that shown by a swing thermometer, both night and day, with the result that there is no difference. It is, therefore, assumed that the shade obtained is a satisfactory one.

No. 62.—Meteorology—Temperature at various Stations in New South Wales, 1891–96.

Station.	Altitude.	1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.		Extremes—Years 1891-96 inclusive.	
		Mean max.	Mean min.	Mean max.	Mean min.	Mean max.	Mean min.	Mean max.	Mean min.	Mean max.	Mean min.	Mean max.	Mean min.	Max.	Min.
	feet.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.
Table Lands.															
Cooma	2,637	66	4	66	40	67	40	68	40	70	40	69·9	40·3	105	14
Kiandra	4,640	56	35	55	35	55	36	55	27	52	23	51·3	21·3	84	*17
Douglas	2,267	67	47	66	47	67	47	67	47	69	47	70·0	48·0	105	27
Collector	2,286	62	42	64	45	63	46	65	43	66	45	67·8	44·8	108	20
Goulburn	2,129	68	45	68	45	68	45	67	45	69	44	70·2	45·7	108	19
Forbes	808	76	51	75	50	74	51	73	5	75	50	75·4	50·7	114	25
Mount Victoria ...	3,490	62	44	62	44	62	45	62	44	63	45	61·8	45·0	94	21
O'Connell	2,300	67	42	68	42	67	41	67	4	67	37	67·9	43·0	102	12
Bathurst	2,200	70	42	7	42	70	41	70	44	72	43	72·4	43·6	105	16
Coonabarabran ...	2,056	74	42	77	45	76	45	76	44	78	41	78·0	39·3	111	11
Walgett	522	78	52	81	56	79	53	79	58	80	54	80·8	56·2	116	30
Warialda	1,106	73	48	75	48	74	47	74	49	76	48	73·8	51·7	101	20
Inverell	1,953	69	50	71	5	69	50	68	49	69	46	67·7	48·9	96	15
Armidale	3,333	65	44	68	45	67	44	67	44	69	43	69·4	43·2	96	15
Coastal District.															
Lismore	52	79	59	79	60	78	59	79	58	82	58	81·1	58·1	104	30
Clarence Heads ...	122	77	62	78	63	77	62	76	61	77	59	76·6	60·5	101	37
Port Macquarie ...	49	72	55	2	55	72	55	72	54	72	54	72·2	55·7	98	30
Newcastle	34	70	58	70	57	70	57	70	58	7	58	70·7	57·7	103	35
Sydney	146	69	56	69	56	69	56	69	57	70	56	69·6	56·6	109	37
Wollongong ...	54	72	50	7	52	70	54	71	54	71	55	71·1	54·8	113	35
Cape St. George ...	175	66	55	68	54	66	54	68	54	69	53	68·1	54·1	99	30
Moruya Heads ...	50	71	52	70	5	71	52	73	52	73	51	72·1	52·2	115	32
Eden	107	67	54	67	52	69	51	69	53	68	53	67·8	53·3	96	29
Western District.															
Wagga Wagga ...	615	78	47	78	46	78	45	76	48	77	47	78·0	48·9	118	22
Albury	531	73	48	73	48	74	49	73	50	74	48	74·4	48·8	112	27
Deniliquin ...	320	78	45	8	45	79	47	77	48	79	47	78·2	47·1	118	23
Hay	305	76	51	7	50	78	51	77	50	79	50	78·8	49·1	116	27
Wentworth ...	144	73	49	75	47	5	48	74	49	76	49	76·4	51·5	115	27
Wilcannia... ...	246	80	52	8	47	81	50	80	53	82	53	81·3	53·0	121	23
Bourke	347	82	55	85	5	83	57	81	56	84	55	82·9	54·9	119	27
Cobar	803	78	51	74	57	74	58	72	56	76	57	76·9	55·9	112	22
Dubbo	863	76	48		50	7	48	78	48	79	46	79·9	48·6	113	20
Lord Howe Island.															
Lord Howe Island	40	72	61	75	60	74	62	74	62	...	...	...	...	96	45

* Below zero.

Lord Howe Island.—This island is a dependency of New South Wales. It is situated 436 miles N.E. of Sydney.

No. 63.—Meteorology, Temperature, Sydney, 1896.

(Observations in Shed.)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Means.	Extremes.
Mean in shade—														
During 1896	76·4	71·9	68·9	64·4	59·1	53·7	50·0	52·5	58·0	65·9	65·5	71·1	[illegible]	7[illegible]
Average for 37 years..	71·4	70·0	69·3	64·5	58·4	54·4	52·4	55·0	58·7	63·4	66·6	69·8	[illegible]	71·4
In shade—														
Mean maximum ..	84·6	76·9	74·3	71·8	65·5	59·0	56·1	59·2	64·9	73·4	71·7	77·8	[illegible]	84·[illegible]
Mean minimum .	68·2	66·8	63·4	56·9	52·4	48·4	43·9	45·7	51·9	58·4	59·3	64·4	[illegible]	4[illegible]
Highest in sun ..	169·9	156·4	141·8	134·0	129·7	106·3	103·0	117·7	130·9	149·9	147·2	159·0	[illegible]	16[illegible]
Date	13	1	13	5	1	14	6	23	13	13	29	28	.	Jan.
Highest in shade	108·5	98·0	80·9	83·9	81·0	67·2	66·9	67·7	78·0	92·4	88·0	101·4	[illegible]	10[illegible]
Date	13	1	5	8	3	28	5	23	13	13	13	28	.	Jan.
Lowest in shade ..	63·2	58·7	52·6	51·0	45·2	42·5	39·8	40·5	44·6	47·6	48·6	58·4	[illegible]	3[illegible]
Date	30	4	31	15	13	22	2	1	26	3	1	8	.	July
Lowest on grass ..	52·3	44·6	43·7	40·4	37·9	30·3	27·9	29·8	35·3	39·2	43·8	52·8	[illegible]	27[illegible]
Date	31	4	31	24	7	30	11	2	28	3	5	8	.	July
Greatest range ..	33·6	30·7	18·1	21·8	24·8	18·3	20·6	23·4	22·1	28·8	23·4	32·4	25·1	33·[illegible]
Date	6	1	5	30	2	28	5	22	11	29	7	28	.	Jan.
Mean Diurnal range ..	16·4	10·1	11·0	14·9	13·1	10·6	12·2	13·5	13·9	15·0	12·3	13·4	13·0	16[illegible]

No. 64.—Meteorology—Barometer and Thermometer Readings at various Stations in New South Wales, 1896.

Station.	Altitude.	Barometer corrected 32° Fahr. and mean sea-level.	Temperature in Shade. Mean in Shade.	Means. Max.	Means. Min.	Extremes. Max.	Extremes. Min.	Latitude.	Longitude.
Table Lands.									
	feet.							° ′	° ′
Cooma	2,637	30·066	55·1	69·9	40·3	105·0	18·0	36 12	149 9
Kiandra	4,640	·071	36·3	51·3	21·3	84·3	*13·6	35 52	148 32
Gundaroo	1,893	·005	55·9	...	...	...	...	35 2	149 18
Collector	2,286	.....	56·3	67·8	44·8	108·0	25·0	34 55	149 32
Goulburn	2,129	30·070	57·9	70·2	45·7	107·5	22·9	34 45	149 45
Forbes	808	·060	63·1	75·4	50·7	113·9	26·0	33 27	148 5
Mount Victoria	3,490	·017	53·5	61·8	45·0	93·6	26·5	33 36	150 15
O'Connell	2,300	·079	55·5	67·9	43·0	102·0	20·0	33 34	149 43
Bathurst	2,200	·100	58·0	72·4	43·6	105·2	20·8	33 24	149 37
Coonabarabran	2,056	·074	58·7	78·0	39·3	111·3	11·4	31 16	149 18
Walgett	522	·085	68·5	80·8	56·2	115·7	29·7	30 2	148 10
Warialda	1,106	·159	62·7	73·8	51·7	100·8	23·4	29 35	150 37
Inverell	1,953	·068	58·3	67·7	48·9	95·8	20·0	29 48	151 10
Armidale	3,333	·116	56·3	69·4	43·2	96·2	15·2	30 32	151 38
Coastal District.									
Lismore	52	.....	69·6	81·1	58·1	103·7	29·5	28 50	153 21
Clarence Heads	122	30·109	68·6	76·6	60·5	93·3	37·4	29 28	153 21
Port Macquarie	49	·070	64·0	72·2	55·7	89·1	31·4	31 25	152 54
Newcastle	34	·061	64·3	70·7	57·7	103·0	40·8	32 55	151 50
Sydney	146	·083	63·1	69·6	56·6	108·5	39·8	33 51	151 13
Wollongong	54	·089	63·0	71·1	54·8	113·4	37·8	34 25	150 56
Cape St. George... ...	175	·104	61·1	68·1	54·1	99·1	32·4	35 12	150 45
Moruya Heads	50	·065	62·1	72·1	52·2	114·8	33·3	35 53	150 6
Eden	107	29·977	61·0	67·8	53·3	96·0	36·9	37 0	149 59
Western District.									
Wagga Wagga	615	30·092	63·5	78·0	48·9	117·6	25·0	35 7	147 27
Albury	531	·010	61·7	74·4	48·8	111·8	28·5	36 6	147 0
Deniliquin	320	·138	62·6	78·2	47·1	117·6	26·2	35 32	145 2
Hay	305	·017	64·0	78·8	49·1	115·5	27·1	34 30	144 56
Wentworth	144	·044	63·9	76·4	51·5	115·0	28·5	34 8	141 58
Wilcannia	246	·064	67·7	81·3	53·9	120·8	29·8	31 31	143 23
Bourke	347	·077	68·9	82·9	54·9	119·4	26·3	30 3	145 58
Cobar	803	·056	66·4	76·9	55·9	112·0	27·5	31 32	145 50
Dubbo	863	·133	64·3	79·9	48·6	113·4	20·7	32 18	148 35

* Below zero.

Rain, River, and Evaporation Observations.—The townships named in the foregoing table may be accepted representative meteorological stations. Particulars relating to other meteorological stations may be found on refere to the annual publications of the Government Astronomer.

No. 65.—Meteorology—Humidity, Sydney, 1896.

(100 = Saturation.)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Means	Extremes
Mean wet—														
Standard	69·3	67·5	64·7	57·5	53·6	50·0	43·9	47·0	52·4	59·7	61·8	66·0	57·8	69·3
Maximum	74·3	70·9	67·1	61·9	57·5	52·7	48·6	52·5	56·6	63·8	65·1	69·0	61·7	74·3
Minimum	63·8	63·7	60·2	52·4	48·9	45·0	40·1	42·8	47·0	54·6	56·5	61·2	53·0	40·1
Range	10·6	7·2	6·9	9·5	8·7	7·8	8·5	9·7	9·6	9·3	8·6	7·8	8·7	10·6
From dry and wet—														
Maximum	59·3	72·2	64·8	56·4	60·0	64·5	59·7	63·5	58·8	58·0	68·5	61·5	62·3	72·2
Minimum	78·0	82·8	81·3	70·4	77·8	75·9	73·5	78·8	74·5	78·8	82·5	84·9	78·3	84·9
Mean	68·7	77·5	73·1	63·4	69·4	70·2	66·6	71·2	66·7	68·4	75·5	73·2	70·3	77·5
Greatest amount of humidity	100·0	95·0	99·0	93·0	100·0	100·0	100·0	99·0	89·0	97·0	100·0	95·0	97·3	100·0
Date	15, 16	25	20	20	13, 20	4, 5, 9, 11, 13, 20, 24.	17, 18.	8	16	30	18, 27	14	..	Jany. 15, 16. May 13, 20. June 4, 5, 9, 11, 13, 20, 24. July 17, 18. Nov. 18, 27.
Least amount of humidity	29·0	38·0	55·0	47·0	54·0	70·0	54·0	46·0	44·0	38·0	41·0	33·0	45·8	29·0
Date	6	1	3	6	4	27	6	29	13	13	13	28	..	Jan. 6
From standard at 9 a.m.	69·5	76·9	75·5	72·7	86·1	86·7	79·8	80·8	69·5	70·6	74·8	69·8	76·1	86·7
Average for 37 years.. ..	72·0	74·0	76·2	78·2	75·3	78·1	76·5	73·0	70·0	69·0	69·4	69·2	73·4	78·2

Humidity.—The humidity is obtained from the wet and dry bulb readings by means of a set of curves, which show the amount by inspection. These curves have been calculated from the Greenwich Dew Point Factors. The humidity thus obtained agrees with that given by Glaishier's tables.

No. 66.—Meteorology—Wind, Sydney, 1896.

	Jan.	Feb	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Means	Extremes
Greatest pressure (lbs.)	21·8	11·0	6·8	18·0	8·8	15·7	10·6	8·8	28·9	6·5	5·1	12·5	12·9	28·9
Date	13	1	15	11	31	1	22	27	13	22	27	28	..	Sept. 13
Mean pressure (lbs.) ..	0·7	0·6	0·4	0·4	0·5	0·7	0·6	0·4	0·5	0·5	0·6	0·7	0·6	0·7
Total in miles	8,169	7,271	6,477	5,899	6,582	7,950	7,304	6,126	6,934	6,899	7,786	8,528	7,100	8,528
Prevailing direction ..	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	N.W.	S.W.	S.W.	w.s.w	w.s.w	S.W.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	..
Prevailing direction for 37 years	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	W.	W.	W.	W.	W.	W.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E. & W.	..

No. 67.—Meteorology—Rainfall, Sydney, 1876-96.

(Including Dew.)

Year.	Greatest Fall in One Day.		Wet Days.	Total Fall during year.	Year.	Greatest Fall in One Day.		Wet Days.	Total Fall during year.
	Inches.	Date.	No.	Inches.		Inches.	Date.	No.	Inches.
1876	2·815	May 22	156	45·69	1887	2·827	May 29	189	60·16
1877	4·890	Oct. 5	147	59·66	1888	2·751	Dec. 1	132	23·61
1878	7·526	Feb. 6	129	49·77	1889	8·363	May 28	186	77·16
1879	5·691	Sept. 10	167	63·19	1890	5·663	Mar. 25	184	81·42
1880	2·036	Sept. 16	142	29·51	1891	2·951	June 22	187	53·30
1881	4·246	Oct. 19	163	41·09	1892	4·337	Mar. 20	189	69·28
1882	6·482	April 6	112	42·28	1893	3·303	Mar. 8	208	49·90
1883	4·333	Sept. 28	157	46·92	1894	3·101	Mar. 20	188	38·22
1884	6·453	April 6	159	44·04	1895	2·363	Feb. 8	171	31·85
1885	4·845	June 24	145	39·91	1896	4·875	June 4	152	42·40
1886	4·682	Oct. 15	152	39·43					

Rain-gauge.—The rain-gauge is round, 8 inches in diameter, and with rim 15 inches above ground. The pluviometer results are from a gauge of the same size, 9 ft. above ground, and recording on the same paper as the anemometer. Two similar gauges, placed on the ground 6 ft. apart, are always used; they differ very little, and not always the same way; the larger record is always taken.

No. 68.—Meteorology—Rainfall at various Stations in New South Wales, 1891–96.

(Including Dew.)

Station.	1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.		Annual Average of Rainfall extending over a series of years.	
	Rainfall. In.	Days No.	Rainfall. In.	Days No.	Rainfall. In.	Days No.	Rainfall. In.	Days No.	Rainfall. In.	Days No.	Rainfall. In.	Days No.	Rainfall. Inches.	Days. No.
Table Lands.														
Cooma	33	00	24	2	6	127	22	120		85	18	87	20	93
Kiandra	65	38	57	59	59	165	73	148	54	107	59	28	64	120
Gundaroo	40	09	30	92	30	108	39	107	16	72	2	77	26	89
Collector	26	100	32	136	37	51	41	12	7	71	29	95	31	115
Goulburn	41	04	26	89	3	107	37	110	4	82	23	99	27	86
Forbes	30	93	25	86	25	103	29	94	3	68	7	81	22	67
Mount Victoria... ...	44	108	50	32	50	143	4	35	9	04	29	127	38	100
O'Connell	30	100	32	09	29	15	26	93	9	79	24	95	27	99
Bathurst	3	13	3	117	31	16	28	104	24	83	28	95	25	84
Coonabarabran	4	106	38	104	36	07	32	102	29	78	34	93	32	90
Walgett...	25	78	14	64	20	59	22	62	18	45	8	50	20	52
Warialda	33	92	37	79	26	90	36	8	26	67	35	85	30	93
Inverell	35		4	99	39	98	37	91	23	66	33	87	32	85
Armidale	39	123	45	116	44	5	38	124	34	100	30	10	33	99
Coastal District.														
Lismore	53	169	7	147	87	141	67	150	44	125	53	136	59	143
Clarence Heads... ...	72	131	67	116	64	1 3	68	114	5	93	55	103	58	106
Port Macquarie ...	74	185	8	70	64	171	58	156	79	150	38	130	64	136
Newcastle	56	196	72	5	69	172	46	175	45	162	37	168	49	127
Sydney	55	200	69	189	50	208	38	188	32	17	42	152	50	157
Wollongong	55	120	58	120	51	1	42	99	3	91	4	86	43	89
Cape St. George ...	78	155	58	128	8	143	85	145	108	142	96	16	58	118
Moruya Heads	52	120	5	8	5	1 5	45	1 3	25	75	35	204	39	101
Eden	59	145	42	27	5	162	30	1 4	22	95	35	126	36	121
Western District.														
Wagga Wagga	26	92	21	88	26	108	34	27	7	8	9	103	23	85
Albury	29	91	30	103	34	107	41	7	29	89	29	100	29	92
Deniliquin	21	72	7	75	5	84	24	94	3	56		63	17	66
Hay	17	85	6	81	4	8	22	93	4	57	13	80	15	66
Wentworth	11	51	3	66	2	63	23	76	8	46	8	44	12	71
Wilcannia	14	57	8	37		4	7	44		4	7	37	12	39
Bourke	25	53	8	37	3	51	24	58		37	20	50	17	45
Cobar	31	66	2	43	6	63	2	70	14	54	23	60	17	48
Dubbo	27	101	29	90	24	102	30	98	4	73	2	86	24	68
Lord Howe Island.														
Lord Howe Island ...	76	242	79	233	69	213	62	232	...	...	...	...	66	208

See note to Table No. 64.

No. 69.—Meteorology—Rainfall, Sydney, 1896.

(Excluding Dew.)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Sums.
Greatest fall in one day (inches)	0·693	0·702	1·322	0·055	0·990	4·875	1·683	0·735	0·143	0·820	1·049	0·380	....
Date	26	26	20	11	13	4	31	16	17	9	2	14	....
Number of days rain	11	18	14	3	9	16	10	12	14	10	23	12	152
Total fall in inches..	1·657	4·735	3·563	0·126	3·785	14·674	2·515	1·716	0·502	2·182	5·225	1·495	42·175
Average fall for 37 years (inches).	3·624	5·515	5·491	5·848	5·108	5·360	4·285	2·850	3·219	2·878	3·155	2·600	49·933

No. 70.—Meteorology—Dew, Sydney, 1896.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Sum
Number of days dew...	1	1	2	6	15	4	3	13	6	2	2	...	5
Total fall (inches) ...	0·005	0·001	0·004	0·024	0·052	0·034	0·018	0·065	0·013	0·007	0·003	—	0·22

Dew.—The amount of dew is found from the rain-gauge. Smaller quantities than the rain-gauge will show are lost.

No. 71.—Meteorology—Wind, Humidity, Rainfall, at various Stations in Ne South Wales, 1896.

Station.	Wind.		Humidity. 100 = Saturation.	Rainfall (including dew).				Clou 0–9 (mea amou
	Prevailing Direction.	Force 0–6 (mean pressure lb.)		Total Fall (inches).	No. of Days.	Greatest Fall. Inches.	Greatest Fall. Date.	
Table Lands.								
Cooma	N.W.	0·7	68·2	17·960	87	1·100	22 June ...	4
Kiandra	N.W.	0·9	82·8	59·040	128	2·920	11 April ...	5
Gundaroo	W.	0·9	...	20·450	77	1·430	26 February	4
Collector	N.W.	1·3	...	28·870	95	2·940	15 February	4
Goulburn	N.W.	0·9	70·5	23·050	99	1·740	14 May .	3
Forbes	W.	0·7	66·1	17·080	81	1·700	12 February	2
Mount Victoria	W.& W.S.W.	1·7	76·1	29·040	127	1·910	13 June ...	4
O'Connell	W.	1·8	...	23·490	95	1·200	13 & 23 June	5
Bathurst	W.	0·3	76·1	28·200	95	1·850	13 February	3
Coonabarabran	N.W.	0·8	68·7	33·890	93	3·100	26 February	3
Walgett	N.E.	1·4	64·3	17·870	50	2·870	15 February	2
Warialda	N.W.	1·6	...	35·350	85	4·380	29 January..	3
Inverell	N.	0·8	78·6	33·110	87	2·660	7 December	4
Armidale	E.	1·3	67·6	29·690	110	2·150	27 Jan. ...	3
Coastal District.								
Lismore	S.	1·4	77·9	52·470	136	4·720	4 November	3
Clarence Heads	S.	1·1	72·8	55·400	103	5·250	28 February	5
Port Macquarie	W.	1·5	84·2	37·600	130	1·690	2 November.	3
Newcastle	N.W.	1·1	69·7	36·540	168	5·050	24 May ...	4
Sydney	N.E.	0·6	76·1	42·401	152	4·875	4 June ...	4
Wollongong	E.	1·8	71·1	41·410	86	5·930	8 June ...	3
Cape St. George	W.	2·5	73·6	95·580	161	8·500	13 June ...	6
Moruya Heads	W.S.W.	1·6	73·3	34·900	104	4·130	20 June ...	5
Eden	S.W.	1·3	74·3	34·520	126	1·870	19 June ...	4
Western District.								
Wagga Wagga	S.	1·5	73·8	19·310	103	1·200	26 February	3
Albury	W.	1·1	72·7	28·740	100	1·900	17 September	4
Deniliquin	S.S.W.	0·8	66·8	11·880	63	1·300	22 April ...	3
Hay	S.	1·5	67·5	13·140	80	3·200	22 April ...	3
Wentworth	S.	1·2	68·2	7·840	44	0·860	20 May ...	3
Wilcannia	N.	1·1	56·5	7·300	37	1·030	22 May ...	2
Bourke	S.E.	1·1	65·9	19·580	50	4·180	12 February	2
Cobar	S	...	...	22·830	60	2·980	11 February	...
Dubbo	E.	0·7	69·2	20·690	86	1·750	21 May ...	2

No. 72.—Meteorology—Pluviometer, Sydney, 1896.

Number of hours and Amount of Rain with each wind, 1896.

Direction of wind, &c.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
S.—													
Hours	....	3	2	....	....	1	....	1¾	½	3	3½	2	16¼
Inches	....	0·500	0·210	....	....	0·460	....	0·340	0·030	0·470	0·490	0·175	2·675
S.S.W.—													
Hours	....	6	1	....	5½	2½	1½	....	....	2¾	3	½	22½
Inches	....	0·798	0·210	....	0·736	0·766	0·130	....	....	0·380	0·250	0·423	3·693
S.W.—													
Hours	½	¾	....	½	4¼	27¾	6¼	4½	....	1	½	½	46¼
Inches	0·065	0·359	....	0·010	0·547	5·177	0·945	0·370	....	0·050	0·300	0·070	7·893
W.S.W.—													
Hours	....	....	....	½	....	3¼	5¼	1½	....	....	1½	....	12
Inches	....	....	....	0·030	....	0·253	0·434	0·160	....	....	0·150	....	1·057
W.—													
Hours	....	....	....	....	7	6	....	4¼	2½	¾	....	1	21½
Inches	....	....	....	....	0·878	0·665	....	0·242	0·130	0·100	....	0·050	2·065
W.N.W.—													
Hours	....	....	....	....	½	4¾	2½	....	3	....	....	¼	11
Inches	....	....	....	....	0·100	1·160	0·240	....	0·130	....	....	0·045	1·675
N.W.—													
Hours	....	....	1½	¾	4	5½	3	5¼	....	1½	....	1½	23½
Inches	....	....	0·484	0·030	0·622	1·430	0·100	0·260	....	0·080	....	0·110	3·116
N.N.W.—													
Hours	....	½	....	....	¾	....	....	....	....	....	....	¼	1½
Inches	....	0·025	....	....	0·160	....	....	....	....	....	....	0·015	0·200
N.—													
Hours	....	....	....	....	....	1¾	....	½	....	½	¼	....	3
Inches	....	....	....	....	....	0·379	....	0·030	....	0·510	0·045	....	0·964
N.N.E.—													
Hours	....	1	....	1	....	1	....	....	....	¼	....	....	3¼
Inches	....	0·070	....	0·025	....	0·540	....	....	....	0·030	....	....	0·665
N.E.—													
Hours	....	3½	....	....	¾	1¼	1½	....	....	¼	2½	....	9¾
Inches	....	0·359	....	....	0·050	0·350	0·080	....	....	0·200	0·250	....	1·298
E.N.E.—													
Hours	¼	1	1	....	....	1	....	....	....	¼	1½	¼	5
Inches	0·025	0·200	0·285	....	....	0·060	....	....	....	0·032	0·080	0·020	0·702
E.—													
Hours	3	3	....	....	....	2½	....	....	....	....	½	½	9½
Inches	0·190	0·678	....	....	....	0·300	....	....	....	....	0·400	0·045	1·613
E.S.E.—													
Hours	¼	2½	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	4¾
Inches	0·020	0·355	....	....	....	0·340	....	....	....	....	....	....	0·715
S.E.—													
Hours	9½	2½	2½	....	¼	4¾	1½	....	....	1	8	2	32
Inches	0·570	0·283	0·796	....	0·059	0·660	0·270	....	....	0·090	1·394	0·250	4·372
S.S.E.—													
Hours	1	3½	....	....	1¾	2	1½	1	½	....	11½	....	22¾
Inches	0·070	0·575	....	....	0·220	0·195	0·150	0·142	0·050	....	1·547	....	2·949
Measured Rainfall (including dew), as given by rain-gauge	1·662	4·736	3·567	0·150	3·837	14·708	2·533	1·781	0·515	2·189	5·228	1·495	42·401

NOTE.—The records of the pluviometer are affected by the force of the wind and some loss by friction in the recording machine; the total, therefore, is always less than that shown by the rain-gauge. The measured rainfall (including dew), as given by the rain-gauge, for 1896, was 42·401 inches, while the pluviometer only registered 38·624 inches.

Pluviometer. This instrument (10 feet above ground) records on the same paper as the anemometer, thus giving at one view—wind, rain, and barometer changes.

No. 73.—Meteorology—Anemometer, Sydney, 1896.

Number of hours the wind blew from each point, and the number of miles, 1896.

Month.	S.		S.W.		W.		N.W.		N.		N.E.		E.		S.E.	
	Hours.	Miles.	Hours.	Miles.	Hours.	Miles.	Hours.	Miles.	Hours.	Miles.	Hours.	Miles.	Hours.	Miles.	Hours.	Miles.
January ..	102	1,454	2	15	21	195	58	567	39	288	219	2,551	126	1,002	180	2,106
February ..	148	1,915	27	112	4	57	1	5	24	114	251	2,523	129	1,348	112	1,192
March	163	2,191	51	262	50	374	29	139	71	239	169	1,449	70	601	141	1,223
April	78	804	45	318	224	1,931	117	958	92	717	89	664	50	301	25	198
May*	122	1,358½	188	2,085	203	1,808½	47	427	49	263½	48	310	14	49	59	357
June†	32	382	157	2,242	310	3,442	132	1,331	28	177	7	48	16	124	29	148
July	99	1,130	121	1,278	431	3,991	62	673	26	203	3	5	..	..	2	23
August ..	100	1,119	99	655	283	2,954	74	430	44	205	44	215	56	393	39	158
September ..	117	1,504	89	925	130	1,318	68	614	111	688	90	923	62	474	53	404
October ..	154	2,089	65	387	69	499	37	332	66	547	148	1,193	148	1,415	57	484
November ..	162	2,277	17	103	9	39	2	21	67	356	225	2,391	93	822	145	1,776
December‡ ..	192	2,752	24	182	15	75	18	236	55	277	232	3,042	132	1,305	76	652
Total ..	1,469	19,065½	885	8,564½	1,749	16,683½	642	5,733	672	4,074½	1,525	15,314	896	7,834	918	8,721

* May 10th—Records for 10 hours only. † June 12th—Records for 15 hours only. ‡ December 28th—Velocity for 14 hours only.

Anemometer.—This instrument records on paper the time, direction, and velocity of wind. Robinson's cups are used. The vane and cups are 65 feet above the ground.

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